



## Abigail Taylor

March 24, 2008

Taylor, Abigail Rose Age 6 of Edina, died March 20, 2008. Preceded in death by great-grand- father, George "Pops" McCabe; and uncle, David Paugh. Survived by parents, Scott and Katey; sisters, Grace, Christina, and Audrey; grandparents, Don and Betty Paugh, Jay and Eileen Taylor; great-grandmother, Rosetta "GG" McCabe; aunts and uncles, Don Paugh Jr. (Dee Olin), Karen Paugh; "fairy" godparents, Tom (Dawn) Paugh, Jerry (Dana) Paugh, Jim Paugh (Nancy Funkhouser), John Paugh and Susan Taylor; cousins, David, Brandon, Bailey, Keegan, Blake, Arden, Sydney, Spencer, Tommy, Johnny, and Jimmy; and many loving friends. Abbey was a first grader at Concord Elementary School. Abbey was a beloved daughter, sister, granddaughter, niece, cousin and friend. Her life filled our lives with joy. She was a gift from God that shined brightly in our lives. We ache for her smile and laughter, but know that she is at peace, running and playing in Heaven with the other Angels. Uncle David and Pops will care for her now, until we meet again over the rainbow. Keep the faith. Memorials preferred to HopeKids Twin Cities, P.O. Box 240721, Apple Valley, MN 55124 (612-345-0933). Mass of Christian Burial 11 AM Thursday, March 27, at the Church of St. Thomas the Apostle, 2914 West 44th St., Mpls. Visitation one hour prior to Mass at the Church and also 5-8 PM Wednesday, March 26, at: Washburn-McReavy Edina Chapel 952-920-3996 West 50th St. & Hwy 100

# Tribute Wall

MH

“ Taylor family, today i began to think about Abbey. the struggle is very hard i am sure but i have seen so many places abbey is making a difference, such as they abbey's hope foundation. Every once in a while i imagine how hard it would be to lose someone so important to you. i am 15, but i was 13 at the time of Abbey's death. years have gone by, but i still remember the day i found out about the loss of Abbey. I still sit down and read the story out of my amazing abigail cook book and cry. Abbey was so young but i look to her as a guardian angel for kids across the world. Abbey and your family are in my prayers now and forever. She made an impact on the world and you are lucky to have known such an amazing child. 2 timothy 4:7 i can do all things through christ who strengthens me. Abbey truly lived this out. Rest in peace Abbey taylor. God Bless

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*maggie hunt,*

*edina, Minnesota*

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**maggie hunt** - February 04, 2010 at 12:00 AM

RK

“ Dear Taylors, I've read your story and will never forget your daughter. Abigail has made a lasting impression, for me it is a strong sense of keeping my children safe. I have four kids, one of which a daughter, who is 5 and also loves to swim. I'm so sorry for what you and your family have endured and the loss you have suffered. Be grateful for the many memories you have of your wonderful little girl. I admire your strength to go on for your other children. Always remember, God promises that some day we'll see our loved ones again.

~

*Rachel Karbarski,*

*Granite City, Illinois*

*Contact Me*

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**Rachel Karbarski** - December 05, 2008 at 12:00 AM

CB

“ Dear Taylors, I saw your story on Kare 11 last week and you've been on my heart ever since. I create personalized garden stones, I made one as a gift for your family. My thoughts and prayers are with you all during this Holiday Season. I'm so sorry for your loss. Please e-mail to let me know where I can drop it off. Thinking of you, Cathi, Maplewood, Mn

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*cathi berqual,*

*maplewood, Minnesota*

*Contact Me*

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**cathi berqual** - November 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

JU

“ Dear Taylors, I watched your story on Kare 11 last night and I wanted to say how truly sorry I am for your loss. What a beautiful little soul Abby is. I can see how she came to be that way, you are a lovely family. Peace be with you.

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Julie,

St. Paul, Minnesota

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Julie - November 21, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ Taylor Family,I just wanted to tell you that I was so truly and deeply saddened to learn of Abigail's passing. Your family is in my thoughts and prayers. I am so very sorry for your loss. May your find peace.-  
c. from nj

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October 19, 2008 at 12:00 AM

KA

“ *Dear Taylor Family, I am so sorry for your loss. Abigail was such a courageous girl. My condolences go out to your family, and God Bless You.*

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*Kay,*

*St. Louis Park, Minnesota*

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**Kay** - September 04, 2008 at 12:00 AM

TW

“ Taylor Family, Please know that your family has touched the hearts of many people. There are no words that will truly give you comfort. Know that your daughter is now in a place of peace and that her spirit will be with you always. I will keep your family in my prayers.

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*Tameka Williams-Bruce,*

*Texas*

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**Tameka Williams-Bruce** - September 01, 2008 at 12:00 AM

US

“ Taylor Family,I watched your family's story on CNN last year and for some reason your daughter came across my mind tonight. So I googled the story online to get an update and was very sad to read what has happened since then. I can't say that I know what you are feeling but I can say that God loves you and Abigail. In His divine plan, that we don't always understand, God made the decision to give her eternal peace. I am praying for you and your entire family, that you may grow stronger with each day.Fear not, for I am with you;Be not dismayed, for I am your God.I will strengthen you, Yes, I will help you,I will uphold you with My righteous right hand.Isaiah 41:10

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*Uniqua Smith,*

*Houston, Texas*

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**Uniqua Smith** - August 26, 2008 at 12:00 AM

EB

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*emma bailey,*

*edina, Minnesota*

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**emma bailey** - June 01, 2008 at 12:00 AM

PB

“ Taylor Family, I am so sorry for the loss you have endured. Abigail seemed like such a sweet little girl. Her smile radiated and made me smile just looking at her. Of course we don't know you but we certainly have heard of Abigail. I have shed many tears thinking of her. We have prayed for you over the past few months and thought of you often. Abigail seemed like such a vibrant little girl. What a peach! My heart aches for you as parents. She touched so many hearts. I am so sorry.

~

*Patti, Keaton & Brielle,*

*Long Lake, Minnesota*

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**Patti, Keaton & Brielle** - April 14, 2008 at 12:00 AM

SA

“ *I'm so sorry you lost your little angel.*

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*Sarah,*

*Mahtomedi, Minnesota*

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**Sarah** - April 06, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ *Scott and family - Our condolences go out to your entire family on the loss of Abigail. Please know that you are in our thoughts and prayers, and that her memory will live on forever.*

~

*John & Jami Gyurci*

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April 06, 2008 at 12:00 AM

DH

“ To the Taylor family, My heart hurts so deeply for both of you, and your family. We have never met, yet I wanted you to know..I am sadden for your enormous loss. God Bless you! May he hold you all in his arms. Sincerly, Diane Hoyos-Gomez

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*Diane Hoyos-Gomez,*

*Blaine, Minnesota*

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**Diane Hoyos-Gomez** - April 03, 2008 at 12:00 AM

NM

“ Scott and family, You have been in my thoughts and prayers so often over the last months. You have a beautiful family and Abigail was very lucky to have such a wonderful father. May you be comforted by the amazing memories you have of her short time with you.

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*Nancy Moeller,*

*Apple Valley, Minnesota*

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**Nancy Moeller** - April 03, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ *She should never have died. I am so sorry.*”

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*J*

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April 03, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ *My heart aches for your entire family. I lost my sister when I was 10yrs. old. She died unexpectedly a week before her 12th birthday. We shared a bedroom and were very close. She had an angelic personality and I adored her. I feel for your family as you start your journey of healing your hearts. God will shine His light through the love of the people who reach out to you during this time of loss. I saw God's love all around me after my sister died. I promise you, you will get through this. God will bring glory out of Abigail's short life. Your family is in my prayers. Mom in Mlps.*

*Minnesota*

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April 03, 2008 at 12:00 AM

MA

“ *Taylor Family: I've been following Abbey's progress and I want to thank you for allowing us to get to know your family and your daughter. Her will to live was incredible. Thank you for making sure this won't happen again to another child. Your daughter is a true inspiration and your family will make it through this. You are in my prayers daily.*

~

*Mary,*

*Maple Grove, Minnesota*

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**Mary** - April 01, 2008 at 12:00 AM

CW

“ *To the Taylor family: My family and our friends have been praying for Abby and you ever since the tragic accident. I have known John Paugh for 15 years. We send our deepest condolences.*

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*Court Winjum,*

*St. Paul, Minnesota*

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**Court Winjum** - March 31, 2008 at 12:00 AM

BA

“ I don't even know your family but tears just ran and ran down my face the night I learned that Abigail had died. What happened to her was so horribly unfair but it sure sounds like she was a trooper through it all. She and her family will continue to be in my thoughts and prayers. I am so sorry for your loss.

~

*Barb,*

*Buffalo, Minnesota*

*Contact Me*

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**Barb** - March 29, 2008 at 12:00 AM

PP

“ We live in Chicago (though originally from MN) and my aunt who resides in Edina told me about the beautiful luminary event last week. I went online to read more about Abigail, and as the mother of two young girls I shed many tears as I type this message. May God bless and provide you strength. What a beautiful, beautiful little girl. She is with the angels, please accept our prayers from afar. Peggy Plohg and Family

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*peggy plohg,*

*chicago, Illinois*

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**peggy plohg** - March 29, 2008 at 12:00 AM

BK

“ I'm so sorry to here of your loss, we have been greiving for the loss of our co-workers 5 year old daughter from Monticello who died from complication of the flu (3/10 ?) just a few days after her 5th birthday. I'd like to think that they are holding hands and skipping in heaven together. I just wanted to share that with you as I have a 5 year old girl that it seems I can't hug enough these last few weeks!

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*Barb Korbel,*

*Coon Rapids, Minnesota*

*Contact Me*

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**Barb Korbel** - March 28, 2008 at 12:00 AM



MS

“ Dear Taylor Family, My sincere and heartfelt sympathy to your family and I pray that God will comfort you in the days and years ahead!! I lost my beloved son in Iraq a little over a year ago and I know "My Josh" is playing with "your Abby" as an honorary niece! He spent much time playing with his own nieces, and I'm sure was overjoyed to hold your little Abby close to heart!!! Our heads and thoughts know they are in a much better place, but I know our hearts still hurt!! Know that my thoughts and prayers are with you!! God Bless You All!! Love & Prayers, Maggie Sticklen Proud & Loving Mom of CPL Josh Sticklen, USMC, KIA 12-03-06 IF LOVE COULD HAVE SAVED OUR BABIES, THEY WOULD HAVE LIVED FOREVER!

~

Maggie Sticklen,

Virginia Beach, Virginia

*Contact Me*

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**Maggie Sticklen** - March 28, 2008 at 12:00 AM

JE

“ *Abigail and her family are in my thoughts. I am so sorry for your loss. I also went to concord years ago and i remember that in kindergarten we lost a fellow classmate tragically, and i still think about her. She has left an impact in my life forever, just as Abigail has to each person who has heard her story, and has been lucky enough to have met or known her.*

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*Jennifer,*

*Edina, Minnesota*

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**Jennifer** - March 28, 2008 at 12:00 AM

AM

“ Dear Taylor Family-My heart breaks when I think of Abigail and all she endured, yet accomplished in her short-lived life. My heart breaks for you for the loss of this vivacious, shining six year old. How much more she could have and should have done with all of you. Peace.

~

*A Mom,*

*St. Louis Park*

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**A Mom** - March 28, 2008 at 12:00 AM

J(

“ I do not have the words to express my array of feelings.....I am eternally grateful for Abbie, Scott, and Katey's courage and strength to look beyond their own lives and into ours. Abbie answered God's call, and all of you have saved countless lives. My heart aches for the loss of your precious daughter. She IS truly amazing. May you be surrounded with the "peace that surpasses understanding" throughout this time and always. Thank you for sharing her with us. Our world is, indeed, a much better and safer place. May your world be filled with beautiful memories that celebrate her LIFE. With deepest sympathy and respect,

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Jana (mom,RN),

Seattle, Washington

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Jana (mom,RN) - March 27, 2008 at 12:00 AM

AM

“ To the Taylor Family, You are all in our thoughts and prayers. I think often of your daughter and the brave battle she fought. It saddens me to think she is no longer here on this earth but as a mother of two young daughters I would like to think she is more at peace now then she has been the last few months. Please know that even though we have never met you and your family and your dear Abigail are in our hearts now and forever. God Bless you all and my the sweet memories of your daughter stay with you in the difficult months to come! She was a BEAUTIFUL little girl!

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A Mom,

Minnesota

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**A Mom** - March 27, 2008 at 12:00 AM

MO

“ Dear Taylor Family I did not know Abigail personally, yet I also felt that I knew her very well. I know that she was a very strong little girl. She served her purpose on this earth, now she will live forever in the hearts of many. God Bless

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Molly,

Minneapolis, Minnesota

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**Molly** - March 27, 2008 at 12:00 AM

YN

“ To Abigail's family: You live one street away from us, something we did not know until we were wonderfully asked to be part of the luminaria tribute to Abigail. We are praying for all of you during this difficult time.

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*Your Neighbors,*

*Edina, Minnesota*

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**Your Neighbors** - March 27, 2008 at 12:00 AM

LS

“ Your family has been in my thoughts and prayers since the accident , I rejoiced at the news of the transplant and my heart aches at the loss of such a bright beautiful little light .I wish you and your family gentle peace.

