



William Dale Hudson

August 12, 2009

William Dale Hudson, Sr., legendary true crime writer and author of five published books, businessman, entrepreneur, philanthropist, and coach, entered into eternal life, bowed his head, and met his Creator on August 12, 2009. Well known on the southeast coast for his true crime books, Dale also spent more than a decade writing non-fiction humanitarian novels as well as fiction novels. He was currently working on two screenplays and has several unpublished books. Dale was an accomplished story-teller even among children and often visited the classrooms in elementary schools as well as assisting in high school and college classrooms with mature readings. Dale pioneered assisted living homes specializing in Alzheimer's disease and dementia in the state of South Carolina and in 1983 opened the first facility of its kind in our state. He was the President/CEO, Owner/Operator of Pinedale Residential Centers Assisted-Care Living Facilities in both South and North Carolina for two decades as well as a Licensed Facility Administrator for more than 25 years. He was currently working on a book entitled, *Alzheimer's Disease: A New Perspective for an Aged Problem* and a short film, *A New and Creative Approach to the Care and Treatment of Alzheimer's Disease in an Institutional Setting*. As the President of Eldercare Consultants & Associates he served as a consultant and expert witness for many cases involving neglectful care of senior adults all over the United States. Serving as an expert witness and consultant, Dale only accepted cases that he truly believed were negligent. He was a true advocate for senior adults, especially those

suffering from Alzheimer's Disease and dementia and always treated our seniors with love and dignity. Dale was an innovative public speaker, presenter, and seminar leader involving issues such as senior adult care and abuse, and forensic science/true crime. He lead seminars and spoke all over the United States for over two decades. Dale was the President/CEO of We Carp Corporation. In 1998, Dale became a Licensed Forensic Counselor and also appeared in several documentaries that aired on television in both the U.S. and Europe. His enjoyment of forensics coupled with his love of writing, lead to his involvement with true crime. Dale loved teaching and held Masters Degrees of Education, Divinity and Psychology. He was a thesis away from receiving his Doctorate in Psychology. He taught Social Psychology at Francis Marion University in 1996. Dale graduated from Camden High School in 1970. He earned an Associate of Arts in 1972 from Anderson College and in 1974, he earned a Bachelor of Arts (English) from the University of South Carolina in Columbia, SC. He then attended both Wake Forest and Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary where he acquired a Masters of Divinity. Dale obtained a Masters of Education in 1982 from the University of South Carolina and received 30 hours of specialized classes in psychology, research, biological behavior, aging, memory and learning, and abnormal psychology. In 1978 he served his internship at William S. Hall Psychiatric Institute and SC State Hospital in Columbia, SC. In 1995, he attended Francis Marion University and earned a Masters in Psychology. The field of study: Biological behavior and neuropsychological assessment, as related to the care and treatment of those suffering from brain diseases and disorders. His internship in 1995 was at Carolina Rehabilitation Outpatient Clinic, Florence, SC, in neuropsychological assessment of those suffering from brain diseases and disorders. He served another internship at Carolina Hospital Systems, Florence, SC, in the assessment of dementia and Alzheimer's disease in the senior adult wards. Dale received his certification as an Adult Residential Care Administrator in the state of South Carolina in 1983. He had attended well over 50 courses in varied subjects related to this profession, accumulating more than 400 clinical

educational unit hours. Dale served as Youth Director at Wateree Baptist Church, Camden, SC and Bethune Baptist Church, Bethune, SC. He became an Ordained Minister at Wateree Baptist Church, December 22, 1974, and began his stewardship in the Southern Baptist Ministry for 10 years. In 2005, Dale, his wife, and two children, joined the Catholic Church at Saint Andrew Catholic Church, where they began a new spiritual path and grew in the Catholic faith. From 1978 to 1985, he served as a US Army National Guard Chaplain. In addition to his professional career, Dale found time to coach baseball, soccer, football, and basketball. He coached for over 10 years for both his son, DJ Hudson and daughter, Deegan Hudson. He touched the lives of countless children and teens through his gift of coaching. Coach Hudson always set a loving example and will be missed on the basketball courts, and the football, baseball and soccer fields. He taught the kids that winning the game isn't always what's important, it's the life changing lessons that we learn on the court or the field that really matters. "No trophy or ribbon can ever take the place of what has taken place in your heart," he would say. His masterful approach to writing, along with his love of history is what made Dale become one of the most accomplished writers in the south. Nonetheless, it was and always will be his love of all people, regardless of race, financial status, or gender that we will never forget about him. He will be missed more than words can say and more than any book or printed material can express. This world has lost an extraordinary man but our Creator has gained a new angel that will entertain the heavens with stories forever. Dale Hudson, we will never forget you. You changed this world with your beautiful smile and optimistic attitude. And even though our hearts are so completely broken and we feel as though they will never mend, we know that God has promised us that He will never place more on our shoulders than we can bear. As we mend from you leaving us so suddenly, He will carry us on His shoulders so that we all might carry on. Dale, we love you. Surviving in addition to his mother and stepfather, Billy B. Byrd of Camden are his wife, Deborah Hudson of Conway; one son, William

Dale "DJ" Hudson, Jr. of Conway; one daughter, Deegan Anne Hudson of Conway; one sister, Kathy Lynch and husband Johnny of Lugoff; one brother, Phil Hudson and wife Robbie of Camden; two nieces, Tierney Boone and husband Brian and Shauna Ray and husband Jack; one nephew, Phillip Hudson; two great nieces, Braytan Boone and Tristan Ray; one great nephew, Brennen Boone. Mr. Hudson was preceded in death by his father, Elward William Hudson; grandparents, Tom and Connie Holden and Wesley and Marie Hudson and a niece, Katherine T. Lynch. Funeral services will be held 11:00 AM Thursday at Goldfinch Funeral Home, Conway Chapel. Burial will follow at 4:00 PM at Wateree Baptist Church Cemetery, Camden, SC. The family will receive friends from 6:00 until 8:00 PM Wednesday with a brief wake at 7:00 PM at the funeral home. Memorials may be sent to St. Jude's Children's Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105-2794. Sign a guestbook at www.goldfinchfuneralhome.com Goldfinch Funeral Home, Conway Chapel is serving the family.

Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Dale, it has been 11 years and we think and talk about you often. We still miss you. Rest easy my Friend till we meet again.*

Angela - August 13, 2020 at 04:00 PM



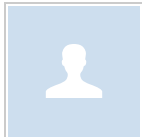
“ *Ms., D.J.& Deegan Mr. Dale was such a wonderful and caring person, in my life . I think of my friend daily, I will keep your family in my prayers... On today Sept 17, 2009 I will celebrate, and always remember my friends Birthday..In honor of Him!! I have learned from Mr. Dale that the greatest discovery in the universe is the greatest Love in the universe-Which is GOD'S LOVE. BE BLESSED!##imported-begin##Regina Goodman##imported-end##*

September 17, 2009 at 09:04 AM



“ *Deborah, DJ, and Deegan, We were so very sorry to hear of Dale's passing. You will be in our thoughts and prayers in the days ahead.##imported-begin##Dawn and Dennie Lewis##imported-end##*

August 26, 2009 at 02:45 PM



“ *with reget to here of your family loss our loss is heavens gain.##imported-begin##van h and nancy johnson##imported-end##*

August 25, 2009 at 04:28 PM



“ To the Family, We are so sorry for your lost and will continue to keep you all in our prayers.##imported-begin##Dewayne & Gervonia Manning##imported-end##

August 23, 2009 at 11:51 PM



“ Deborah, DJ and Deegan, We were so sorry to hear about Dale. You and the kids have been in our prayers, and will we continue to pray for you guys. God Bless! Debbie & Jeff##imported-begin##Jeff & Debbie Chapman##imported-end##

August 23, 2009 at 06:16 PM



“ Dear Deborah, Our thoughts and prayers are with you during this time of loss. Dale was an inspiration to us and truly a great author and friend. Kaitlyn is praying for Deegan and T.J.Please keep in touch. In christain love, Ed, Suzanne and Kaitlyn Jaeger##imported-begin##ed and suzanne jaeger##imported-end##

August 22, 2009 at 11:33 AM



“ I could not believe it when I saw it on the news. My sister showed me some old photos of Dale. He will be missed. God really used him in a very special way.Just take ONE day at a tme.##imported-begin##Keith Holden##imported-end##

August 21, 2009 at 06:10 PM



“ Dear friend even though we had not been in touch lately you taught me a to value life a long time ago and many many other lessons that will never be forgotten.I am a better man for having known you. I thank God for including me in you life. Rest now..rest ..Marion###imported-begin###Marion Baker###imported-end##

August 21, 2009 at 03:45 PM



“ Hudson family I am truly sorrow. I watched Dale grow during my years attending Wateree Baptist church into a fine outstanding young man. I followed his accomplishments through out his career and was proud to have watched his beginning. He will be missed by his family and his many friends all over the world. I will cherish those memories of Dale, and Hudson family you all will be in my thoughts and prayers as you adjust to his absence.###imported-begin###Charles Dixon###imported-end##

August 21, 2009 at 09:49 AM



“ Dale, we miss you, already! Karen and Billy Hills###imported-begin###Billy and Karen Hills###imported-end##

August 20, 2009 at 09:04 PM



“ dear debra, I was so sorry to hear of Dale's passing...I know how difficult this time is for you...I,too,have lost three very much loved ones in the past two years...I don't need to tell you that your souls are still linked and God will comfort you and yours until you all meet again...you are in my prayers and thoughts...Your portrait artist,diana neville knowles###imported-begin###diana neville knowles###imported-end##

August 20, 2009 at 08:04 PM



“ Debbie, D.J., and Deegan, You are in my thoughts and prayers during this terribly sad time. May God lift you up, hold you close, and comfort you as you mourn Dale's loss. Lots of love, hugs, and prayers.##imported-begin##Sallie Sasser Glover##imported-end##

August 20, 2009 at 07:02 PM



“ To Hudson family we were so sorry to hear of your loss. You are in our thoughts and prays. May God's peace and love be with you all during your time of sorrow.##imported-begin##Sara Ruth Baker Vaughn & brother Geroge (Mack) Baker##imported-end##

August 20, 2009 at 03:58 PM



“ Dale will be truly missed. My prayers are with the family, so that they will find strength in this difficult time.##imported-begin##Stephanie French##imported-end##

August 20, 2009 at 09:51 AM



“ To the Hudson Family, Words can't begin to express how our hearts are broken. Had it not been for for Dale, I don't think my Dad would have ever made it to church. He had a SUPER youth program, he had folks paying attention in church, and the attendance was way up. He was a very soft spoken preacher but it worked for him. We Loved Him so much. I know he's in Heaven with Dad now. He won't be forgotten..... Eddie Baker, Bethany Baptist Church, Bishopville, S.C.##imported-begin##Carolyn, Eddie, and Rhonda Baker##imported-end##

August 20, 2009 at 12:42 AM



“ To all of the Hudson family our thoughts and prayers are with you. Dale was a great guy. We went to CHS with him and I played football with him. May God give you peace during this difficult time.##imported-begin##Wayne and Patty Rogers##imported-end##

August 19, 2009 at 08:23 PM



“ Dale was an incredible help to me when my mother came to Pinedale in Conway as an Alzheimer's patient until it was time for her to move on. His sincerity and concern could not be doubted. Thanks Dale, you will be missed by many. JB##imported-begin##JB##imported-end##

August 19, 2009 at 07:05 PM

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I have a picture of the first book that Dale wrote. He gave it to me 9 30 99. He wrote Paulette (that is my name) I hope you enjoy the book. Good luck to you in the future and he numbered it #42 . Maybe the family would like to have this. I do not know what the number means but maybe the family would like to have this, I just recently found it as I put it in a frame and to save it to see if someday he became famous. I just look Dale up and learned of the tragic new. If you are interested I can mail it to you paulettematthews@hotmail.com

Paulette Matthews - August 08, 2022 at 10:35 AM



“ a true childhood friend,i thought of dale often.an inspiration to me and so many others. he will always be in my thoughts. this world has lost a wonderful person.##imported-begin##skeeter hinson##imported-end##

August 19, 2009 at 06:52 PM



“ sorry for your loss##imported-begin##Caroline Staton##imported-end##

August 19, 2009 at 04:37 PM



“ Thinking of you and praying for you.##imported-begin##Sherry Harrelson##imported-end##

August 19, 2009 at 04:23 PM



“ Deborah, DJ, and Deegan, Our thoughts and prayers are with you as you go through this difficult period. Dale was a true friend to all and will be missed very much. He dedicated his life to helping people and through his coaching, he was an inspiration to many young people and his memory will live through them. We love you, John and Becky Robitaille and Family##imported-begin##John and Becky Robitaille##imported-end##

August 19, 2009 at 04:14 PM



“ Dale was such an inspiration to everyone he met. He will be dearly missed. My heart goes out to the family. I am keeping you in my prayers.##imported-begin##Krystal Rogers##imported-end##

August 19, 2009 at 04:13 PM



“ May he rest in peace.##imported-begin##Steven Long, Author##imported-end##

August 19, 2009 at 03:38 PM



“ To All of the Hudson Family, Please know that you all are in our thoughts and prayers during this most difficult time. May God bring you peace and understanding.##imported-begin##Gene and Sue Hornsby##imported-end##

August 19, 2009 at 03:25 PM



“ Deborah, all your family, we'er sorry about your loss. Dale, I remember him from school and he was always differant, by that meaning that, that he always had a smile on his face and such a sweet person. I went to school also with Cathy And Phil. Our hearts go out to you and you are in our prayers. he was such a loveable person and I'm sure he will be missed. I would always asked Cathy, about you and Dale and all your family. We love you very much. You know right now your heart is breaking,but, you will see him again on the other side, if we know the Lord Jesus. Love much,
Vivian##imported-begin##Vivian (Dorman) Rampey##imported-end##

August 19, 2009 at 03:20 PM



“ Our hearts & Prayers go out to Kathrine and the whole family. He was a great man.##imported-begin##Earl Tollison##imported-end##

August 19, 2009 at 02:44 PM



“ From the first time Dale came into our office,we became fast friends,we loved to hear his stories and about his next task at hand..He will be missed & we would like to express our deepest sympathy to Dale's Family you are in our Prayers..##imported-begin##Nancy & Bob Altman##imported-end##

August 19, 2009 at 02:04 PM



“ Dale was an extraordinary man. Debbie, DJ, Deegan, and family members, our prayers go out to all of you. George and Susie Goldfinch##imported-begin##Susie Goldfinch##imported-end##

August 19, 2009 at 12:53 PM



“ DALE WAS MY YOUTH PASTOR AT WATEREE BAPTIST CHURCH FOR MANY YEARS. HE WAS ALWAYS SO MUCH FUN. HE WOULD TAKE ALL THE YOUTH TO LAKE WATEREE FOR WEEKENDS BUT HE ALWAYS HAD US DO A BIBLE STUDY WHILE WE WERE THERE. HE ALSO MARRIED JAMES AND I ON MARCH 13, 1976 AT WATEREE BAPTIST CHURCH. HE WILL BE MISSED. DALE, WE LOVE YOU. OUR PRAYERS ARE WITH YOUR FAMILY.##imported-begin##JEANNIE AND JAMES RABON##imported-end##

August 19, 2009 at 12:27 PM



“ We were saddened to hear about Dale. Please know that your family will be in our thoughts and prayers.##imported-begin##Jerry & Kathy Owens##imported-end##

August 19, 2009 at 12:21 PM



“ Debbie I am so sorry for your sudden loss of Dale. My heart breaks for you and your family. I know you are a strong person and you all are in my prayers. Love Sherry##imported-begin##Sherry Hickey Smith##imported-end##

August 19, 2009 at 11:22 AM



“ Dale will be missed by many. He has always had a place in my heart. When we lost our grandson he was there for me. He would talk to me no matter what time I needed to talk day or night. I have always looked forward to the next book to come out. I have them all. You will still remain in our prayers.##imported-begin##Billy and Sheryl Johson##imported-end##

August 19, 2009 at 10:49 AM



“ Hudson Family, In sympathy for the loss of your dear son, husband, brother, and father. I am a classmate of Dale from the class of 1970 (black female) that during that time of choosing to go to a white school by choice, I have fond memories of Dale. He was always kind to me and kept a smile for everyone. When I think of my days at CHS I think of Dale Hudson. So dry up your tears, Dale's work on earth is done, well done and he is now with Our Father, Jesus Christ his maker. Love and Sympathy##imported-begin##Dianne Council Mills##imported-end##

