



Joey Eugene West

November 26, 1971 - September 7, 2011

Joey Eugene West, 39, of Laurel, died Wednesday, September 7, 2011 in Laurel. Graveside services will be held at 11 am Saturday, September 10, 2011 at Erata Cemetery in Jones County. Rev. Gerald Sawyer will officiate. He was of the Pentecostal faith and served in the U. S. Army in Iraq. He was preceded in death by his mother, Myrtis West. Survivors include his father, Henry West and step-mother, Velma West of Laurel; and other family member. Memory Chapel of Laurel is in charge of the arrangements.

Tribute Wall

RB

“ Joey was an old school freind of mine. We attended school together from 1st thru 12th. I was lucky enough to speak with him a couple of times through the years after school but not nearly enough. He was a fine person and I thank him for his service to his country. He will be missed. My prayers are with you.

randall berry - September 16, 2011 at 08:38 AM

MA

“ Mr. West was a classmate of mine at jcjc. he seemed like a good kind hearted man and shared several life stories with the class. he will be missed. Prayers are with his loved ones.

Michaela Allen - September 12, 2011 at 05:50 PM

SD

“ It saddens me to hear of your loss. He always spoke of his father and mother. Always concerned of their health. I was SPC West's First Sergeant during his tenure at Fort Rucker, AL. SPC West was a kind Soldier and person. He always placed others needs above his own. He will be greatly missed.
SGM Dumont-Carrion

SGM Rosalba Dumont-Carrion - September 11, 2011 at 02:00 PM

PC

“ I met SPC West at Fort Rucker, and he was always the first to lend a hand and more than once, he dropped everything he was doing to help me out. I'll miss you Joey.

Patrick Collins - September 10, 2011 at 01:34 PM

SJ

“ I'm so very sorry. He was a good man, and a fine soldier. I was shocked when I heard. God be with him, and may god be with you all during this time.

SGT Matthew James - September 10, 2011 at 11:40 AM

SD

“ SPC West will truly be missed. His warm heart and compassion for others will never be forgotten. I am proud to have served with him and send my condolences to family and friends.

SSG Antoinette Dingle - September 09, 2011 at 09:11 PM

JS

“ I had the honor of serving with Joey while he was at Fort Rucker. He was a good Soldier and more importantly a good friend. He was a kind a giving person, and I consider myself blessed to have known him. I am so sorry for your loss. My thoughts and prayers go out to your family.

James Smith - September 09, 2011 at 05:38 PM

MS

“ Joey was my "big bro" and we were best friends. We met when he was stationed in Bremerton, WA in the Navy. Though we didn't get to see each other as much as we'd like, we had a bond that distance overlooked. He would call and tell me both the good & bad, & I was the only one that he'd truly took grief from, knowing it was done in love. He was an amazing man of God, and it saddens me so much to imagine life w/o him. I was really blessed to know him, and have the treasured memories to cherish. My kids were his neices, and he adored them. We were looking forward to seeing each other next year when he came to visit us, and see his neice play as a senior in High School. My deepest & most sincere condolences to the family. We'll all miss him!

Michele Simdars - September 09, 2011 at 01:39 PM

GS

“ Joey served with me in Alameda Ca. Both in ministry and in the military. He was a friend, a good friend and the world will not be the same without him.. I am sorry for your loss, i can't with to see him in Heaven...

Greg Sadler - September 09, 2011 at 01:11 PM