



Stephen D. Brower

June 25, 1969 - February 27, 2013

Stephen D. Brower, 43, Decatur, formerly of Akron, passed away unexpectedly Wednesday, Feb. 27, 2013, at his Decatur residence.

He was born June 25, 1969, in Rochester, to Daniel Brower and Barbara Manns.

He was a 1987 graduate of Tippecanoe Valley High School. He also completed diesel mechanic school in Lima, Ohio. Following his mechanics school, he enlisted in the U.S. Army in 1989, where he served in Kuwait during Desert Storm. After eight years of service, he received his honorable discharge. Due to his military service, he became disabled and was a member of the Disabled American Veterans Association. Stephen enjoyed playing the banjo and bluegrass music. He was a Harley Davidson enthusiast and had most recently been riding within the last year. Stephen participated as a member of the Patriot Guard riders in the ride that escorted the Vietnam Veterans Wall to Marion.

Survivors include one daughter, Aileen Brower, Fayetteville, N.C.; one son, Levi Brower, Rochester; his mother, Barbara Brower, Akron; his father, Daniel A. and wife Wanda Brower, Rochester; one granddaughter, Elizabeth Brower; two brothers, Roger and wife Pam Brower, Akron, and Daniel R. and wife Sarah Brower, Rockwell, Texas; one stepsister, Christy and husband Chris

Vanata Rochester; two stepbrothers, Greg Mow, Rochester, and Gary and wife Becky Mow, Rochester; and several nieces and nephews also survive.

A celebration of life will be held at a later date.

His place of remembrance will be at the Akron Cemetery.

Memorial contributions are open to the donor's choice.

Tribute Wall

DL

“ *To the family of Stephen Brower,*

our family extends our condolences and sympathy for your loss and pray that god will comfort you and give you some peace during your time of need.

David & Viki Lawson & Family

David Lawson - March 06, 2013 at 02:14 PM

AD

“ *With sympathy and caring, may the warm thoughts of those who care about you ease your sadness, May wonderful memories bring comfort to your heart. Bless, Annis*

Annis DeKeyser - March 04, 2013 at 01:18 PM

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“ *Alfred & Sherri Conley lit a candle in memory of Stephen D. Brower*



Alfred & Sherri Conley - March 02, 2013 at 01:51 PM

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Our hearts are heavy today with the loss of a loved one. Barb, Dan, & family, We are so sorry for your loss. May God hold you in his loving arms and give you peace and comfort in this difficult time. Love, Prayers & Blessings.

Alfred & Sherri Conley - March 02, 2013 at 02:03 PM

MW

“ *The world is a little less brighter and heaven got one amazing angel when Steve arrived. I truly loved him from the bottom of my heart. Always a smile and a laugh from him. He was a true and genuine friend and anyone was lucky to call him that! I was so blessed to grow up down the road from him. We rode the same school bus and sometimes got in trouble on that same school bus. May not have seen each other so often but when we did, it was as if it were just yesterday we talked. I will cherish the fact that I was blessed to have him be a part of my life. Thank you for the smiles Steve!!*
Love,
Marilee (Saner) Wires

Marilee (Saner) Wires - March 01, 2013 at 09:48 PM

SM

“ *Dan, Wanda and family,*
Please accept my deepest sympathy. I know what your family must be going thru as my husband's son was killed in a car accident in January of this year. Memories are all we have left, so we must hang onto them and remember what special moments were shared and know that someday we'll all be together again. God Bless,
Suzie Montalvo

Suzie Montalvo - March 01, 2013 at 08:04 AM