August 19, 2009 at 09:53 AM



“ How blessed I have been to work for and know Dale Hudson through Southern Cross. He was always kind, compassionate, and loving toward everyone. He will be missed by all who knew him. My thoughts and my prayers are with you, his family, who were the reason that he lived such a successful life. I feel that I have lost a friend, mentor, boss, and one of the most special persons that I have ever known. May his memory live forever in all of our hearts and may we strive for the goal that he achieved when he went Home to Heaven.##imported-begin##Catherine Enzor##imported-end##

August 19, 2009 at 09:38 AM



“ Dale and I graduated from CHS together. He always treated everyone the same - No one was any better than the other person! I didn't realize Dale had accomplished so much in life - however, I am not surprised. God truly has taken home a wonderful person. May the family always remember the good times and be thankful for having such a devoted husband, father, son, brother and leader. Nel Pierson##imported-begin##Nel O. Pierson##imported-end##

August 19, 2009 at 09:34 AM



“ DALE WAS SUCH A GREAT PERSON. HE AND DEBBIE WERE ANGELS SENT TO ME AT A TIME IN MY LIFE WHEN I NEEDED ONE. GOD MUST HAVE NEEDED DALE FOR SOMETHING ELSE. DEBBIE YOU AND THE KIDS ARE IN MY PRAYERS. I'LL NEVER FORGET DALE FOR THE LOVE HE SHOWED TO ME.##imported-begin##AMANDA HEWITT##imported-end##

August 19, 2009 at 09:28 AM



“ My deepest sympathy goes out to the Hudson family. Dale will be remembered as a caring and giving person. The time he devoted to coaching sports and teaching sportsmanship will not be forgotten. Rest in peace.##imported-begin##Steve Marinaro##imported-end##

August 19, 2009 at 09:19 AM



“ I first met Dale when he opened Pine Dale Residential Center in Conway; from that moment we began a lasting friendship. Dale was a man of integrity, commitment, dedication, love of community, love of family, and love of GOD. His consistent example touch many people and I am one of those. As we coached baseball together, same team and against, he always reenforced that no matter the score we all win by how we play. To me this is how Dale lived his life; no matter the score it's all good, we still win. I truely believe that his joy and peace came from GOD as he and I shared many times our faith. He was an inspiration to me, thank-you Dale. Deborah, DJ, and Deegan; Margie and I will always be available for you and we will be praying for you. GOD bless you and give you peace through this time of sorrow, but have faith and joy that Dale/your father is in heaven.##imported-begin##Marty Johnson##imported-end##

August 19, 2009 at 09:05 AM



“ Deborah, DJ & Deegan, Dale was a true southern gentleman! He had a way of making others feel special. He was always kind at heart. Dale loved his family and was very proud of them. He will be greatly missed. My prayers are with you. Kay @ Dr. Findleys##imported-begin##Kay Epps##imported-end##

August 19, 2009 at 09:02 AM



“ I remember the first time I met Dale at his home, he was wearing an Easter Bunny outfit. Deborah had invited my children & I to a wonderful Easter Egg Hunt. I knew he was a wonderful father & husband to dress up & act like the Easter Bunny for the children.##imported-begin##Robin Robinson##imported-end##

August 19, 2009 at 07:54 AM



“ I knew Dale at Anderson College. He was a year ahead of me, and a great encourager, as I started my college journey. He had a good soul. May God keep his family in the palm of His hand.##imported-begin##Walter Durst##imported-end##

August 19, 2009 at 07:09 AM



“ Praying for your wife and kids.. Dale you were such an amazing person.. I remember all our talks and how much you encouraged me.. You gave me my first job at Pinedale when I was 14, and really saw the hard work I tried to do at a early age.. You meant a lot to me and will be missed so much.. I still have my framed, signed copy of the book cover you presented me with of an Hour To Kill.. Thank You for all that you have done for so many.. Love you and your family.. I know they are so heart broken.. Missed forever.. Tiffany##imported-begin##Tiffany Richardson Martin##imported-end##

