



Travis Lee Gan

April 16, 1993 - September 7, 2010

Travis Lee Gan departed this life the afternoon of Tuesday, September 7, 2010, as the result of injuries sustained in a one-vehicle accident on Highway 133, north of Richland, Missouri, at the age of 17 years, 4 months and 21 days.

Travis was born April 16, 1993, at the Phelps County Regional Medical Center in Rolla, Missouri. He was one of two sons born to the union of Terry Lynn and Debra Ann (Gardner) Gan.

Travis attended school in Laquey and Richland, where he was currently in his junior year at Richland High School. Travis was a member of the Jr. Honor Society, the Academic Team and Mu Alpha Theta. He enjoyed being outdoors, fishing and especially hunting with his dad. Travis was a member of the Missouri Conservation Heritage, and was certified in boating safety education. He liked listening to music, playing World of Warcraft on his computer, and spending time with his friends.

Travis was dearly loved, and will be very sadly missed by his parents: Terry and Debra Gan, and brother: Adam Gan, all of Richland; grandparents: Lloyd and Katherine Gan of Richland, Jerry Gardner of St. Robert and Ruth Douglass of Holts Summit; great grandmothers: Nancy Gan of Waynesville and Della Howlett of Richland; several aunts, uncles, cousins, other relatives

and friends.

He was preceded in death by his grandmother: Rosie Gardner; great grandfathers: Willard Gan and Rollins Howlett and uncles: Larry Lloyd Gan and Steven Michael Gardner.

Services were held at 1:00 p.m., Friday, September 10, at Memorial Chapel of Richland with Pastors Christopher Hendrix, Sr., and Russell Johnson officiating. Pastor Chris read a letter from Adam Lathrop, and one from the junior class. He also read the poem, "When Tomorrow Starts Without Me." Pastor Russell read a poem and offered words of encouragement to the family. "I Can Only Imagine" by Mercy Me, and "I Will Remember You" by Sarah McLachlan were played. Serving as escorts were Cody and Levi Durreman, Jacob Shelton, Adam Lathrop, Gary Rider, James Ely, William Posten, Alex Howlett and Cody Bailey.

Burial was in Oaklawn Cemetery. Services were under direction of Memorial Chapel of Richland.

Memorial contributions were in memory of Travis Gan.

Tribute Wall



“ *Memorial Chapels and Crematory created a Tribute Video in memory of Travis Lee Gan*



Memorial Chapels and Crematory - September 07, 2010 at 12:00 AM



“ *Travis Lee Gan*

January 28, 2023 at 06:53 AM



“ *Thinking of you*

Kasey Wilcox - December 25, 2019 at 04:14 AM



“ *Terry, Debra and Adam your family is in our thoughts and prayers. May God's love comfort you in this difficult time. Just know that we are only a phone call away if you ever need anything.##imported-begin##Steve, Melissa, Justin, Michael, Wes & Kailey Douglas##imported-end##*

September 13, 2010 at 12:50 PM



“ You are in our prayers.....##imported-begin##Vicki Kurz (Kissel)##imported-end##

September 10, 2010 at 10:56 AM



“ travis, my cletus! i love you so much. i am going to miss u texting me and all the teasing. you will always be remembered. i will treasure the memories that we shared. to my sister, i am so sorry, i wish i could take all your pain away but i can't and that tears me apart. God can take away the pain. terry, please take care of my sister. she is so precious. i am sorry for your pain. adam, always remember the good times you had with your brother. treasure those memories. i love you all very much. may God be with you all.##imported-begin##aunt cheri##imported-end##

September 10, 2010 at 09:56 AM



“ Your family is in our thoughts and prayers.##imported-begin##Chasity, Megan, Madison, & Mackenzie Hodges##imported-end##

September 10, 2010 at 08:13 AM



“ Dear Gan Family, I just finished viewing Travis' video tribute. What a loving tribute to your precious son. I can tell that Travis had many loves of hunting, fishing, animals, his computer, and his family. Was that Guitar Hero he was playing? And Travis was an accomplished musician. Your Drum Man! My heart goes out to your family. I wish I knew what to say. Thinking of you, sheila Lebanon, Missouri is my hometown.##imported-begin##Sheila Garrigus##imported-end##

September 09, 2010 at 10:13 PM



“ Terry, Debra & Adam our thoughts and prayers are with you in this time of sorrow. God Bless.##imported-begin##Stanley & Debbie Porter##imported-end##

September 09, 2010 at 06:21 PM



“ Terry and Debra: We are so sorry to hear of your loss. Thinking of you.##imported-begin##Tom and Vicki Shortt##imported-end##

September 09, 2010 at 05:56 PM



“ Terry and Debra,

My heart and prayers goes out to you both during this very difficult time. May God be with you.

