



Cori Alsip

July 24, 1989 - December 8, 2008

Cori Alan Alsip, 19, of Gravette, Arkansas, died December 8, 2008, near Tahlequah, Oklahoma. Born July 24, 1989 in Tahlequah, Oklahoma, he was the son of Greg Alsip and Tammy Dotson. He was a graduate of Gentry High School, Gentry, Arkansas. He worked as a pump installer for McReynolds Pump Service. He was a member of the Seventh-day Adventist Church, Gentry, Arkansas. Survivors include his father, Greg Alsip of Gravette, Arkansas; his mother, Tammy Dotson and fiancé Justin McCoy of Colcord, Oklahoma; one brother, Shane Bentz of Colcord, Oklahoma; one sister, Brandi Kidder and husband Rex of Gentry, Arkansas; one niece, Lexie Kidder of Gentry, Arkansas; two nephews, Lukis Bentz and Landin Bentz, both of Colcord, Oklahoma; his paternal grandparents, Tom and Linda Alsip of Gentry, Arkansas; maternal grandparents, Greg and Emma Cripps, of Gentry, Arkansas; and numerous aunts and uncles. Funeral services will be 2:00 p.m. Friday, December 12, 2008, at the Gentry Seventh day Adventist Church, with Pastor Raymond House officiating. Burial will be at Springtown Cemetery, Springtown, Arkansas. Visitation will be 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. Thursday, December 11, 2008, at Wasson Funeral Home, Siloam Springs, Arkansas.

Tribute Wall

MM

“ *I love and miss you Cori Alan.*

Makayla Morrison - September 19, 2012 at 11:28 AM

CH

“ *Greg, can't believe I read this in the paper this morning. We are SO SORRY for your loss. It's been a long time since he was at our home in Siloam, but I remember that. We pray for all of you and wish you well. God Bless you. Janice and Clair*

Clair & Janice Hutton - September 19, 2012 at 11:28 AM

KB

“ *I knew cori, since he was 5 years old, He was like my little brother. I had such good memories with him, I am gonna miss him so much. I know he is in a better place now and God is taking good care of him, and I know he is watching over us. I will always be in my heart no matter what! I miss you Cori Alsip.*

Kay Cox

katie baker - September 19, 2012 at 11:28 AM

SP

“ *Greg, Brandi and Rex,
We are so sorry to hear of your loss,
you are all in our thoughts and prayers. Cori was loved by many and will be missed greatly, the memories will be your greatest comfort in the days, weeks and years to come, embrace them every chance you get. Just know that with time it does become easier. If there is anything we can do for you just let us know...sometimes all it takes is a shoulder. God Bless you all.*

Steve and Frankie Ponder - September 19, 2012 at 11:28 AM

MH

“ Emma and family,
Please know I have you in my thoughts and prayers. I can't say anything that will help the hurt now, but time will heal some of it. I have two grandsons that are the dearest thing on earth to me so I know how you and the other grandmother must feel.
Love you Emma and Tammy

Marilyn

Marilyn Hill - September 19, 2012 at 11:28 AM

AS

“ Cori was a really good friend. He was liked by tons and tons of people all over. I personally didnt know him extremely well i had hung out with him a few time at my parents house. He worked with my dad Kendall Drake and we had alot of bbqs together and cori was always the won that i picked on and he always made me laph. Its a terrible loss for everybody but i am positive that with no questions asked cori went to heaven. So R.I.P bub and we will miss you greatly.

Ashley Nicole Setzer - September 19, 2012 at 11:28 AM

DY

“ *From one grandmother to another:
I have no words of wisdom of my own, except what God's Word has to say. I have not gone through what you are going through and i can't even fathom having my grandsons for 19 years and then go through this. you have a lot of time and your heart invested with Cori. I am so sorry.
In Isa. 57:1,2 it says "The righteous pass away; the Godly often die before their time... God is protecting them from the evil to come. For the Godly who die will rest in peace."
This is for you Linda and Tom: "The Lord is close to the brokenhearted and saves those who are crushed in spirit."
there is a time for weeping and that time is now. God be with you now and always.*

Dona

Dona Young - September 19, 2012 at 11:28 AM

TE

“ *Alsip family - we are so sorry for your tragic loss. Please know that you are all in our thoughts and prayers. May time bring you peace and happy memories to replace your pain.*

Trixie Coffee & Don Evans - September 19, 2012 at 11:28 AM

BH

“ *I am praying for you and your family. I know I don't feel the pain as you do, but I do feel the pain of loss. I truly enjoyed knowing Cori and having him in my classes. Cori was never disrespectful, stubborn maybe, but he was above all else - Cori. We all will miss you.*

Mr. Hinkel

Bob Hinkel - September 19, 2012 at 11:28 AM

PS

“ we were great freinds in school but cori loved to take on rcae from other people around town did hardly every back down from a race we enjoyed working on cars and of all most love working on his brother inlaws race car to go out and have a weekend of fun together cori lived his life day by day cori enjoy spending money but cori lived a great life while he was here and cori will always be in are hearts no matter what cori will never be forgotten he loved his family and all of his freind cori u were the best there ever was we all love u cori alan alsip there will be a day that rex will win the race for u cori

perry sullins smith - September 19, 2012 at 11:28 AM

JE

“ I work with a lot of young girls at the ABC (ALL BOUT CHALK) Center in Gentry and i have seen the sadness around there this week with so many of his friends. Tho i don't know any of you, I wanted to let you know that you are in my thoughts and prayers. I gave Ashton a hug and also Clayton one today and that is for the whole family. My thoughts and prayers go out to each of you and for the Grandmother, please hang in there and know that your precious grandson will want you to stay strong and to know that he is okay. He wouldn't want to be so down and feel the way you do, tho i know it is so hard for us here on earth. God be with you hun and i will pray for you.

Jerri Edgett - September 19, 2012 at 11:28 AM

ST

“ I am so sorry to hear about your tragic loss. thoughts and prayers are with the entire family.
with deepest sypmathy,
the dozier family

Sarah Thompson-Dozier - September 19, 2012 at 11:28 AM

DC

“ Dear Tom and Linda,

Words cannot express how sorry I was to hear about your Cori. I am praying that you will feel God's presence and feel His sustaining hand holding you up as you go through such a difficult time. Be strong and of a good courage. Josh 1:9. Isa 41:10, Fear not for I am with you. You and your family are in my thoughts and prayers.

Donna Cook - September 19, 2012 at 11:28 AM

TB

“ Tom, Linda, Greg, Brandi and family,

I am so very sorry from the bottom of my heart. Linda I read your tribute about the whole in your heart and you feel like you could die. I do understand your pain from losing my father suddenly last year. However I know this is different. There is nothing I can say to comfort you all, I just want you to all know that I am praying for you and my thoughts are with you. I remember Cori being such a fun, energetic little guy running around playing with Matthew and Brandi. I am just so sorry for your loss.

Tarra (Chilson) Boyum - September 19, 2012 at 11:28 AM

MW

“ We want all the family to know you are in our thoughts and prayers. Everytime Cori was at our house he was a very polite and considerate young man. I always enjoyed visiting with him when he was over!!
Praying the Lord will comfort you with His peace....Surround you with His love...and encourage YOU with His presence.

Sincerely, Myra and Marcus Welch

Myra Welch - September 19, 2012 at 11:28 AM

LA

“ I had 5 sons- then I had the wonderful joy of having Brandi and Cori. My Grandchildren lived with me for a lot of years, but the rest of my life in my heart. Cori knew he was my baby-I told him so and it made him smile. He was such an easy child to raise. He did what I asked, and he asked for little! Maybe Chicken and dumplings, and pumpkin pie. He always hugged me when he came over and told me he loved me. On that day he was over and ate lunch, talked awhile and hugged and kissed me goodbye and said I love you Grandma like he always did. He often came in and set in grandpas lap. He helped us whenever we needed him. I feel like I have a hole in my heart that will never be filled. I'm bleeding out slowly and I might die. God please help me through these next 2 days. I know you love him even more than I do, but I wish we could have had him a little longer. I'll love you forever- and I LOVE YOU THE MOST CORI. Grandma

Linda Alsip - September 19, 2012 at 11:28 AM

BA

“ We are both deeply saddened to hear about Cori. We are praying for the family. God bless you!

Brad & Stacy Arnold - September 19, 2012 at 11:28 AM

BK

“ What a shock! No, I can't put my mind around it as I cannot even imagine the pain you are feeling as parents and grandparents! We certainly do not understand the curve balls thrown into our lives at times when we least expect. Just want you to know, we care so much. Jim, Bella and I will not be able to attend services as we will be on the road back to Chattanooga to spend the weekend with Judy Kay at the hospital. My prayer is that in time, God will replace your tears and pain with wonderful memories. We are here if you need anything. /Nora

Bob & Nora Krein - September 19, 2012 at 11:28 AM

JG

“ Greg, please know we are thinking of you and praying for you and your family in this terrible time.