August 19, 2009 at 02:21 AM



“ Dear Deborah, DJ, and Deegan, May your strong faith in God help you cope with this sudden tragic loss. We are so fortunate to have known him and will miss him. The good times and laughs we shared in NC summer of '08 with Dale and the basketball team will be cherished forever. He loved his family above all things and with no doubt, will continue to watch over you from up above. May God bless you all!##imported-begin##Pat, Steve, Elizabeth and Alec Marinaro##imported-end##

August 19, 2009 at 12:27 AM



“ *Not forgotten. We love you. Lewis & family*##imported-begin##*Lewis b Robertson*##imported-end##

August 18, 2009 at 10:43 PM



“ *My thoughts and prayers are with you at this time. Mr. Dale touched so many lives in so many ways. His smile and words would always keep you going even on a bad day. We will miss him as a boss but most importantly as a friend. May God assist you in your healing and keep you strong. With love in Christ*##imported-begin##*Christy Ybarra*##imported-end##

August 18, 2009 at 10:28 PM



“ *The obituary says a lot about Dale and his life. He was a remarkable person that touched many people during his life. We all attended Wateree Baptist Church in Camden and had the opportunity of many fine christian people to begin shaping our life. I think this training was the beginning of what shaped Dale and me into what we became later in life. The most touching thing that Dale did for me was to marry my wife Jean and me on August 30, 1975. As lately, my Dad is at Pinedale in Camden which if possible because of Dale and the Hudson family. In closing, Dale will be missed by all, but he has touched us all in so many ways.*##imported-begin##*Mike and Jean Eddings*##imported-end##

August 18, 2009 at 10:00 PM



“ Deborah & Children, We were saddened to hear the news about Dale. Please know you are in our prayers and thoughts. Lean on the Lord and allow him to comfort you. We are so sorry for your deep loss.##imported-begin##Louis & Sheila Barton##imported-end##

August 18, 2009 at 09:16 PM



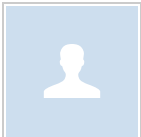
“ Dale's passing is so sad and so tragic. But God called him and God must have a reason. Dale was such a remarkable person, very loving and kind. My memories of Dale in high school and sports will always be with me as well as at Wateree Baptist.##imported-begin##Beverly Robinson Brown##imported-end##

August 18, 2009 at 08:35 PM



“ Much Sympathy from the Elms family. Jay, Kathleen, Shannon and Kerry##imported-begin##Kathleen Elms##imported-end##

August 18, 2009 at 08:32 PM



“ Deborah, DJ and Deegan, Please accept my heartfelt sympathy over the loss of your loving husband and father. I came to know Dale as my son Cole's coach for baseball and then basketball. Cole was quite new to each sport and Dale welcomed him with open arms and made him feel like an integral part of the team. As a parent, I will remain eternally grateful for Coach Dale's patience and nurturing attitude. He is truly one of the finest men that I've ever had the pleasure of knowing. God Bless you all. The Huthers##imported-begin##Steve Huther##imported-end##

August 18, 2009 at 08:31 PM



“ *Mr. Dale was an outstanding person. More people in this world should be like him. He was caring, compassionate, loyal friend. He loved life, family, friends, and his employees. He will be greatly missed. To me, he was my friend for life. He helped me in ways he will never know and words will never be able to express the feelings that he brought out of people. He brought the best out of all people, no matter what race, social class, or etc. He treated everyone the same. He taught me alot about the Mental Health Field that I will take with me. I will never forget all those laughs we had. I learned so much from him, he was the WORLD'S GREATEST BOSS. As a Southern Cross Mental Health Centers employee, I am proud to call Dale my Boss. No one will ever replace you. I will miss him very much. My prayers are with DJ and Deegan. I would like for them to know that they were their Daddy's World. Always remember He loves you two very much.##imported-begin##Angela Ward##imported-end##*

