



Mr. Joshua Douglas Walker Broomfield

December 9, 1988 - March 4, 2009

No obituary found for this tribute.

Previous Events

Visitation

Friday, Mar. **6.** 3:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

O. H. Pye, III Funeral Home
17600 Plymouth Road
Detroit, MI 48227
(313) 838-9770
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Service

Saturday, Mar. **7.** 11:00 AM (ET)

Northwest Unity Missionary Baptist Church
8345 Ellsworth
Detroit, MI 48238

Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Joshua Douglas Walker Broomfield*

January 21, 2023 at 09:34 PM



“ *Me again. I know that the anniversary of this loss has just passed. I just wanted to say hello and let you know that I am thinking of you and will never forget Josh. May Jehovah be with you.##imported-begin##Tyise Gray##imported-end##*

March 13, 2012 at 03:15 PM



“ *Hello again, I come to this site periodically to let you know that I think of you often and hope that you are prayerfully enduring. Love U Much##imported-begin##Tyise Gray##imported-end##*

August 26, 2010 at 08:42 AM



“ *Hi Angie,
I continue to think of you and hope you are well, cherishing the memories and especially those most recent.Reestablishing a good relationship with him and spending time together, what a blessing.Take care, and know that I am thinking of you. Love,
Ty##imported-begin##Tyise Gray##imported-end##*

June 22, 2009 at 04:47 PM



“ Hello Angie,
I haven't written lately but you remain on my mind and in my heart each day. There are no words that would bring comfort, only those found in the Bible. Many believe that our loved ones go to "a better place" when they are lost. Actually they are asleep in death, waiting for a resurrection. Look into the scriptures and find that for yourself, it will encourage and strengthen you. You remain in my heart.##imported-begin##Tyise Gray##imported-end##

April 28, 2009 at 10:05 AM



“ Hello Angie, I am just now able to sign Joh's guestbook. The picture of him is adorable. You have been on my mind and in my heart every day. We nearly lost Qiana a few years ago and that was just a brush with death and we were devastated. So I have an idea in a small way of your distress. I am so sorry Angie. You and I have known one another for many years, since Ruthruff Elementary and you kept me up to date on Josh's upbringing by sending me pictures and I am so glad you did. When I finally met him he was just as I had imagined. You'd done a wonderful job as a mother and I was so happy for you. May Jehovah fondle your soul and strengthen you during this time of deep sadness. My heart hurts for you Angie, I know that there is nothing I can do to make it easier to bear but please know that I love you and pray for you each day. Love Forever, Tyise##imported-begin##Tyise Gray##imported-end##

March 28, 2009 at 07:17 PM



“ I MISS YOU JOSH. people are still calling for you at "Williamson Unisex" one lady, she was waiting for you to cut her son hair. I went to the liquor store on the corner, Nancy said, where is Josh we haven't seen him in weeks he uses to come in the store everyday. leaving cards and flyers. and telling everybody he works for Mr Williamson at the shop. and telling us hello. Did he quit?. No.....He's not coming back.....Josh had built a name with us at "Williamson's unisex"-6mile/littlefield. still thinking about you. Ms L Grant###imported-begin##williamson's unisex 6 mile/Littlefield###imported-end##

March 24, 2009 at 11:11 AM



“ To my Godbrother:

I remember the day I first laid eyes on you. I was about seven years old and on a visit to see my godmother, here she comes with this beautiful, bright eyed, brown skinned, curly haired babyboy. I was so proud of the young man that you had become. I wish I had made it up to the barber shop to see you in action or had you design my first tatoo. I'm really going to miss you. I'm glad that you thought that I was a better big sister than I thought of myself. I love you always and forever!

XOXO

Shereta aka Ree Ree###imported-begin##Shereta Abney###imported-end##

March 23, 2009 at 01:01 PM



“ *My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family at this very difficult time. Put your trust in God and know that he loves you and he will see you through this difficult time. May God continue to comfort and bless you.*

*Love, Andrea
Cleveland, Ohio##imported-begin##Andrea Ford-
Fletcher##imported-end##*

March 16, 2009 at 12:16 PM



“ *It has been over a week now and we are still in shock over our loss of Josh. There are few words that we can offer of comfort to you but know that you are in our thoughts and prayers daily. There is comfort in knowing Josh was saved and resting in the Lord's arms. God bless you and stay strong!!##imported-begin##Yolanda & Cle
Durfield##imported-end##*

March 14, 2009 at 10:00 AM



“ *Family of Joshua Broomfield:*

My heart is saddened at the loss of Joshua. He seem to be a young man whose life should have been filled with many wonderful plans.

The bible calls death an enemy. 1 Corinthians 15:25-26 the enemy death will be crushed under the feet of Jesus and be completely destroyed. Whether we are old or young, death is not a welcomed visitor. That is why Jesus will undo or "break up the works of the Devil".

When we hear a eulogy, it should give us comfort. But it doesn't. Why? Even though we die, it is something unnatural. Because, in our DNA pattern Jehovah put the desire to live and never die. . Ecclesiastes 3:11 "God has put eternity into man's mind" or "their heart." What REALLY gives us hope? Not words to stir our emotions, but the truth found in the bible, which gives us hope that we will see Joshua again. John 5:28-29 there IS going to be a resurrection of righteous and unrighteous. It will be a resurrection back to life on a paradise earth, that Jehovah intended in the beginning.

Even though I did not know Joshua personally, his smile commands attention.

With heartfelt sympathy,

Liz##imported-begin##Liz Malone##imported-end##

March 14, 2009 at 07:53 AM



“ *May peace be with you, now and into eternity.*

Your cousin,

Terri Lynn Taylor

Cleveland, OH##imported-begin##Terri L. Taylor##imported-end##

March 10, 2009 at 07:27 PM



“ *Angela, Doug, Madgie:*

You all are in our hearts and in our prayers; we know that Josh is resting in the arms of our Lord. We didn't see Josh often, but we will surely miss him and his beautiful smile. Please know that we love you all very much and may God Bless and Comfort you. Your Cousins##imported-begin##Carrie Ford Stewart and Family##imported-end##

March 10, 2009 at 06:47 PM



“ *R.I.P. Joshua! I will always love you!...you WILL be missed!##imported-begin##Tanetta Murphy##imported-end##*

March 09, 2009 at 11:16 PM



“ *In this time of sorrow our sincere sympathy and prayers are with Joshua's immediate and extended family and friends. We pray that God will ease your pain and provide comfort. Remember that the family that prays together stays together.##imported-begin##Henry & Dianne Ford - Twinsburg, Ohio##imported-end##*

March 09, 2009 at 08:26 PM



“ Angela-
My thoughts and prayers are with you.
Eva###imported-begin###Eva Schmidt###imported-end##

March 09, 2009 at 09:20 AM



“ I am still very shocked that this happened. It saddens my heart to know the last time i saw him was the last time i would ever see him. I remember growing up and playing together outside as kids and i will cherish those memories forever. God must have needed another angel by his side. Prayers to the family. Love Always,
Charlotte###imported-begin###Charlotte Williams###imported-end##

March 07, 2009 at 11:27 PM



“ Angela and family: I am profoundly saddened by this new. On the one occasion that I met Josh, I found him to be a lovely and engaging young man. My heart is there with you. May the love and prayers of family and friends comfort you. Jyll###imported-begin###Jyll Townes (Cynthia's friend from NY City)###imported-end##

March 07, 2009 at 10:48 PM



“ Angela,

Words cannot express our fillings for the loss of your son. Joshua is now in the arms of God. May God bless your family.###imported-begin###Cheryl and Gary Duncan###imported-end##

March 07, 2009 at 06:46 PM



“ Angela & Doug,
Today's Funeral Service for "Joshua" just blew me away. It stirred my soul and made me feel more hopeful. I walked away feeling a little taller and more encouraged because of you both. You both touched me deeply because you found strength and courage to "smile" in the midst of your pain, despair and grief. Yes a smile, if no more than for a fleeting moment or minutes, you smiled. The service, praise and songs truly "rocked" the house; ain't playing with yawl ... babe, the service was awesome and GOD knew exactly where to make necessary changes to lift & inspire.
Angela, Joshua's smile also touched me and brought me joy one day. Remember the occasion at Terry & Greg's when he so much enjoyed my banana pudding? His beautiful smile & facial expressions said everything to me about his delight and i will always cherish that simple moment; his way of saying, Mr Bailey thank you! In closing, my prayers and love are with you both forever and lets keep Joshua's legacy alive for "now on".

Know that "your GOD Power within, is ALWAYS greater than ANY CONDITION before you" ...

Love

Le V. Bailey###imported-begin###Le V. Bailey###imported-end###

March 07, 2009 at 06:25 PM



“ Angela, sorry, I could not attend the services, but know that I am praying for you and your family. God will comfort you during your lost and may you hold onto the memory of Josh's smiling face!

Love, Deborah Stroud###imported-begin###Deborah Stroud###imported-end###

March 07, 2009 at 02:36 PM



“ Our condolences to Doug, JoAnn and Aunt Mamie and their respective families. I just heard this from Cheryl last night... I would've been there. God bless you and keep you.