Jennifer Welch & Eric Garcia - September 19, 2012 at 11:28 AM

CQ

“ We are sorry for your loss. Your family is in our thoughts.

Chad and Nancy Qualls - September 19, 2012 at 11:28 AM

LA

“ Cori's accident was in our backyard and we wanted you all to know that we love you and are praying for your family each day. My husband and I ran to the scene as quickly as we could. Our children consist of four teens who send their love also. My husband Paul was in a severe car accident almost 3 years ago in SLC Utah where we lived for all our lives. He was hit by a truck and almost killed coming home from work one cold Jan. morning. He still suffers severe Traumatic Brain Injury, and PTSD. We moved to Oklahoma to help Paul be away from the noise of the city. He met Cori's dad the other day and they spoke briefly. We wanted you to know that God lives and is watching us all today. We don't know you personally yet your experience will be with us forever and you will always be thought of and loved by the Atkinson family. We wish a lot in our family that things would be different yet we know God is the only one with all the answers. This is something that gets us through, knowing we can be together again someday after this life. We love Cori. If we can do anything for you other than send our prayers and love please let us know. Love, Lauri and Paul Atkinson Family

laurie atkinson - September 19, 2012 at 11:28 AM

TF

“ Greg, You have always been good to me and my family. I pray for you in your time of loss. Thank you for being a good friend to me and my Dad. God Bless your family in this time of loss.

The Beeler family - September 19, 2012 at 11:28 AM

CG

“ Tammy & Justin,
Emma & Greg Cripps

We are so sorry for your loss, sometimes we don't understand why God takes a child from us; but he has his reasons. You will see him again some day. You are all in our prayers.

Steve & Flora Lue Forrest

chris greenlee - September 19, 2012 at 11:28 AM

SB

“ We just wanted to let the family know how very sorry to hear of your loss. Though I didn't know Cori all that well we have heard nothing but good things about him. When he was our neighbor a few years back we would see him on the rode and he always had a smile on his face. He also rode the bus with the kids and they always had something funny to say about him. Please know that we will be praying for you and that we know what he is with God. We know that it doesn't take away the hurt but remember that God has his reasons and he is with God and more happy then we are on earth. Our prayers are with you.

Shawn and Nanci Brigance - September 19, 2012 at 11:28 AM

NS

“ Tammy and Justin, Your family is in our thoughts and prayers. If you need anything please let us know.

Nick & Somer Simmons - September 19, 2012 at 11:28 AM

HW

“ My prayers go out to the family. We will all miss him Love you bud.

Hannah Ward - September 19, 2012 at 11:28 AM

AE

“ Cori will always be missed, he was a wonderful person. I'm so sorry for your loss. My prayers are with your family.

Anna Ellis - September 19, 2012 at 11:28 AM

BF

“ We are so sorry for your loss. We will keep you in our prayers.

Bill & Ronda Williams & family - September 19, 2012 at 11:28 AM

LL

“ You are all in my thoughts and prayers.

Linda Lazenby - September 19, 2012 at 11:28 AM

BO

“ I didnt really know Cori that well, I hung out with him only a few times. But he will be in my prayers and im so sorry for the loss.

Brittney Overturf - September 19, 2012 at 11:28 AM

JS

“ Our family is praying for all of you through this horrible tragedy. Cori will be missed very much. Jackson and I are here for you all if you need anything.

Jackson and Tonya Still - September 19, 2012 at 11:28 AM

AJ

“ Tammy -

I know that no words will help ease the pain that I cannot begin to imagine. Please know that I am here for you if you need anything.

Amy Jech - September 19, 2012 at 11:28 AM

SH

“ Cory we all will miss you! Your family is all in my prayers!!!

sunni harper - September 19, 2012 at 11:28 AM

JR

“ Cori will be greatly missed! The family is in my prayers.

Jessica Ruiz - September 19, 2012 at 11:28 AM

KM

“ We are praying for you and Justin during this time of unthinkable pain, we are at your disposal let us know if there is a need we can meet.

Kenny & Cheryl Mathews - September 19, 2012 at 11:28 AM