



Alexander Grant

August 20, 1986 - June 10, 2007

Alexander Johnathan Wesley Grant "AJ", 20, Bismarck, passed away at his home. Services will be held at 1:00 pm Thursday at Parkway Funeral Service, Bismarck, with Chaplain Dan Sweeney officiating. There will be no visitation as cremation has taken place. AJ was born in Bismarck to Tim and Barb Grant. He grew up in Bismarck and attended Jeannette Myhre and Wachter Junior High. AJ was currently working for Jacobson Distributing as a delivery driver. He enjoyed many sports with wrestling being his favorite. He also enjoyed four-wheeling, cruising in his Honda Prelude or Lincoln Continental, tattoos, hunting, and UFC. AJ was a lover of animals especially his dogs, Jack, Mya, and Keysha and Pfatt. AJ loved his daughters deeply and he will be missed greatly by many friends. AJ is survived by his mother, Barb Grant of Bismarck, ND; his dad, Marlon Schwartz of Mandan, ND; his pops, Ray Kershaw of Bismarck, ND; his fiance, Erika Galster of Bismarck, ND, and two daughters, Alyssa of Fargo, ND, and Skyler of Bismarck, ND; his siblings, Kristen, Ty, Jerry, and Jason, all of Bismarck, ND, and Jacob of Philadelphia, PA; his grandfather, Ron Humel Sr. Audre Thompson of Garrison, ND; his grandmother and grandfather, Carol and John Walter of Hazen, ND; and many aunts, uncles, and cousins. AJ was preceded in death by his father, Tim Grant; his grandmother, Elma Grant; and his great-grandparents. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be sent to a trust fund being established for AJ's children.

Tribute Wall

JW

“ I never knew this was here. I was randomly searching Google and some how found this. I am in tears as I read everyone's comments, and as I write mine. I can not believe it has been almost five year. There isn't a day that goes by that I don't think of him, I dream about him and the times we had. He was my brother I never had, and an amazing person and friend. I remember all the times that myself, AJ, Travis, peeps, Jason, Jesse, Jake, Dustin spent together almost daily. I miss those days and all the amazing times that we had. I got the pleasure of being around AJ the last couple days, and I never felt so close to him. He was there for me through many things, and even if we bickered we still were there for eachother. Seeing skylar now brings a tear to my eye as I see so much of him in her. I could go on about him forever. I can not explain the hole that has been left in my life without him around. I still go over and visit ray and barb from time to time and it always brings a tear to my eye. AJ, I love you and miss you dearly. You were a part of me and always will be. Il see you on the other side, brother.

Jason White - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JK

“*Jessie: I'll miss your smile and the way you gave me a hard time when I'd see you. I'll miss going to the desert with you and how you would bug me about taking my jeep off roading. You weren't just my soon to be brother-in-law, you were also my friend and I will miss you dearly. Jason: I'll miss you being my co-pilot when I go street racing, you were with me every race, every win, every loss. I'll always remember the times we had at my graveyard job, the Oatmeal Cream pie challenges, the burn out contests and the go kart races, you were there almost everynight. We had a lot of good times bro. You were also into a few video games and we have set up tributes for you on there respective websites. You not only touched the lives in ND but around the world. May you rest in peace where ever you are brother. Missed but never forgotten.*”

Jason Kershaw - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

KI

“*AJ you will be missed by all those that knew you. To all your family and friends: remember he is always with you and watching over you.*”

Kacie Iglehart - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

DM

“*I send my dearest condolences and sympathy to the entire family. Although I didn't know AJ personally, he was a great friend, and a great man. My prayers are with all of you, and I hope that you will stay strong through this tough time.*”

Dan Malagari - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

AW

“*My prayers are with you. If you need anything let me know. A.J. will be deeply missed.*”

Amber Wilkie - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

ML

“ AJ worked in my restaurant about 6 years ago. He was a joy to be around, always funny and willing to help out. My condolences go out to his family - especially his mom, his fiance and his kids - who unfortunatly will never know the extent of what a kind and generous person AJ was. It was a pleasure knowing him.