The Wassermans Orlando, FL##imported-begin##James Wasserman (Jr)##imported-end##

March 07, 2009 at 10:02 AM



“ Angela, we wish to thank Joshua for sharing his light with us, his laughter and smile that warmed our hearts. May God's love embrace you, your family and friends through these difficult times and to know that God's healing grace is there to comfort you. Our love and support always,
Arden & Cheryl Bow##imported-begin##Arden & Cheryl Bow##imported-end##

March 07, 2009 at 09:35 AM



“ iam going to miss jousha so dearly cause he was my best friend he was going to take me to my prom in 07 i send my symapthy to his family##imported-begin##tracie owens##imported-end##

March 07, 2009 at 09:15 AM



“*Doug and Angela: Although the pain is unbearable and the tears unstoppable with your son's death so untimely. The amount of love & support from friends & family to help you through this tragedy is beyond measure. May you take comfort in knowing that Josh was loved by all that knew him and that you were incredible parents by every standard.*

Our prayers are with you both.##imported-begin##Jeunae and Todd Norwood ##imported-end##

March 06, 2009 at 11:37 PM



“*May you find comfort in knowing that God loves you and has great plans for you. May you find peace in knowing that God has everything in control even though we don't understand it. May you feel the love of family and friends throughout this ordeal. I love you.##imported-begin##Tracy Robinson##imported-end##*

March 06, 2009 at 09:10 PM



“*Angela and Doug,*

I don't think I can put into words how our hearts are breaking for you both. It seems as though it was only yesterday when our children played together. Please know that Joshua made an impression that will not be forgotten. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your families.

Ken, Seneca, Alexandria and Paris Singleton##imported-begin##Seneca and Ken##imported-end##

March 06, 2009 at 09:10 PM



“ I was Joshua's high school art teacher Joshua was a talent young man...He found peace in art. He will be missed...we love you Josh##imported-begin##Jocelyn Rainey##imported-end##

March 06, 2009 at 07:48 PM



“ My heart goes out to you and your family. A loss like this is almost unacceptable, but now he's in the care of our father. I'll be here if ever you need me.##imported-begin##Mary Chestnut##imported-end##

March 06, 2009 at 06:22 PM

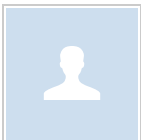


“ Dear Angela,

I am sorry that I can't be there personally to give you a hug! I am so sadden to hear Joshua was taken from you, however it is one thing that I do know, Joshua certainly KNEW A MOTHER'S LOVE, and will carry that Love to the Father's House! God's arms are around you, and mine join his. May God Bless you and your family during this difficult time!

Love, and miss you all Gemair Foster##imported-begin##Gemair Foster##imported-end##

March 06, 2009 at 06:19 PM



“ Whenever I think of Joshua, I remember a handsome young man with a love for life and a kind and gentle spirit. He will certainly be missed, but he will be remembered forever in my heart. God bless you.##imported-begin##Sharron Solomon##imported-end##

March 06, 2009 at 04:58 PM



“ Angela,

Please know that my prayers are with you and your family. I will continue to pray for your strength during this difficult time. Please let me know if there is anything I can do for you or your family.##imported-begin##Valerie Watts Sydnor##imported-end##

March 06, 2009 at 03:04 PM



“ Doug, Angelia & Madgie. Words cannot express our sorrow at the loss of your dear son and grandson. We will remember his smile and lots of hugs. Continue to hold onto the Lord for He will never leave you. May His peace fill you hearts.##imported-begin##Cousin Carolyn and Chris Thomas ##imported-end##

March 06, 2009 at 03:02 PM



“ Angela,
May the beautiful memories of your son be alive in your heart and soul and give you comfort in the days ahead. You are all in my thoughts and prayers. In deepest sympathy, Mary Rooney##imported-begin##Mary Rooney##imported-end##

March 06, 2009 at 02:35 PM



“ *I am so sorry for your loss. May God Bless you and your family. God will take you through this. Remember he is with you always, and will never forsake you...##imported-begin##Edward Gaines##imported-end##*

March 06, 2009 at 02:30 PM



“ Angela,
My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family during this difficult time. I'm so sorry for your loss.##imported-begin##Jennifer Cavill##imported-end##

March 06, 2009 at 02:26 PM



“ Douglas and Family, Our prayers are with you and your family in this most difficult time. Words cannot heal the pain of losing someone so dear! May God give you the strength to overcome.

