

Memorial Book



In Loving Memory of

Anthony Paul Garcia

(June 5, 1986 - February 27, 2007)



*I wish you a Merry Christmas and a Happier
New Year I am spending my Christmas in
Heaven that is crystal clear I know your
heart is broken because I seem so far away I
want you to know; I am in your loving heart
to stay My Soul and Spirit lives within your
heart and I am promising you, we will never
part I will continue to whisper to you like a
gentle prayer trying to assure you, I am in
God's Eternal Loving care*

Anthony Paul Garcia



Sunrise June 5, 1986

Sunset February 27, 2007





Antony's favorite scripture in the Bible was Psalm 23. If he walked in your house and seen the Bible, he was always telling you it should be open to Psalm 23:

Psalm 23

A psalm of David.

1 The LORD is my shepherd, I shall not be in want.

*2 He makes me lie down in green pastures,
he leads me beside quiet waters,*

3 he restores my soul.

*He guides me in paths of righteousness
for his name's sake.*

*4 Even though I walk
through the valley of the shadow of death,
I will fear no evil,
for you are with me;
your rod and your staff,
they comfort me.*

*5 You prepare a table before me
in the presence of my enemies.
You anoint my head with oil;
my cup overflows.*

*6 Surely goodness and love will follow me
all the days of my life,
and I will dwell in the house of the LORD
forever.*



In a Son's Dreams
A Mother's Hope
In a Son's Accomplishments

A Mother's Pride

In a Son's Happiness

A Mother's Joy

In a Son's Death

A Mother's Eternal Sorrow....

This memorial website was created to remember our dearest Anthony Paul Garcia who will live forever in our memories and hearts. Please feel free to give us some Ant memories or light a candle. We love to hear them.

His life was cut short by an evil, selfish, stupid person who has no regard for human life.



Anthony loved to spit rhymes and had been rappin' since as far back as I can remember and he was good at it. I remember a time before HS when Ant wanted a dictionary and thesaurus to increase his rappin' skills. Of course, as his mom how could I deny him a chance to increase his vocabulary 😊. Ant was good and I loved to listen to him. I was also the one to take him to his first show in a night club (Ant was 16 at the time). Wow, that was pretty cool because he was a natural at it, what sucks is that my camera decided to stop working on me that night, so I didn't get it on tape and I'll never have a chance to see him perform again. If you check out the video section of this web page, it's a show dedicated to Ant, it's the guy he did his

show with when he was 16.



Nine To Five

Its nothing that you said to me
Its not the words unspoken
I know its hard for you to see
My heart is truly broken

I share a smile but when I pass
It just turns upside down
Just like my life from day to day
No way out can be found

There's nothing that will fix this
Some call it my situation
As if one day, I'll be the same
But they are sadly mistaken

A situation hardly compares
To one's life stolen violently
This is a scar I will bear for life
It's a permanent part of me

I have good days and enjoy them
My bad days I cannot explain
Until this horror knocks at your door
You'll never know this kind of pain

So if you see me crying,
Or wiping my tears away
Its ok, I'm where I'm supposed to be
It's a process for me every day

Don't be afraid to talk to me
Or mention my child's name
You speak of yours so freely
Please treat my child the same

Though to you he may not be living
To me, he's right in my soul
I say his name out loud every day
His story, always to be told

Dedicated to POMC (Parents of Murdered Children)
members (WWW.POMC.ORG)

Written by Dottie Tapscott

4/27/07

In Loving Memory of TJ and all our Children

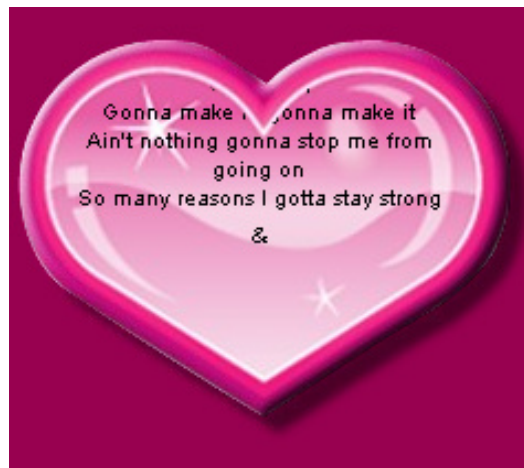


**This Ribbon represents a murdered child.
Parents of Murdered Children is an organization that
helps parents and loved ones who are bereaved.**



"If Love Could Have Saved You, You Would Have Lived Forever."





*My son,
How hard it is
To understand why you didn't live.
My heart beats daily,
As days go by
and I breath barely
For I can't understand why.
I know we're not supposed to question,
That one thing we don't understand.
But I'm not sure I will ever understand
Why God chose to take YOUR hand.
I like to believe that he took you to save you from grief.
Of a life not chosen, but given to, by the streets.*

*As your mom all I ever wanted to do,
Was protect you from all harm I ever knew.
You filled my life with such joy,
I was so proud to call you my boy
Good, Bad or indifferent, I didn't care
You were my baby and no matter what 'Mommy would be there'
And after all this I try to find gratitude
For the 20 years God allowed me to spend
with you.*

*You are and will always be
the love of my life and now your free
Free from Evil, free from Grief
Free to always watch over me.*

*I love you, MY LOVE,
MY PRECIOUS*

MY SON

*Written By
Ant's Mom*





FOR ANT AND HIS MOMMY....

AS EACH PASSING DAY GOES BY
A TEAR FALLS FROM HER EYE
WITH EACH DAY PASSING HER
A MEMORY COMES TO MIND
WITHOUT YOU BY HER SIDE
TEARS AND MEMORIES COMPILE
UNTIL YOU MEET AGAIN
HER MEMORIES WILL FORM A MOUNTAIN
A MOUNTAIN UNCLIMBABLE
HER TEARS WILL FORM AN OCEAN
AN OCEAN UNCROSSABLE
YOU ARE HER ANGEL
YOU ARE HER LIGHT
GUIDING HER THROUGH HER DAYS
AND PROTECTING HER NIGHTS

YOU MAY BE GONE
BUT YOU'RE NOT FORGOTTEN
YOU ARE HER ANGEL NOW
AND YOUR MOMMY SHE WILL ALWAYS BE
UNTIL YOU MEET AGAIN
SHE'LL CRY THESE TEARS
SHE'LL RELEASE THESE MEMORIES
SHE SHALL CLIMB HER MOUNTAIN
SHE WILL CROSS HER OCEAN
ONE DAY SOON
SHE WILL BE AT YOUR SIDE
YOU WILL BE IN HER ARMS
YOU SHALL BE SAFE ONCE MORE.

Written By Key

Dedicated to Ant and his Mom

The background is a textured, mottled olive-green color. Two roses are faintly visible: a smaller one on the left and a larger one on the right. The word "Gallery" is written in a white, elegant cursive font, centered between the two roses.

Gallery

so sweet, so unforgettable...