August 18, 2009 at 07:50 PM



“ DALE AND I BECAME CLOSE FRIENDS I GUESS FROM THE TIME WE COULD WALK AND TALK. HE WAS MY "BACKDOOR" NEIGHBOR AND MY DEAREST FRIEND FOR MANY, MANY YEARS. WE STILL KEPT IN TOUCH OVER THE YEARS. I WILL REALLY MISS HIM. HE ALWAYS TALKED ABOUT HIS WONDERFUL WIFE AND CHILDREN. HE SANG PRAISES OF WHAT A WONDERFUL WIFE AND MOTHER DEBORAH WAS. TO HIM HIS CHILDREN WERE PERFECT. HE LOVED HIM MOM, PHIL, KATHY AND THE REST OF THE FAMILY. TO HIM HIS FAMILY WAS SO IMPORTANT. I CANNOT IMAGINE LIFE WITHOUT HIM, BUT HE LEAVES MANY WONDERFUL MEMORIES. MY PRAYERS AND THOUGHTS ARE WITH ALL OF YOU AS YOU GO THROUGH THIS VERY DIFFICULT TIME. MAY GOD GIVE YOU COMFORT. TERESA MOZINGO###imported-begin##TERESA MOZINGO###imported-end##

August 18, 2009 at 07:28 PM



“ We will miss you very much.###imported-begin##Lori & Mark Hipps###imported-end##

August 18, 2009 at 05:22 PM



“ My prayer always will be with Hudson family.Dale we are going miss you, and all the kids you coach are going to miss you as well. Jean, Johnny and Danny Saad###imported-begin##Jean P. Saad###imported-end##

August 18, 2009 at 12:00 PM



“ Dale will be missed deeply. I had the pleasure of knowing him as he worked on his books at the library. My thoughts and prayers go out to the family.##imported-begin##Karen Nobles##imported-end##

August 18, 2009 at 09:50 AM



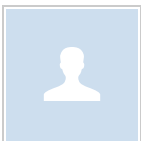
“ I was deeply saddened to hear of Dale's death he was a friend to both me and the community he lived. I know he will be missed and your family must seem lost at this point know that God will get you through this he is the only answer. Know that I will keep you and your family in my prayers and that Dale is in a better place.##imported-begin##Bill Knowles##imported-end##

August 18, 2009 at 09:40 AM



“ Deborah, DJ and Deegan, Dale had a remarkable way of encouraging every soul he came in contact with. He left such an upbeat, positive thumbprint on every person he met. He was a true southern gentlemen in every sense of the word. My family will be praying for you through this very difficult season and we grieve with you during this heavy loss- Jama Halvorsen (employee)##imported-begin##Jama Halvorsen##imported-end##

August 18, 2009 at 09:24 AM



“ Please know you are in our thoughts and prayers. Dale was so wonderful in so many ways. Your family always made us feel so welcome in your home for all the children's parties. Dale will be truly missed by many.##imported-begin##Terri and Christopher Hayman##imported-end##

August 18, 2009 at 08:05 AM



“ You are in our thoughts and prayers. (Kim Martin's in laws)##imported-begin##Jan & Jimmy Sheely##imported-end##

August 18, 2009 at 08:03 AM



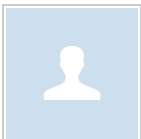
“ Dale will be missed by many, You are in our thoughts and prayers.##imported-begin##Debbie Molter##imported-end##

August 18, 2009 at 07:55 AM



“ Dear Hudson Family, May each of you find comfort in knowing that God is "near to those that are broken at heart; and those who are crushed in spirit he saves." (Psalm 34;18) He has promised to soon "swallow up death forever...and wipe the tears from all faces." (Isaiah 25;8) Take care,##imported-begin##valerie thompson##imported-end##

August 17, 2009 at 08:57 PM



“ Please know that our thoughts and prayers are with you all at this difficult time. Although I didn't know Dale really well, I always found him to be absolutely devoted to his family, with an engaging way about him. If there is anything we can do for you at this tragic time, please let us know.##imported-begin##Robert J. Swanson##imported-end##

August 17, 2009 at 05:18 PM



“ We will always miss you !!!##imported-begin##Kim, David & Hayleigh Martin##imported-end##

August 17, 2009 at 04:45 PM



“ We are praying for your family. We will miss Dale very much at all of our kids sporting events. We will be there to cheer on DJ! You are in our thoughts and prayers. The Young's##imported-begin##The Young's##imported-end##

August 17, 2009 at 04:38 PM