Love April and Family##imported-begin##April Rice (Harris)##imported-end##

March 06, 2009 at 02:14 PM



“ There is nothing more powerful than the love of God. Gods love will see you through. God Bless You!##imported-begin##Ruthie Harris Evans##imported-end##

March 06, 2009 at 02:00 PM



“ Angela and family, You all are in my thoughts and prayers at this difficult time. May you find comfort and strength in God and the ministry of family and friends that draw near.##imported-begin##Lori Wesby##imported-end##

March 06, 2009 at 01:22 PM



“ I do not know how to put to words the sorrow from a tragedy such as this. I wish I was there in person to express my condolences to the family. But I will forever cherish and remember Josh for his effulgent hugs and smile, and his charming humor. Every time he was around, it was a fun loving experience. I love you Angie and Family, and I am intensely afflicted for your loss.##imported-begin##Crystal Terrell##imported-end##

March 06, 2009 at 01:22 PM



“ Angela and family - please accept my heart felt condolences. My prayers are with you.

Ann Green-Ramsey
One of Angela's students from Ford##imported-begin##Ann Green-Ramsey##imported-end##

March 06, 2009 at 01:04 PM



“ Angela, I meet you back in Bldg. 1 many years ago and the one thing that we talked about was our sons. It saddens me to hear of your loss. May you find comfort in knowing that the Lord has Joshua now. God bless.##imported-begin##Lisa Torrence (Chambers)##imported-end##

March 06, 2009 at 11:46 AM



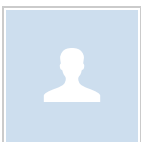
“ Angela, I feel how weak and fruitless must be any words of mine which should attempt to comfort you from the greif of a loss so overwhelming. I pray that our heavenly Father may lesson the anguish your bereavement, and leave you only the cherished memories of Josh.##imported-begin##Tim Woodward##imported-end##

March 06, 2009 at 11:43 AM



“ Angela and Family,
I have not the words to express my deep,deep sorrow for the loss of your beloved Josh. He was such a kind soul, generous with a loving heart. He Will Be Missed by all who knew him!What a loss for the world! He had so much promise.
I hope to see you to express my feelings in person, but for now, I can only say that I am so very sorry. You are in my prayers and in God's loving Hands.
Love, Karen Hickman##imported-begin##Karen D. Hickman##imported-end##

March 06, 2009 at 09:55 AM



“ Angela and family, please know that our prayers are with you during these times of healing. My family and I will forever be thankful for the times that we were blessed to have Joshua in our lives and we will always be thankful for the memories that will endure within us. You must truly believe that the pain and sorrow will pass and you will be able to rejoice in Joshua's legacy which lives in your heart. We are here for you and will help you through to brighter days!
Love, Chico, Felicia, Raven, Brandon and little Scooter.##imported-begin##George "Chico" Fields##imported-end##

March 06, 2009 at 12:22 AM



“ Angela, my heart breaks for you. I am praying for you and your family and I pray that the Spirit of God will bring you comfort today and always. Love, Rosalind##imported-begin##Rosalind Cox##imported-end##

March 05, 2009 at 10:29 PM



“ Doug & Angela
It is with heavy heart that I and my family(sons- Dennis & Anthony) express our sympathy to you both. I am praying with and for you and your family. I have watched Josuha grow up across the street into fine young man. He often greeted me with a hug and smile or just a wave. I will miss him. I encourage you to hold on to the precious memories and recline into the arms of God who is well able to keep you now ad in the days to come. Lovingly submitted.##imported-begin##Denise Bennett##imported-end##

March 05, 2009 at 05:02 PM



“ Angela, I am saddened to hear of your Son's passing. May all your fond memories help you through the days, weeks and months to come. Sincerely, Terrance.##imported-begin##Terrance McClain##imported-end##

March 05, 2009 at 04:34 PM



“ Angela,
My heart hurts for you. Please know that you and your family are in my prayers. God bless and much love.##imported-begin##Chris Peace##imported-end##

March 05, 2009 at 04:15 PM



“ Our Dear Douglas & Angela...
Our hearts are so heavy right now for your loss. This has to be the most difficult cross for any parent to bear. Know that our thoughts, prayers and love are with. We have been through many challenges over the past thirty-two years. With God's help, we will get through this season.
We love you.
Clarence & Doris Godwin##imported-begin##Clarence & Doris Godwin##imported-end##

March 05, 2009 at 03:25 PM



“ Angela, my thoughts and prayers are with you.##imported-begin##Patricia M. Thornhill##imported-end##

March 05, 2009 at 03:19 PM



“ Angela,

I will keep you and your family in my prayers. May God keep and comfort you at this difficult time.