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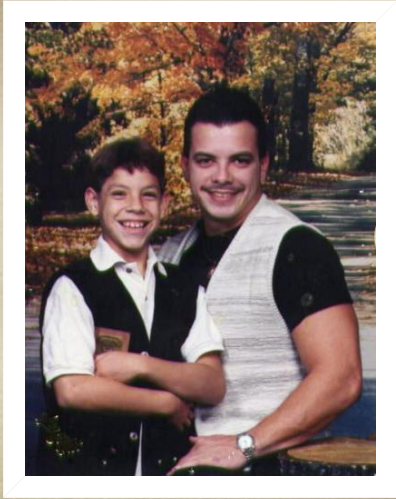
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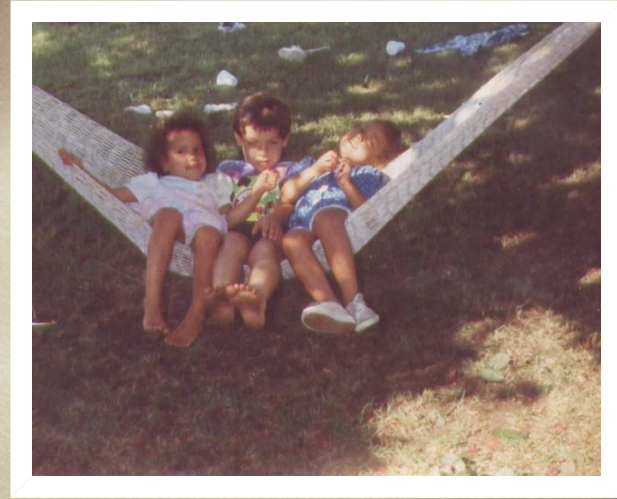
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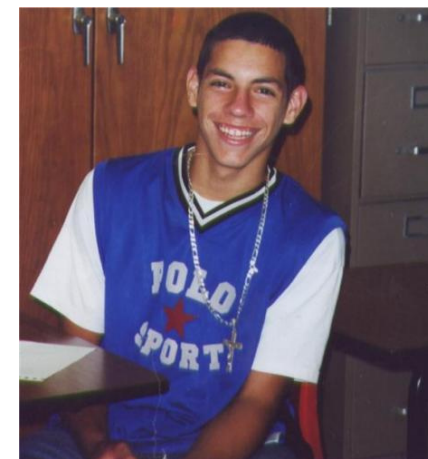
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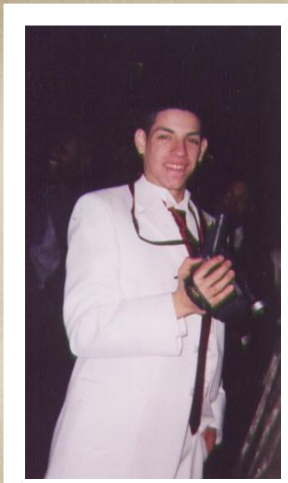
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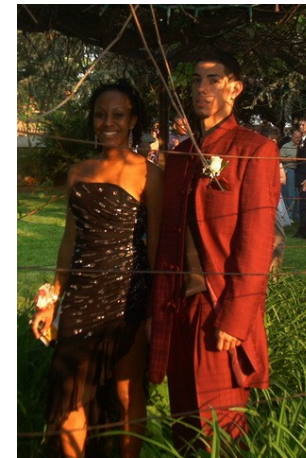
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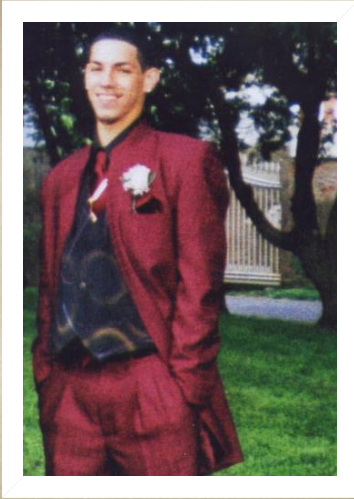
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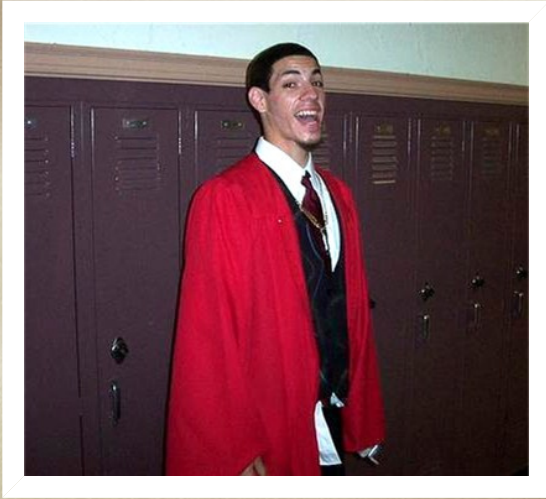
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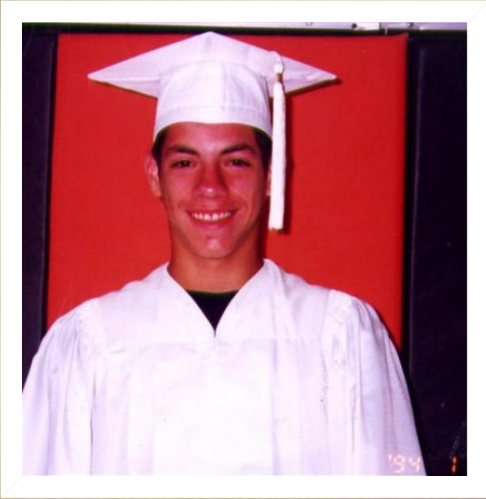
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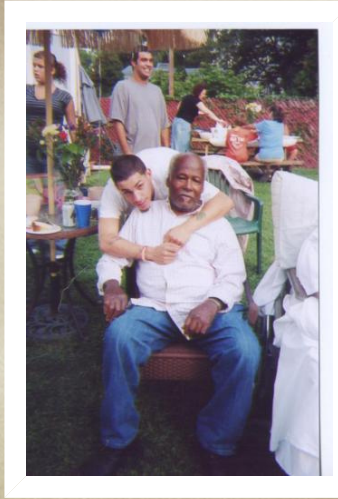
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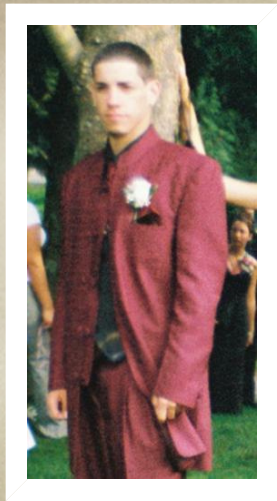
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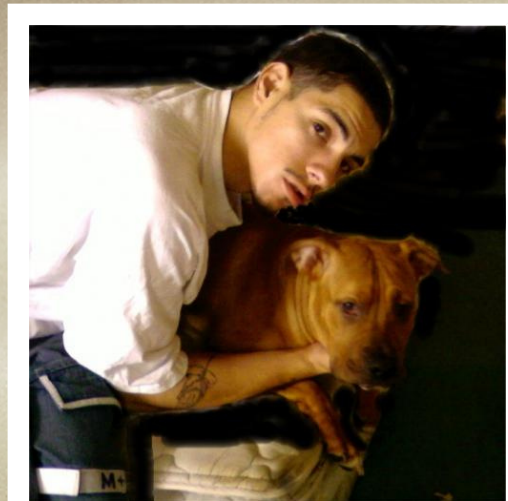
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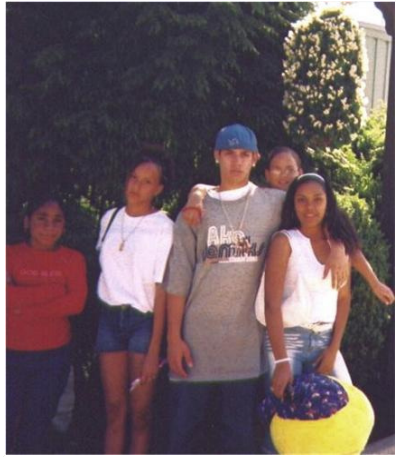
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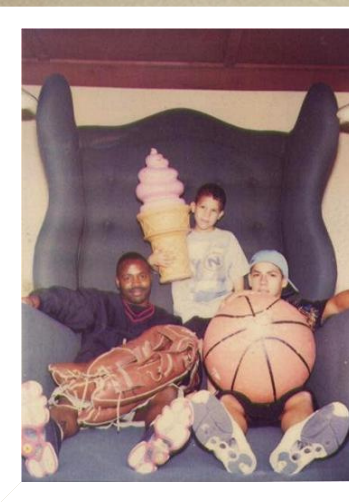
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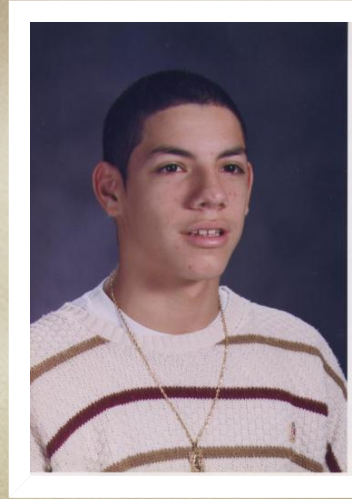
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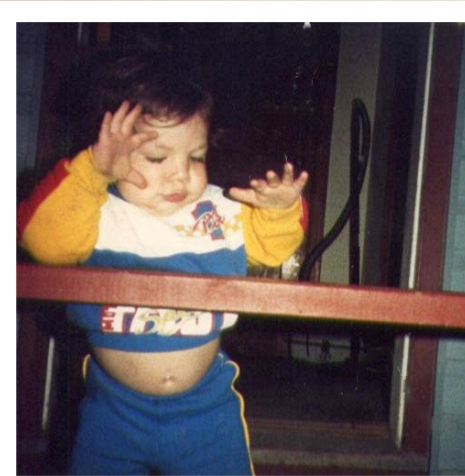
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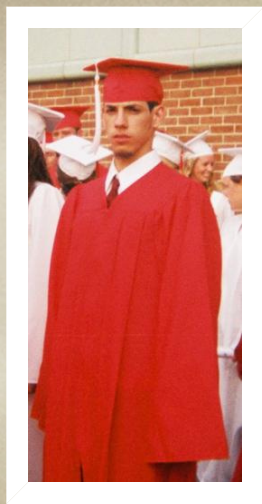
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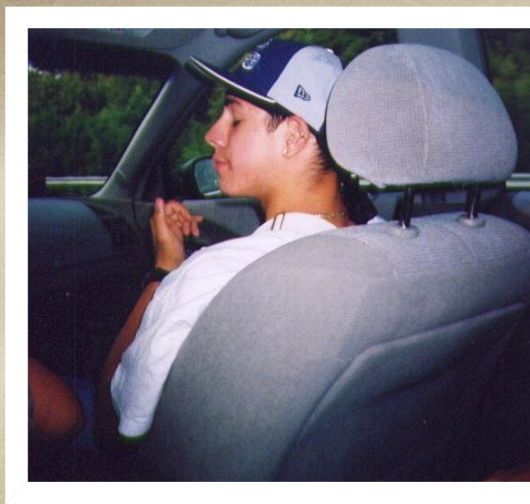
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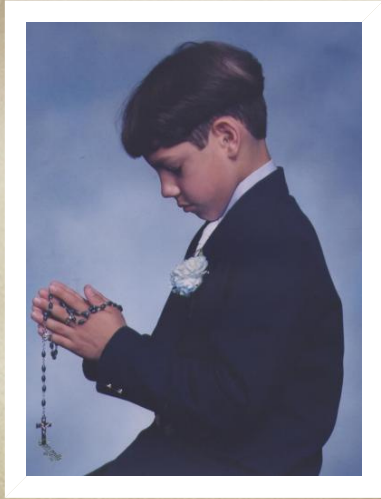
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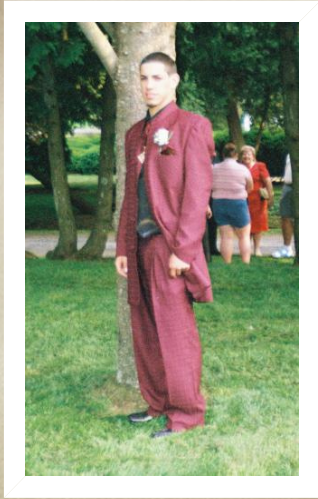
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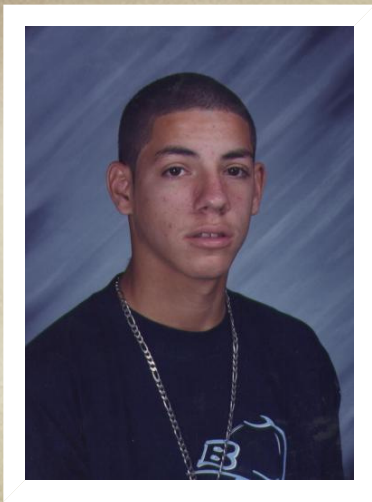
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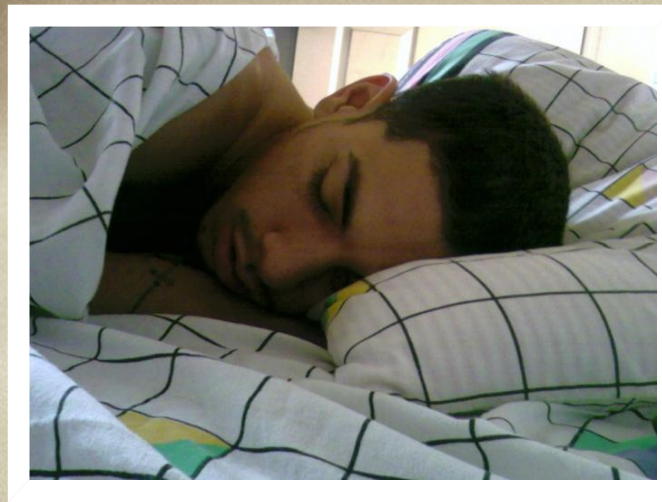
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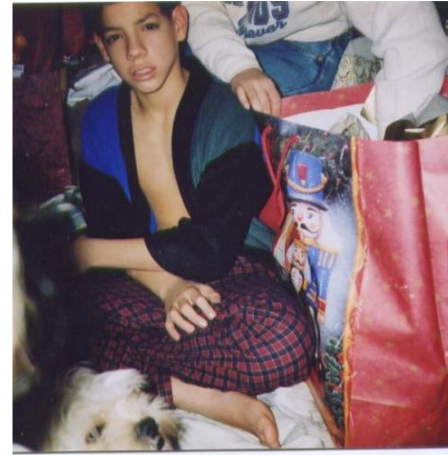
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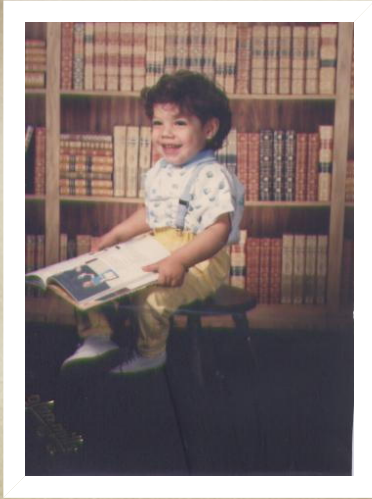
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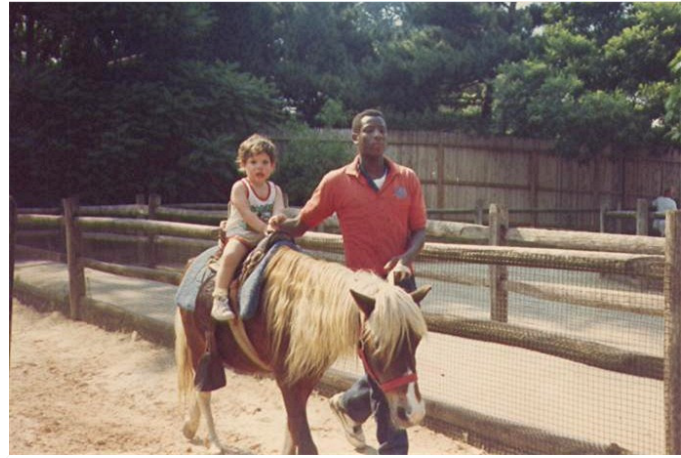
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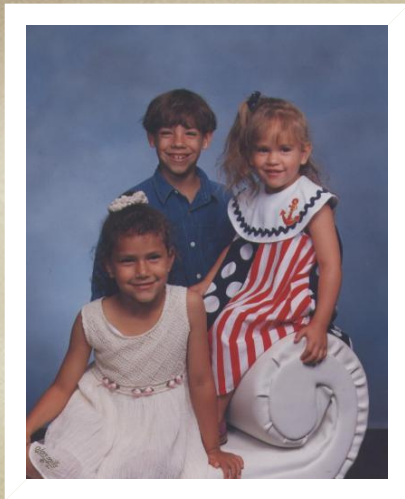
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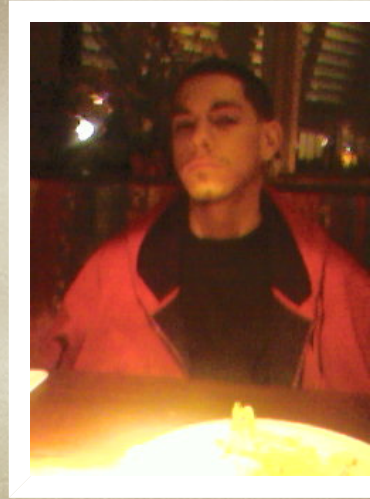