Melissa Long - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

CJ

“ Barbie, Wow, this news was heart wrenching when Regina told me today on the phone. I will keep you in my prayers, as only the grace that the Lord can give you, and the support of your family and friends will help you each and every minute, today, to the next week. I will be there on Thursday. Coralee

Coralee Johnson - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

ZB

“ I didnt know AJ as AJ i knew him as "Q." i NEVER thought this would ever happen to him. He always seemed to be a calm nice guy to me. i hope that wherever Q is now he is happy and will remember me.

Zach Babineau - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

LI

“ It's really hard, and I still can't believe I will be going to say good bye in a couple hours. I will always remember the good times we had, and all the smiles you put on my face no matter how mad I was at things. It never mattered what we were doing, or where we had a blast! You were a great person AJ, rest in peace.. I will always think about you, until I see you again.

Lisa - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

RM

“ I have never worked with a kid with as big a smile as A.J. I wish I could've seen him lately. Know he, and you are in my thoughts.
Rocky Metzger

Rocky Metzger - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

CG

“ Alexander Grant

Craig and Barb Goody - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

TG

“ I went to school with AJ both at Jeanette Myre and Wachter Middle School He was a cool kid to hang around and always has something funny to say about something i loved hanging out with him at school even though he liked to pick on me but it was always in fun and games no hard feelings i will miss AJ alot and the jokes and stories he used to tell so god bless him and may he be safe up in heaven.

Tracy Germain - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

RZ

“ Barb and Ray Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. I meet AJ threw his currant job. He was a great guy and will be deeply missed by all of us at Dans Bakery. He brought joy to each of us each and every day. In your time of sorrow, May God give you the strength and the hope to meet each new tomorrow.

Randy And Tammy Zimmerman - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

SM

“ You are in my prayers. I am deeply sorry for your loss!!!!

Shea Martinez - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JG

“ He will be greatly missed. He brought laughter to everyone's life. He could make you smile when you were down. I know he is in a good place and life will go on but he will never be forgotten and missed. AJ your in my prayers and thoughts. MAY PEACE BE WITH YOU.

JeriAnne Galusha - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

KK

“ I am very sorry for your loss. Your family is in my thoughts and prayers, and I wish you the best of luck to continue and move forward through these hard times.

Karl K. - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

LL

“ well A.J. i dont know what to say except that i will never forget you.you were my little brother to me and i will always miss and love more then you can imagine.

Leon Just L.D - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

MA

“ I am so sorry to hear about AJ. I met him through work. I looked forward to seeing him everyday. We gave each other a bad time and made each other laugh. I will truly miss him. God Bless You Mary

Mary - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

TS

“ Hey, I did not know AJ very personally as we played alot of online games together. He was such a good person and so fun to have around, i`m gonna miss ya Q. All the good times in eS are now just memories...Seeya on the other side buddy!

Thomas "Tom" Sears - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

YO

“ AJ, I remember a time when I was going through a very bad part of my life and you helped me through it with just one long talk. i wish i could have done the same for you. You will be greatly missed by many and never forgotten.

Yolanda - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

AS

“ Aj I miss u sooo much. Thanks for always being there when i needed you, and helping me through all the hard times. I miss the way we used to fight and argue and the way you told me you were going to beat up any boys who looked at me. We always had a tight bond, and when there was something wrong with one of us, we wouldnt have to say anything..we'd just know. Oh my goodness...I cant believe you're gone. I miss you like crazy. Please watch over your beautiful daughters, Erika, Ty, and Mom and Ray, and even me. Im happy you're in a better place, and I forgive you. I love you always and forever. You will always be in my heart. Take Care.

Ashley - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

ML

“ To the family of AJ:I am very sad to hear about the loss of your son, grandson, fiance, father, and friend. It is clear to me that he will be greatly missed.

Marylou Leintz - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

MT

“ AJ, you picked on me when we were kids, then you picked on me as we got older. But anytime I needed a friend, you were there. You had a kind heart, and open arms. I will always remember our trip out to the desert @ 12am and it was sooo cold out and you said you were a "tough guy" that could handle the cold water, so I went in, and you ran to the car.... I have never laughed so hard!!! I was with you when you got your memorial tattoo of your dad, and you told me that you wished he were still here....well I am wishing you were still here. You will be greatly missed, and you were deeply loved. My thoughts and prayers go out to AJ's family.