Jason##imported-begin##Jason Brooks##imported-end##

March 05, 2009 at 02:49 PM



“ Life is eternal, and love is immortal, and death is only a horizon; and a horizon is nothing save the limit of our sight.

My deepest condolences to you and your family during this difficult time.##imported-begin##Sueha Elmir##imported-end##

March 05, 2009 at 02:49 PM



“ I am still in disbelief of the fact that Josh is no longer with us. It hurts me so much to know that I will never see him again. I remember the days of playing outside, from basketball to riding bikes. Listening to the new Blackstreet CDs, playing video games, sneaking candy. Making artwork which was something that we were both passionate about. Josh and I had alot in common besides being born on the same day, in the same hospital. Josh, I love and miss you so much and I will never forgot the times that we had together. Angela and Douglas, my prayers are you forever; you are like my family. I love you all!

With Love,
Natalie##imported-begin##Natalie Pryor##imported-end##

March 05, 2009 at 02:38 PM



“ Angela, you and your family are in my prayers.##imported-begin##Debra Byrd##imported-end##

March 05, 2009 at 02:00 PM



“ Dear Angela:

We all knew Joshua through you. We all share in your loss.

I have no more words...Just my prayers.

Delli Van Buren
248-327-6880##imported-begin##Mrs. Delli Van Buren##imported-end##

March 05, 2009 at 01:59 PM



“ Angela, I am so saddened to hear of your loss. I cannot imagine how awful this must be. My thoughts and prayers are with you. - Anna###imported-begin###Anna Gedman###imported-end##

March 05, 2009 at 01:41 PM



“ I feel that anything I can say will be futile at this time. When I heard of your son's death I immediately asked r Christ too give you strength. My sympathy goes to you and your family from the bottom of my heart.###imported-begin###Jeff Keiffer###imported-end##

March 05, 2009 at 01:26 PM



“ Prayers and love to the family in the loss of one so dear to you and me. I will miss my helper at the school and the hugs that I receive on a weekly basis. May God keep and strengthen the family in the days to come. God bless you. I love you.###imported-begin###DeBorah Holt Foster###imported-end##

March 05, 2009 at 01:16 PM



“ Our Prayers are with you an d your family....###imported-begin###Warnner & Connie Gunter###imported-end##

March 05, 2009 at 12:52 PM



“ To the family:

*The memory of Joshua's goodness shall live in our hearts forever.
May memories of holidays and other sharings comfort you.*

Cynthia##imported-begin##Cynthia Peele##imported-end##

March 05, 2009 at 12:10 PM



“ You are in my thoughts during this time. Think of this psalm during your journey... *"Hear my cry, O God; attend unto my prayer. From the end of the earth will I cry unto thee, when my heart is overwhelmed: lead me to the rock that is higher than I. For you have been a shelter for me..." - Psalm 61:1-3(NKJV)*##imported-begin##Hannah E. Parker##imported-end##

March 05, 2009 at 11:22 AM



“ Angela *"They say love beyond the world cannot be separated by it. Death cannot kill what never dies."* Our thoughts and prayers are with you.##imported-begin##Margareth and Daniel##imported-end##

March 05, 2009 at 10:49 AM



“ *Angela and Family,*
It is with heartfelt sorrow and compassion, that I send my condolences and prayers for you and your family. May God bless and keep you and comfort you at this very difficult time.

Sincerely,

Laverne Wainwright##imported-begin##Laverne Wainwright##imported-end##

March 05, 2009 at 10:27 AM



“ *The Broomfield's,*

Our heartfelt prayers go out to your family. Josh will be missed dearly, words can not express what we are feeling right now it just don't seem real. It has been a pleasure to know Josh and to watch him grow up. He always had a way to making us laugh. Be strong, God will give you all the strength that you need if you let him. Just remember that Josh loved you two very much and his grandmother! Things will not be the same on Glastonbury.

Love The Robinson, Wayne, Gerrie, Gus and Nehemiah##imported-begin##Wayne and Gerrie Robinson##imported-end##

March 05, 2009 at 09:15 AM



“ There are no words to express the hole the absence of your presence has left in the universe. Joshua, we love you and miss you dearly.

Angela and Douglas and to all the family, our prayers are forever with you.

We love you so much.

Suzanne, Solomon, Natalie and Brea##imported-begin##Suzanne Pryor##imported-end##

March 05, 2009 at 08:30 AM



“ Angela:

There are not enough descriptive words in the English language to express how saddened we are over the loss of Josh. Knowing that he is in the arms of God, we will uplift you and Doug in love and prayer through these difficult days ahead.##imported-begin##Ben & Debbie Hodge##imported-end##

March 04, 2009 at 07:08 PM