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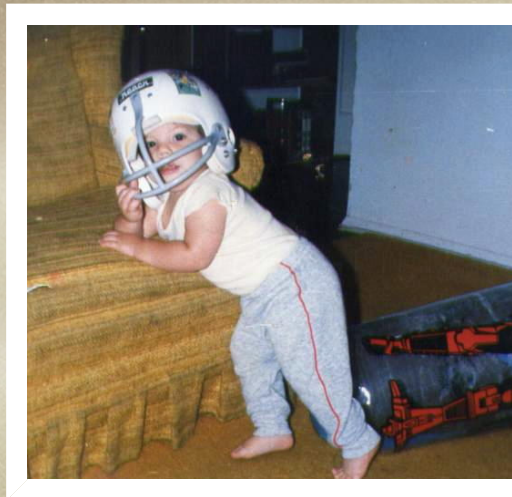
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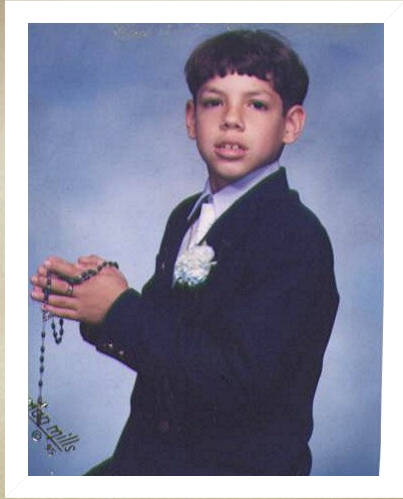
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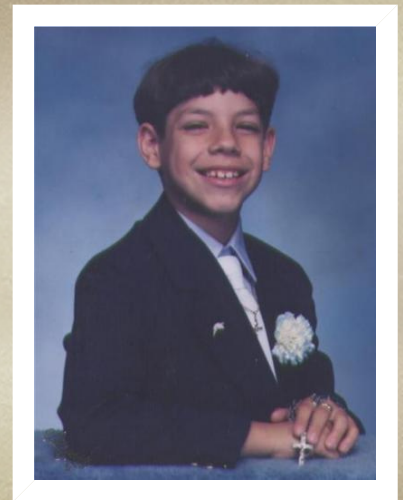
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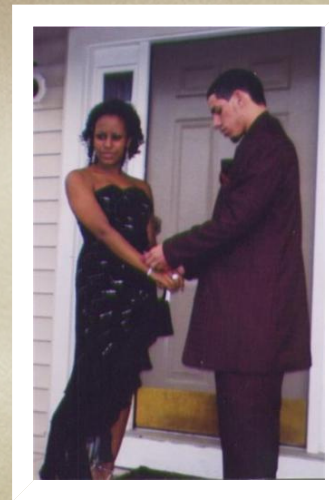
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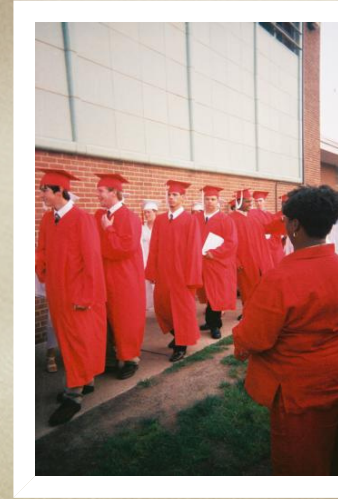
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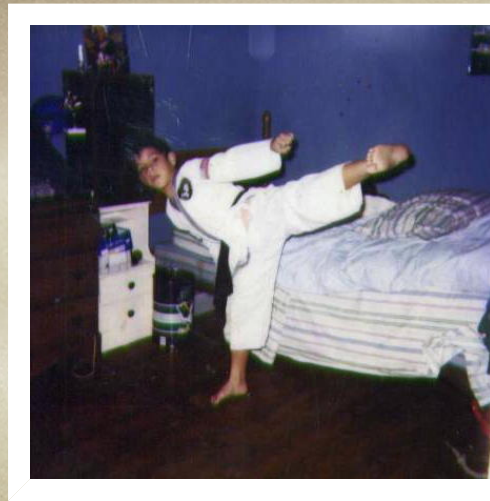
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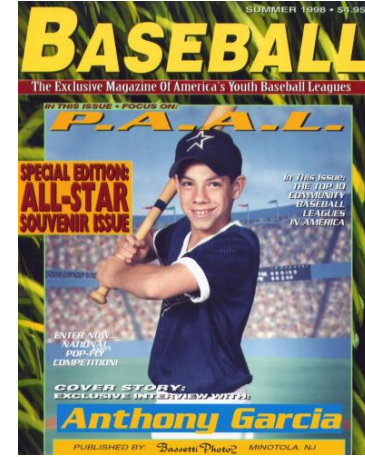
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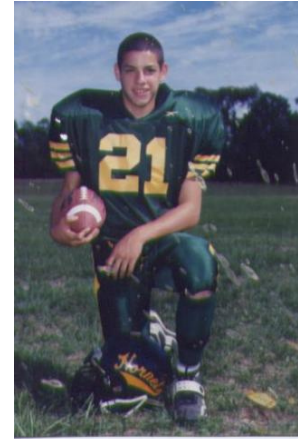
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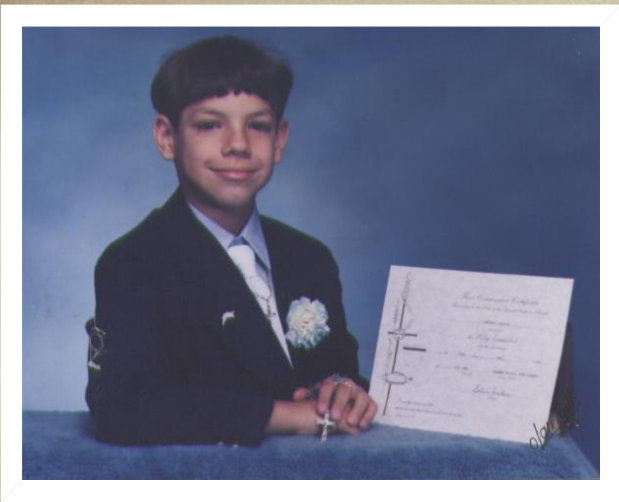
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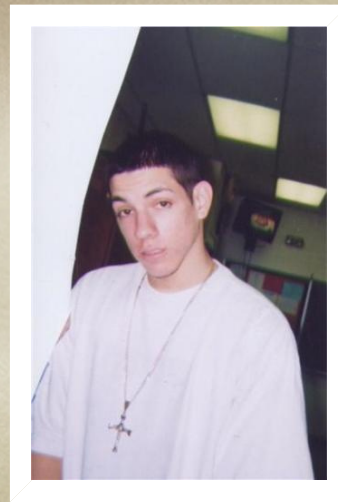
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Two roses are positioned in the upper right quadrant of the image. The background is a textured, mottled brownish-gold color. The roses are rendered in a soft, painterly style, with delicate shading on their petals.