Melissa Tidball - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM



“ i just wanted to add that im sorry that im not there for these hard times for everyone especially A.J.'s family. I know you all say its ok but its not ok i should be there for everyone and it killing me inside knowing that i cant be there for everyone. i love and miss you all very much.

March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JW

“ AJ you were a great and funny guy who was the life of the party. Everyone will miss you dearly and I hope your in a better place. But, I do wish you were still here with all of us to make us laugh. Just remember the Wilkie's love and miss you.

Jennifer Engelhardt Wilkie - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

KF

“ Alexander Grant

Kathy Heimbuch Family - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

HW

“ I Always thought of AJ as a big brother, he was always fun and very kind. I really enjoyed getting to know, whenever I was around him it always put a smile on my face. He always used to tease me by calling my mom his mom I always would tease him right back by saying "I don't want you as a brother." But the truth is I did, he was such a wonderful person and I will miss him so very much and he will always and forever be in my heart and mind. Heather White

Heather White - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JS

“ Q you were a good friend. Your life was short too short i wish you were still here. I wish your family the best of luck and you to rest in peace

Josh Stuck swartage - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

TR

“ i melissa use to work with AJ at Mak's BBQ I remember him and my husband wrestling we had a blast. Sorry to the family about your lost.

tre and melissa ronde - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

CG

“ Barbie we are so sorry about AJ. We didn't really know him but I know that he will be missed. If you need to talk to someone about this please call. My brother died at 20 from the same thing. I know it is not the same as lossing a child but I know how it hurts. Our prayer are with you and if you just need a shoulder to cry on I am here for you. It sounds like he was a good person and had a good life even though it was cut short. God bless and take care. Barb goody

Craig and Barb Goody - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

MN

“ I didn't really know AJ that well I guess. But I worked with him for a while at Wal-Mart and had quite a few laughs. The first time I think I ever really talked with him was when he was pulling merchandise out on the floor and misjudged his distance, knocking over my entire shoe display. We got a pretty good laugh out of it. Or there was the time that he walked up to me and told me to give him 4 bucks for cigarettes and then was shocked when I told him sure. He had a great smile and a wicked sense of humor. He will be greatly missed by anyone who came in contact with him! My thoughts and prayers are with all of his family and friends.

Maleah Nelsen - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

SJ

“ I'm so sorry to hear of the loss of your son. I hope you are doing well and if there is anything I can do for you, please let me know. You are in my thoughts and prayers.

Shannon Jahner - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

KC

“ We would like to express our condolences for your great loss , AJ will be missed by all who knew and loved him we are truly sorry.

Keith and ViAnn Collingwood - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

WN

“ I will always remember AJ's handsome smile and polite manner every time he greeted me in the hallway at Myhre Elementary School. My thoughts and prayers are with you during this time of sorrow. Mrs. Nelson

Willie Nelson - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

KG

“ To all AJ's family & friends My thoughts and prayers go out to you. He was a great person. He will always have a place in all of our hearts. May God be with each and everyone of you in this time of sorrow. He will be missed greatly. Kim Goehring

kim goehring - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

LS

“ AJ, you will be greatly missed and loved by many. You were so kind at heart. my thoughts and prayers go to you and your family.

Lilly Sisco - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JE

“ Alexander Grant

Joel Ellenbecker - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

AG

“ I would like to send out my sympathy to my cousin Erika and all of AJ's family and friends. My thoughts are with all of you. I am sorry I can't be there but you are in my heart. Erika, I am here for you if you ever need someone to talk to. I am sorry I couldn't be there for you but I am thinking of you and you are in my heart and my prayers. I love you very much and God is always there to help you and to talk to. I love you and I am here for you. your cousin, Amanda

Amanda Galster - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

BE

“ my thoughts and prayers are with you and your family AJ you and my son LD used to drive me crazy with your pranks i will miss that alot !!!!! i will miss your laughter take care and God Bless you love always BEa and Jess

Bea - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM