



## Keith E Pickering

June 10, 1966 - July 13, 2010

Keith E. Pickering, 44, of Carthage passed away Tuesday, July 13, 2010 at Freeman Hospital in Joplin. He was born June 10, 1966 in Fresno, California. Keith was the son of Roger Pickering. He was a long time Carthage resident moving from Fresno, CA. Keith was employed as a supply operator for General Dynamics (formerly Atlas).

Keith married Christine Mason on August 22, 2005 in Miami, OK, she survives. Other survivors include 3 step-sons, Barry Tidwell and Josh Tidwell both of Carthage and Ben Tidwell of Monett, two daughters, Dachele Pickering and Tandra Pickering both of Carthage, three step brothers Johnnie Riley of Rocky Comfort, MO, Brian Sooth and Mike Sooth both of New Port News, VI, two step sisters Lisa Sooth of VI and Debbie Johnson. Additional survivors include his father and step-mother Roger and Dotty Pickering of Sarcoxie and three grandchildren, Kenneth Keith Corntett-Pickering, Madison Riley and Christian Tidwell.

The body has been taken for cremation, private family services will be held at a later date.

# Tribute Wall

SB

“ to johnny so sorry to hear about keith he was a great guy. I remember him running around with doug all the time alot of stories to be remembered. He even bought us alcohol when we got married cause we weren't 21 for our honeymoon. so many good times. he will definitley be missed. we will keep you in our prayers. we love you and think of you often. again so sorry for your loss.i will call ashley and get in touch with you soon.love melanie (and scott and boys)

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**scott and melanie briscoe** - August 24, 2010 at 05:23 AM

JM

“ We remember Keith and hold him in our prayers. God be with and bless his children. He will be missed. He is in a beetter place

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**JR and Betsy Muro** - August 01, 2010 at 10:18 PM

JP

“ Condolences to the family from those of us at the Joint Munitions Command Demil Office.

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**Jim Pegram** - July 21, 2010 at 02:19 PM

CC

“ My condolences to the family of Keith. I worked with Keith at General Dynamics. Such a terrible thing to happen to such a good man. He always talked about his family, and how he loved the lake. He will be greatly missed by all of us.....God Bless..

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**Chris Coffman** - July 19, 2010 at 12:03 PM

KV

“ I went to school with Keith and we kept in touch a few years after high school. He was a nice, genuine person and I remember him fondly. My condolences.

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**Kathy (Dotson) Vice** - July 19, 2010 at 11:57 AM

PR

“ I worked with Keith at Leggett in Carthage for many years and remember him well. I am so sorry for your loss.

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**Peggy Ralston** - July 16, 2010 at 11:05 AM