Memorial Candles

our words, your light...

12/22/2008

Hello my Luv

I miss you so much. I wish for these holidays to be over, but the girls really keep me going. I love and miss you so much MOM

12/17/2008

Anne

Anthony, Your mom wrote about you on Parents of Murdered Children. She is very proud of you. God bless you & your family.

12/15/2008

lil sis Nikki

I miss you to death Ant!! Life just ain't the same without you! Please send me some of your strenght Love U 4 Life

12/14/2008

angie

*Your pic is right by the tree..Merry Christmas Ant**

12/11/2008

Mommy

Hi Babe, i miss u so much. I know this was your fav time and it just get's harder at this time for us all, keep watchinova us

12/08/2008

Big Bro

Just thinkin bout my bro and how lonely it is without you round the holidays love you dog

12/05/2008

Mario

Anthony, every Saturday I pass the house on Main St in the boro, look for the shirt and pray that you keep taking care of your Mom.

12/02/2008

auntie angela

I miss you so much neph...everything is def crazy and wish you were here to smooth things out.i just miss your smile and love!!!!

11/26/2008

Mommy

Hi My luv I miss you so much, i wish i could just see your face and feel your hug. watch over you sisters my love I miss you!

11/24/2008

Heather

I just wish I could tell you whats going on. Everything is getting crazy. Wish you were here to smile and say everything wil be ok

11/13/2008

Auntie Italia

Thank u Lord for giving us this short time with Anthony and Maribell, Oma, and Gladys we will all be together again. kisses Italia

11/12/2008

Mommy

My love, I miss you so. Here we go again w/the holidays, they are not the same, hope your staying close to Oma. I miss you.

11/04/2008

Mommy

*Such a huge day in history,
wish u were 2 witness it. I
miss you. Nikki voted today.
I luv u Ant, I know your
watching over us.*

10/31/2008

**Christine mom/ Aaron
Wilkinson**

*Happy Halloween Anthony,
send lots of hugs n strength
to mom n ur sister they love
n miss u so much*

10/30/2008

**Mom to ^i^ Cameron
Bieberle**

*Anthony, What a blessing for
your mom to have had you
in her life. But it is hard
without our boys. Watch
over your precious mom.*

10/30/2008

Mommy

I love you so much my love!

10/27/2008

AUNT ANGELA

*I miss you so much ant. there
so many times that go by
where i just say to myself i
wish anthony was here. rip i
love you neph!!!!*

10/16/2008

Big Bro

*Just Thinkin bout u bro
countin the dayz when we'll
be together again u know i
love u dog and just make
sure u watch over us*

10/15/2008

Mommy

*I miss you more everyday.
some days are so hard to get
through and i'm doin the best
i can, i wish i could just hug
and kiss u*

10/14/2008

Key

*It's still so hard. I can't
watch these movies. I can't
finish listening to those
songs. I still wish I could do
more.*

10/11/2008

**Christine mom to Angel
Aaron**

*I was thinking about u and
ur Mom n sisters..Sending u
all love n strength..Comfort
to all who love n miss u*

10/06/2008

Mommy

*My Love your missed so
much. I really wish I could
turn back the hands of time
and make it all different. I
love you sooooo.*

09/29/2008

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*Mommy! i' m so sorry
mommy, that i went away
but don't worry about me
mommy i'm happy in heaven
today. so, smile for*

09/28/2008

Big Bro

*Just so you know your still a
big part of my life Ant and
im thinking bout you see that
pic of us good times daddy
love you.*

09/27/2008

**Christine Mom/ Aaron
Wilkinson**

*Hey Anthony I know we
never got to meet but I have
been thinking of u n ur Mom
n sisters..give them strength,
hugs n kisses*

09/25/2008

aunt angela

*Hey...your highly on my
mind today and yesterday.
was talkin bout you
yesterday with a few friends.
im sure you were with us.
love*

09/22/2008

Mommy

*Hi my Luv I miss u soo much
I need u to send me strength
now more then ever, i need
you to send ur sisters
strength 2, I luv u.*

09/20/2008

key

*I think about you every
day... What magic you
bring... You are amazing..
now and then! Love,*

09/19/2008

**Christine Mom to Angel
Aaron**

*Wishing ur family n friend
peace n comfort..Keeping ur
memory alive..Send Mom n
the girls hugs n kisses..*

09/05/2008

aunt angela

*Just thinking about you
neph...misss you!!!*

09/02/2008

Mommy

*Hello my luv I miss you
dearly, thank you for being
by my side every night I
needed to hear that I can't
wait to see you again*

08/31/2008

key

*Carl is gonna go riding and I
was just thinkin'...i f you
could please send a bird
poop on carl that would be
funny! I miss you*

08/31/2008

Big Bro

*Was just thinkin bout you
bro Love You*

08/30/2008

angie

*Dear Ant, I know you saw
the police the other week
harrassin me and Nikk at the
cemetary~Me n Nikk said
this IS normal miss u*

08/28/2008

aunt angela

*Your on my mind alot
today...gosh i wish i could
just change the past and
bring you back to our family.
it would just be great.*

08/27/2008

aunt angela

*i miss you. i still cant believe
your gone.i feel like im in
need of a angela n ant talk.u
knw how we be deep in
conversation.*

08/27/2008

CUZ Cristina

Just remebering so many old times. keep looking down on us and keeping us safe love and miss you much!!!!!!!!!!!!!! !!!!

08/22/2008

Cuzzo Virginia

Hey cuzzo, i miss you like crazy and i wish you were here right now. send me some strength.. te amo con todo mi corazon

08/18/2008

auntie dizzie lizzie

Miss you and love you so very much, could use you being here right about now. our prayers and thoughts are there forever

08/15/2008

Mommy

I love you son, and miss you soo much words can't explain. Please always send me strength I need to move forward. I love you

08/09/2008

key

Every time that I look at one of your pics, when you where a kid I think ...wow..Is it real? Is he really gone? I cry. I miss.

08/08/2008

aunt angela

Just thinking bout may neph..not a day goes by without you on my mind. gosh i miss you so much...love you sis!!!

07/31/2008

Mommy

Hello my luv, I miss you so much. Neno is doing really good, he misses you too. I just can't wait to hold you in my arms again

07/28/2008

Big Bro

Just lettin you know im thinkin bout you bro today is a day closer to seeing you again I LOVE YOU

07/25/2008

**ANGEL BRITTANY
SYFERT'S GRMA**

Dear Anthony, Precious Memories, Oh how they linger. Sending lots of love to you & your loving family. God Bless.

07/24/2008

Mommy

Hello my baby boy. I love and miss you every day. Sending you lots of hugs and kisses.....XOXOXO XO

07/15/2008

**Christine/Mom to Angel
Aaron**

Anthony, watch over Mom n ur sisters they miss n love u very much

07/11/2008

Mommy

Hi baby, not a good day, I really really miss you and wish you were here so I could hold you and kiss you. I love you.

07/10/2008

Big Bro

We Will all be back together again soon i think about you everytime i do something we did together which is everyday i still got u

07/10/2008

Big Bro

Missing you everyday Bro feels like your still here in my dreams but i know its only in spirit watch over us dog we love you

07/08/2008

grandma

Anthony,my boy,words are so hard to find,I miss you,I think about you always, My heart achs so for you, God keep you.

07/07/2008

Mommy

Hello my luv, I miss you more and more. Pls watch over your sisters they too miss you sooo much, keep them safe.

06/30/2008

Christine/Mom to Angel Aaron

Anthony ,stay close and comfort your mom and sisters for they love and miss you so much..

06/30/2008

Mommy

I miss you soooooooooo much, I wish everyday you were still here w/me. Please Please keep your sisters safe. I luv and miss you so

06/18/2008

Christine Wilkinson

My heart goes out to you and your family, Anthony you are truly missed and loved so much..Keep Mom and your sisters strong.

06/18/2008

Mommy

Hello my luv, So your Nikki turned 20 today, I wish you were here, you would be proud of her too, we really really miss you XOXOXO

06/18/2008

Ya Twin NIKKI

Happy Birthday Bro I Love You

06/17/2008

Mommy

Hey my luv, I miss you soooooooooo much. I just wanted to tell you Kristy got her license today, you'd be so proud of her. Luv u

06/12/2008

N3Ssa

I keep you very close to my heart..your very missed Ant. Te Quiero Primo.

06/06/2008

Shane

Happy Birthday!!! We miss you! Take care of your Mom and sisters! They need all the strength that they can get. We love you!

06/06/2008

Carol

Happy Birthday Ant!!!! I miss your smile so much, THinking of you always, miss you so, so much my heart hurts. Watch over your Mom

06/05/2008

Marisol Class

Happy Birthday Anthony! I can't wait to get home in heaven and give you a big hug and kiss. Please send mom hugs everyday.

06/05/2008

Aunti Toni

Happy Birthday Ant miss you so much. Love Ya

06/05/2008

Marilyn

Those who love you will always celebrate this day as the one on which they received you as their gift. Happy Birthday.

06/05/2008

Kathy

Ant...I so wish you were still here to celebrate your 22nd b'day with your Mom and all the many others who loved you.

06/05/2008

mercedeez

I miss you soo much. still cant believe your gone. cant wait to see you when i get up there someday. i love you so much RIP my love

06/05/2008

Mommy

Happy 22nd Birthday my son. I miss you so much. I will never forget the joy you brought me. Luv, Mommy

06/05/2008

Maggie

Happy Birthday! You are missed by many.

06/04/2008

Kalynne's Mommy

Happy Birthday Anthony!! Have a good one up in heaven and give your family an friends the stregnth they need!

06/02/2008

Mare

Hi Anthony, Watch over your Mother and help her find inner peace.

05/05/2008

diera.

Hey cuz! yur missed by all. love ya.

04/23/2008

Mommy

Hi my Love, just wanted to let you know how much I luv and miss you. Forever my Son! My Heart! My LOVE!

04/19/2008

Nicole "nikkibagz"

I miss u antski ur smile them sexy teeth ur promising eyes ur too cool ur truely loved by many i love u i miss u Rip my dude

04/08/2008

Shahira

Words can't express how much the family and I love and miss you, you will always be the one who holds my heart. 110905 4eva<3

03/26/2008

Jamie

Hey Ant Man I miss you dearly I wish we were able to spend more time 2gether but you will always be in my thoughts and heart Miss Yu

03/08/2008

Justin

Yo ant wats been up i miss u yo member when u used to all ways be like waz up buddy miss u ma dude

03/08/2008

Aunti Toni

Love you miss you dearly your always in my thoughts heart i hear you everyday saying yo auntie got any of that mac and cheese left

02/27/2008

lil sis

As long as I'm here YOUR HERE I miss you not being beside me! You've always made me stronger and now your inside me! 1 luv

02/26/2008

key

Keep watching over the "girلز"! You can be very proud of them!

02/26/2008

vicki [krisjans girlfriend]

I send love to the whole familyy. your missed by many. you will be in my prayers. Rest In Peace Ant.

02/25/2008

Martine

I cant believe its been a year already.. you will always live on thru me n all who share memories of u! r.i.p ant aka goodbrother!

02/11/2008

baby sis

There is so much i could say but i only have a lil space as i just tried to write. so i just wana say i love you so much

02/03/2008

Randi

I send my blessings to everyone and love and miss him greatly!!i love you antmann rip mah nigg<3

02/03/2008

Britney lee wyatt

Anthony; we miss&luv you & ur family are always in my thoughts+prayers. No1 will ever 4get da way you made us smile

01/27/2008

Rachel

I'll never forget how much fun ant made going to the borough school. He's in my memories forever. Love you bunches homie.

01/27/2008

Angela

I luv and miss u so much and i will never forget how it felt to have a neph like u. U were special to me, ur always in my heart

01/18/2008

Gail Rossignol

My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. Anthony is in Heaven with his Holy father, watching over his family.

01/16/2008

ELiZABEtH JoHNSoN

My prayersz go out to antsz family itsz almost been ah year..may god b with yuh.

01/14/2008

alex(kristy's lil sister)

Your family is in my prayers. you are loved &+ missed by many.

01/14/2008

**Lucy-mom to angel
Laura Hunter**

Losing a child is the greatest loss of all. My thoughts and prayers are with you Anthony. And with all who love and miss you so.

01/14/2008

Becky Reedy

Your son will always be with you and is watching over you. My heart goes out to you and your family.

01/14/2008

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Perhaps they are not stars in the sky, but rather openings where our loved ones shine down to let us know they are happy.

01/14/2008

Auntie Bobbie

Your love will always remain in our hearts.

01/11/2008

heather lambert

Me and you Ant did a lot together. Most of it was getting each other in trouble and beating each other up. But,I love n miss u man

01/10/2008

Melba McNeil (Harrell)

Anthony is always going 2b watching over you Regina. Please rest assured that he is in Heaven & you will see him again!

01/10/2008

Carla M. Goodman

My prayers go out to you and your family.

01/10/2008

Bobby/Cindy Gittens

*You are missed. Rest easy
and God bless you.*

01/10/2008

Janee M. Douglas- James

*My heart goes out to you and
your family. I cried the
whole time this beautiful
slideshow played, you keep
this memory alive and I wil*

01/10/2008

Monica B.

*May God bless those who
this wonderful soul has left
behind to remember his
sweetness and light.*

01/10/2008

cody

*Every time im doing
somethin anthony did and
im doin the same i smile and
have fun with the memories i
have of him. sry to the fam*

01/10/2008

cody foster's sis

*We are so sorry for you loss
our hearts and prayers are
with you and your family.*

01/10/2008

Jennifer Ferry

*Thank you for all your
blessings you brought your
family. I thank God that he
gave us your time here on
earth!!*

01/10/2008

aprilrose pratt

*Always in our hearts, and
often on our minds.*

01/10/2008

Virginia

*Anthony, you were a
wonderful cousin and I miss
you dearly. You are my
angle in the sky and I love
you!!*

01/10/2008

SUSIE COTE

*We are blessed to have such
a wonderful angel....you are
at home with God*

01/10/2008

Mario

*I will be forever grateful that
I was lucky enough to
personally experience your
greatness. I will always
remember your smile.*

01/10/2008

Buffyn family

*You will forever live on in
our hearts. We misss you.*

01/10/2008

grandma

*My boy you know you are in
my prays always, you are
my angle now so, please pray
for me to the Lord our God*

01/10/2008

Mommy

Anthony, my love, I really miss you and I want you to know I will love you forever, there was not a prouder mom then me. I Loveyou

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Condolences

from the deepest of our hearts...

A Precious Son

I Wish I Could See You One More Time
Come Walking Through My Door
But, I Know That Is Impossible
I Will Hear Your Voice No More
I Know You Can Feel My Tears
And You Don't Want Me To Cry

Yet, My Heart Is Broken
Because I Can't Understand Why
Someone So Precious Had To Die
I Pray That God Will Give Me Strength
And Somehow Get Me Through
As I Struggle With This Heartache
That Was Caused By Losing You



A Mother's Love

*A mothers love is something
that no one can explain,
It is made with deep devotion
and of sacrifice and pain.
It is endless and unselfish
and enduring come what may,
for nothing can destroy it
or take that love away...
It is patient and forgiving
when all others are forsaking,
And it never fails or falters
even though the heart is breaking.
It believes beyond believing
when the world around condemns,
and it glows with all the beauty
of the rarest brightest gems...
It is far beyond defining,
it defies all explanation,
And it still remains a secret
like the mysteries of creation...
A many splenoured miracle
man cannot understand,
And another wondrous evidence
of Gods tender guiding hand.*



***Christine Wilkinson &
Family***

My Deepest Condolence

June 18, 2008

My heart goes out to the family...There are no words that can really express what you are all feeling and going through, try and stay strong..Ask God to give you strength and courage for you all each and every day..This is a rough road to walk, and you all need to stay together b/c it is to hard of a road and I know myself I can't walk it alone..

Hugs and prayers to you all,

Christine/ Mom to Angel Aaron

Melba

I Love You

January 10, 2008

Regina and Familia,

What a wonderful way to remember Anthony! This is so beautiful! I can't stop crying! He is still alive in our hearts and one day soon we will all be together. I know how much you loved Anthony! Please, but don't be sad. He IS a blessing and GOD never makes a mistake! I know there are NO words that can be said to take your pain away, but please know that I am here for all of you! It's okay to cry, but make sure they are tears of joy because I am sure your son doesn't want to see you cry. You will ALWAYS have good thoughts about your precious son and with this memorial so will I!

I love you! May you find peace today and always!

your girl-Melba

Carla M. Godman

The love of a child

January 10, 2008

Regina,

I never had the pleasure of meeting your son but they always say, the apple does not fall far from the tree. I know how much of a joy it is to know you so I can only imagine how much of a joy Anthony must have been. I recently had my 1st child and I have learned that there is no greater unconditional love on earth. He is in a better place and he is smiling down on his mother right now. I will keep you and your family in prayer and if you ever need an ear or shoulder, Please feel free to call me.

Goody

***Janee M. Douglas-
James***

My heart goes out to the family

January 10, 2008

Regina & family,

My heart goes out to you and your family. I cried the whole time this beautiful slideshow played, you keep this memory alive and I will pray for you and the family to give you strength.

My Condolences to all of you,

Janee M. Douglas- James & family

K

My Deepest Condolences

January 10, 2008

Thoughts:

To those of us that didn't know you, it is our loss and we can only wonder what could have been. For those who knew and love you, it's both a Tragedy and Blessing.

Tragedy:

You are no longer with us.

Blessing:

You are in a better place.

Watch over those who have loved and cared about you. Bless them daily with memories of all the joy and laughter you brought to their lives, and in times of hardship and pain, shine a ray of hope into their hearts, giving them the strength to persevere and the knowledge that you are still with them.

Bless you Always

K

My Deepest Condolences

Kapule

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Memories

all the gray you turned into colors...

Big Bro

There are so many memories i just don't know where to start i remember ant and the family thats what it was about and just us together and thatw as our thing and everytime things get a little harder and i have to struggle more i just think about my brother more and that gives me strength because whenever i was in trouble Anthony was there to make sure i made it out ok that is one of my best memories i remember us being to gether all the time and he left us so suddenly and i had'nt seen him in a week i just wish i saw him just one more time just to give him a hug and to let him know how much i really loved him Ant was my crutch yhou were more then my friend we were brothers and everytime i do something positive in life i think about you because if it was'nt for you i wouldnt be where i am today Anthony you made it possible for me to live and i thank you for that just watch over the family i dont get to see them as much as i want because work is so hard but just know that if they need anything i am always there not far away at all and i will take care of them Ant i love you and you memory lives on in me forever ill see you again friend/Brother just keep doin the things we did and when i do something we did i always think about you

Mommy

There are so many memories i have of my son. He was a great kid. The one memory keeps coming back when he was around 6/7 and loved Bob Marley. He used to hang out in his grandfather's room singing along w/him to Bob Marley. There was a family function and his grandfather went on stage to perform and Ant was outside running around till he heard his grandfather on stage and came running into the hall in front of the stage and just looked at his grandfather who invited him up to sing w/him. Ant ran on stage and together the sang Bob Marley's 'No Woman, No Cry', I remember everyone being so amazed on how great he was as he sang every word with such confidence. He was so happy and such a natural on stage. If I could go back to those times, where I can just hold him in my arms, I miss him so.

Angie

When I think of Ant I think of the restaurant and memories there we all had. I remember Ant commin in sittin at the counter when I was at work and our random convos. I remember him always askin me 2 put

his orders in (german nights when annelise would get mad cuz he had to add shit to her food she cooked lol) and the MILKSHAKES I made for you damn I always hated doin it but somehow you always had a way of makin me anyway lol. Damn I can't believe your still gone it's crazy but I know your in a better place~And the saying if love would have saved you,you sure would have lived 4-ever is so true and know this!! Love Angie

auntie angela



ant.

one of the most recent memories that i have of anthony not long befor he passed just sticks in my head... i was drivin trough the boro and came to the light near dunkin donuts waitin to make a left hand turn and theres this dude next to me yellin "yo ma whats good". i just stared straight and he kept sayin "yo ma whats good". i finally look over and it was ant in his grandmas car waitin to go straight and we both started to crack up. he said "i was testin you, you did the right thing, haha." aslo of course goin through high school together and bein in every homeroom together and just bein proud to hear him say thats my auntie and me say thats my neph. its the greatest feeling.I miss running in to him at the 7 11 all the time and him sayin' "whats good auntie" as his boys look at him like hes crazy and they never believed him.haha. gosh i could just go on. i miss you so much

Deeda (Big Bro)



Remember early mornings at mill pond dog Grandma made us pancakes and eggs and it was great everyday miss doing everything with you dog thinkin bout you all the time i remeber going to pick up your mom from lockheed to and she used to be so scared of your driving you were always swurving lol i miss being scared with you in the car withy ou crazy ass we will ride again soon love you ant.