Betty Dorris##imported-begin##Betty (Thoms) Dorris##imported-end##

September 09, 2010 at 05:37 PM



“ Terry-So very sorry for your loss. You and your family are in our thoughts and prayers.##imported-begin##Scott Wood##imported-end##

September 09, 2010 at 04:48 PM



“ Your family is in our thoughts and prayers. We pray God will be with all of you during this difficult time. God Bless you .##imported-begin##David & Leasa Day##imported-end##

September 09, 2010 at 04:02 PM



“ Sending my condolences. I haven't seen Travis since he was little. I worked with his mom at H D Lee in Richland. Very sorry for your loss.##imported-begin##Tammy Jackson##imported-end##

September 09, 2010 at 03:07 PM



“ gardner family: sorry to hear about travis. you are all in my prayers. i pray god will comfort you in this time of sorrow. he will be missed by all who knew him.##imported-begin##Barbara Wall(brock)##imported-end##

September 09, 2010 at 02:09 PM



“ Please know your family is in our thoughts and prayers. May god comfort you and give you peace.##imported-begin##Charley and Joyce Fritts##imported-end##

September 09, 2010 at 10:49 AM



“ Debra & Terry: You and your family have been in my thoughts and prayers.##imported-begin##Jan Weeks##imported-end##

September 09, 2010 at 09:06 AM



“ Words can not express the sorrow and pain we feel for the loss of your son, Travis. Our heart and prayers go out to you and your family at this most difficult time.##imported-begin##Jonathan & Melissa Stradt and family##imported-end##

September 09, 2010 at 08:27 AM



“ Terry, Debbie, & Family,
I am so saddened for your loss of Travis.
God Bless you all & you are in my thoughts and prayers.
With deep sorrow,
Billye Bennett###imported-begin##Billye Bennett###imported-end##

September 09, 2010 at 07:39 AM



“ Debbie and Terry,
We are sad beyond words to hear about Travis. Our entire family is
praying for you. May God give you peace, comfort, and strength
during this challenging time in your lives.
Judy and Ken Bailey
Rev. and Mrs. Elmer Turnbough###imported-begin##Judy and Ken
Bailey###imported-end##

September 09, 2010 at 12:48 AM



“ Terry, Debbie and Adam,
Words cannot express our heart felt sympathy we have for you. May
God comfort your hearts and bring you strength and peace in the
days ahead. May you find comfort in knowing that Travis knew the
Lord, and that he knew about his plan of Salvation. Rest assured that
we to one day will see the Lord.
Love and Prayers,
Eldon and Kathy Haun and family###imported-begin##Eldon and
Kathy Haun###imported-end##

September 08, 2010 at 07:59 PM



“ Our prayers and thoughts are with your family during this sad time. We pray that the Lord will touch you in a special way to see you through.##imported-begin##Jerry&Merlene Oxley##imported-end##

September 08, 2010 at 07:39 PM



“ So very sorry .Thinking of your Family##imported-begin##Peggy White Dierks##imported-end##

September 08, 2010 at 06:26 PM



“ Debra and Family
I am so sorry to here of your loss, please know that you and your family are in our thought and prayers.
Hold on to memories, and let them guide you during this time of sadness.
Dalene McDaniel and Family##imported-begin##Dalene McDaniel##imported-end##

September 08, 2010 at 03:55 PM



“ Terry, Debbie, Adam, Cheri, Jerry, Dalton & Cassie: My thoughts and prayers are with you all at this time. I am so sorry for your loss. Love and Prayers.##imported-begin##Brenda Smith##imported-end##

September 08, 2010 at 12:46 PM



“ I am so sorry to hear of your loss. My heart and prayers go out to the whole family. (I am Ben Crossland's daughter, a cousin of Lloyd's). May God bless and comfort you all.

With love,
Linda Lou###imported-begin##Linda (Crossland) Austin###imported-end##

September 08, 2010 at 11:05 AM



“ Please know that our prayer for your family is that the Lord will comfort and give you peace at this time and in the days to come as only HE can give.###imported-begin##Boyd, Donna & AJ Hendrix###imported-end##

September 08, 2010 at 09:56 AM



“ Dear Family,
You are all truly in our thoughts and prayers tonight. We will continue to pray for each one of you in the days ahead.

May the God of love sustain you with that love and cover you with His peace as you go through these difficult days. All of Richland is thinking of you tonight!

Martin and Georgia White###imported-begin##Martin and Georgia White###imported-end##

September 07, 2010 at 11:59 PM



“ *i am going to miss you so much travis:(i love you so much!! i love you aunt debbie, uncle terry and travis. i am praying for you guys:*
(##imported-begin##Cassie Gardner##imported-end##

September 07, 2010 at 11:47 PM



“ *Travis will be greatly missed!!!! Our thoughts and prayers are with you at this time. May God be with you at this time and give you peace.*

Gone Away

*An Angel whispered
take my hand and
come with me
you're work here is done.*

*I went away to a place
where there's no tears, nor sorrow
only laughter and smiles,
there will always be a Tomorrow.*

*As I move amongst the clouds.
I'll look down and smile upon you,
while the angels
sing a heavenly song.*

*I am not alone
all who went before
are here
they awaited my return.*

*I know you'll grieve
and wish I was still here
I am here in the memories
you hold dear.*

*Remember how much I
love you
and know I took your
love with me.*

*I did not wish for
you to cry, nor feel sad.
My pain is gone and
I am Free!*

*Soon you'll come to me
until then
God will be with you
Just as He's with me.##imported-begin##James, Beth and Justin
Rachau##imported-end##*

September 07, 2010 at 10:12 PM