Deeda (Bro)

Me and Ant loved Dru Hill you couldn't tell us nothing late night some green on the way home listening to the power after hour waiting for beauty to come on cause they always played the beat no friend could ever fill your shoes ant i love you dog and everyday is still a struggle knowing your not there to talk to you held me up dog when i was going to give up and i made something of myself because of you daddy you made it happen for me and i will never forget just being able to say i knew you was special Love You Dog forever and always.

Big Bro Deeda

Mom

Well let's see which one will I tell today. Ok, this is a funny one, I'm driving down Rt38 coming home from work. There was a car coming from the other direction and it swirved into my lane, OMG! He quickly swirved back into his lane and as he passes me I realized it's Ant.....😬. So I grab my cell phone and call him and was like "Yo Ant, you almost ran your mom off the road" He was like "Oh that was you, MY BAD mom, I droped a CD". LOL. His driving used to make me so nervous that when the couple of times he picked me up from work I wanted to kiss the ground when I got out. Anthony hated cigarette smoke, and didnt' let people smoke in his car. But when I was in it, I used to be soooooo nervous, he would just be like "Smoke a cigarette mom and relax! I got this". LOL. I love and miss you soo much Ant.

Domonique (LIL SIS)



Memories I have so many with my big brother. He was my best friend. I remember

one day we got into an argument (like always we were too alike) He hated the fact that I couldn't find my own friends. I wanted to be just like him so I always hung around him and his friends. He told me to stop following him and get my own friends. Like always I got smart with him and we started to fight. I went to throw water in his face with a glass, at the same time I swung that glass he went to block it with his hand. Next thing I knew he started bleeding all over the place. Now we fought a lot but at the end of the day I loved my big brother with all my heart. I started to cry as his blood went all over the place (ALL OVER) I kept saying I'm sorry I'm sorry Ant I didn't mean to do that. I was so worried about him that I didn't even notice that some of that blood was mine (I had cut myself also). We had decided to go to the hospital because we couldn't stop the bleeding. We left our lil sister Kristy there to call mom and clean up as she was crying her lil heart out (She was always quick to cry). His friend was there the whole time so we ask him to drive. Anthony hates seeing his own blood he was freaking out his friend was moving very slow. He started screaming at his friend to get out the driver seat and let me drive (Mind you I was only 15). I jumped in that driver seat so fast and whipped that car out of our drive way. I was determined to get my brother to the hospital FAST. (Still not really worrying about my cut). We got to the hospital and they said that he and I needed to get stitches. I started to cry and he laughed at me. The hospital also offered us anger management. We laughed together and said no. Then we left together and did what we do best 😊. My big brother is the reason why I am who I am. He made me very tough. He always use to say the world his tough I'm just getting you ready.....(Everytime he use to beat me up) I use to think he just said that so I wouldn't tell mom LOL!!!!!! I can't even begin to imagine who I would be if he was never in my life. He was my everything!!!! Best friend, enemy, Rock, Protector. I still get a lot of respect only for who my brother is!!!!!! No one can ever take that away from me. As time goes by I miss you more Ant , love you with all my HEART, and will never forget that my strenght came from you!!!!!! NIK

Heather

Wow. Where to start? Well, I grew up with Anthony so I remember him being very hard headed. I have so many memories of just the silly things he\we used to do. My favorite would be when he was in pee-wee football. Him and his best friend Alex would come crashing down the stairs before a game, slamming their fists on their shoulder pads. And asking me to feild check (kick) their cups. Which of course was fun for everyone. Or even recently when our senses of fashion went in totaly different directions, Anthony leant over to me at the restaurant and asked me, "What happened?". With that akward smile. I simply did the broke leg dummy walk and said, "I dunno yooo."

Carol

Anthony memories I have many but the one that sticks out the most was his first day of Kindergarten. Antony insisted that he was big enough to walk to school by himself and to Regina's Despair she allowed him to do so. As we watched from the window because if I recall he didn't even want us outside he stopped at the corner with the crossing guard turned and gave a wave with that beautiful smile that we all adored and miss so much!!! Anthony's Infamous smile could get any of the woman in his life to do anything his heart desired.

Auntie Toni

O boy memories which one should i share? When my little antman was about 6 - 7 months he was the fattest baby and he laughed so hard when you tickle him and that smile stayed with him always. That beautiful smile that will stay with me forever



Marisol

I fell in love with Ant the first time I saw him as a little baby boy and we had a pack to get married when he was 18. Well we didn't get married, he grew up and noticed I was too old for him. 🥰 But I still love him! I can't believe it's been a year that he has gone home to be with our Father in Heaven. I can't wait to walk down that road and see your smiling face to welcome me home too. GOD Bless Regina, family and friends of Anthony.

key

When I think of Ant, I see that BIG ol' Joker smile! He always had jokes. I always laughed at when he would mimic Carl. (Never realized how Carl sounded until Anthony made fun of him!) We need more of that "silly". We take life too seriously most of the time.

I regret not having spent more time to get to know him. Yet there is not a day that I don't think of him!

Auntie Bobbie

The first time that I saw Anthony in the hospital is was a sunny day, Regina had a bed in the hospital by the window. I was holding him and said to my Aunt and Regina that he had a blonde spot on the left side of his head and they said no he doesn't that it was the way the sun was shining in the window. Well to make this short - - Anthony Paul Garcia had a blonde patch on the left side of his head which was his birth mark.

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Life Story

every hour, every thought, every smile...

June 5, 1986

Born in New Jersey Mt. Holly Hospital on June 5, 1986.

June 5, 1986



My son was born June 5, 1986, it was the year I graduated High School. I was so scared, I wasn't even able to tell my family I was pregnant. I was in denial and hid my pregnancy from them for 9 months. When I began to have labor pains I snuck out of the house and had a friend drive me to the hospital, Once I was admitted, the doctors told me that I went into false labor, however, they wanted to keep me overnight under watch. Oh Boy!!!!!!!!!! How would I explain that to my mom. I made my girlfriend drive to my mothers house to confront her face to face, because I knew she would be in no condition to drive. Once she arrived at my mothers, my mom was already outside, because at this point she already realized I was not in my bed. Once greeted by my girlfriend outside, Bridget explained to her that I was in the maternity ward.....my mother passed out on the lawn. She eventually made it to the hospital to find her only child, her 18 year old daughter was 9 mos. pregnant. So we had two weeks to discuss the situation before I

was back at the hospital giving birth to this beautiful little boy. All the discussion came to the conclusion that the best thing for him, would be for me to give him up for adoption. After talking to the agencies and going through the process, it was my last day in the hospital and it was time to say good bye, however, I was having a hard time letting go, and took care of him the time I was in the hospital. So my mother decided that if we all chipped in we could do it, we could take him home and I can raise my son. With alot joy and tears we went home together. We had nothing for a little baby and the first night at home he slept in a little wicker basket. It is now time to break it to the family. We called my grandmother, Anthony's great-grandmother to come over. Once she got there she immediatly went and picked up Anthony and said, in her heavy German accent, "What a cute little guy, who's baby is this?" My mother explained that it was her Great Grandson, Regina's baby. My Oma was in shock, however, in love at the same time. She and my mother immediately went out and bought everything a baby could possibly need in one big shopping trip. Anthony was our pride and joy and the first boy out of 3 generations. We Were All In Love. This is the story of my son's birth.

February 27, 2007

Passed away on **February 27, 2007.**

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