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*Leslie Sundt,*

*Edina, Minnesota*

*Contact Me*

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**Leslie Sundt** - March 27, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ Taylor Family Through Abbey's life you have inspired the faith and hope of our community. We pray for your continued strength and courage. Our love and prayers, Madison, Maxwell, Beth and Todd Shuman (Edina)

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March 27, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ Scott & Family, You have been in my thoughts and prayers since last summer. May the comfort of friends and family be your strength now and in the days ahead. You have a special angel that will always be with you. With Deepest Sympathy,

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Carolyn (Oveson) Stritesky,

Eden Prairie, Minnesota

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**Carolyn (Oveson) Stritesky** - March 27, 2008 at 12:00 AM

DU

“ Dear Scott, Katey, Grace, Christina and Audrey, I have never met your family but like the rest of the community, we feel we have. Scott and Katey, thank you for keeping us all up to date on Abigails condition. Scott, you are such an inspiration to me as a Dad. You will some day again dance with you daughter Abigail. I have to little girls of my own and because of Abigail I will be a better Dad. I am so sorry for your lose.

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Dustin,

Chanhassen, Minnesota

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Dustin - March 27, 2008 at 12:00 AM

MA

“ Dear Taylor Family- As I drove around last night looking at the luminaries that were lit for Abbey, I could do nothing but cry. You have the support of many people and your family will be in my thoughts and prayers. Abbey was one great little girl and she will be missed by all, but her light will shine on and she will never be forgotten.

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MA,

*Edina, Minnesota*

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MA - March 27, 2008 at 12:00 AM

TG

“ Taylor Family,What an inspiring brave girl Abigail was. A little girl I never knew, but will never forget. I hope you find comfort through the love of those surrounding you, and may you find the strength of Abigail today and in the many months to come. Your family has touched so many lives, you are in our hearts and prayers...

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*Tina (Olson) Galle,*

*Excelsior*

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**Tina (Olson) Galle** - March 27, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ *The LORD bless you and keep you; the LORD make his face shine upon you and be gracious to you; the LORD turn his face toward you and give you peace.* ” *God bless*

*woodbury, Minnesota*

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March 27, 2008 at 12:00 AM

JC

“ I went to school with Katey. I remember playing on the same softball team with her once in school. She was so much fun. I just recently found out that Abigail was her angel. I did not know previously. We go to the same church, St Thomas the Apostle, and I have seen her there, although we have not spoken since back in school, I just wanted to tell her and her family how much my heart aches for her. You and your little girl are such heroes, you went through so much, and from what I have heard your daughter had a fighting spirit, the pain overtook her and she was lifted into God's arms where she is safe and with no pain. Katey, you are a Mom as I am, and I cannot imagine what you are feeling, just know that you will be together again with your baby girl. I am so sorry for your loss. Jenny Layer(Carlson), Greg, Shawn, and Ciara.

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*jenny carlson,*

*edina, Minnesota*

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**jenny carlson** - March 27, 2008 at 12:00 AM

BH

“ *Katy and Scott, Our condolences to you and your family as we just heard the news from my Mom. Our thoughts are with you all, as we are very very sad and sorry. Our memory of her 'dives' off the end of the big dock in NH put a smile on our faces...and we won't forget. With regret, Bette Funkhouser Higley and family*

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*bette funkhouser higley,*

*lebanon, New Jersey*

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**bette funkhouser higley** - March 27, 2008 at 12:00 AM

DR

“ Dear Taylor Family: I was stunned hearing a couple of weeks ago that little Abby had some rare form of cancer after the transplant. Even being a nurse, I had not heard of that before. I am so sorry for your loss. As a swimming pool owner, it opened my eyes. As a mom who has also lost a child, it's such a difficult loss, I can only imagine your terrible pain. Time does not heal all but what you do with the time does - support groups, faith lodge, individual counseling (for someone to dump on and perhaps objectify some of the issues surrounding your grief), are all ways to help you cope and find meaning in your sorrow. Keep the faith for your other daughters and know that Jesus walks with you as a great High Priest through the terrible pain. My family and I are praying for you and rejoicing that Abby no longer suffers.

~

*Debbie Reynolds, RN/BSN,*

*Burnsville, Minnesota*

[Contact Me](#)

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**Debbie Reynolds, RN/BSN** - March 27, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ *I didn't know Abbey or you dear family but when I look at that sweet face my heart breaks. I find myself wanting to comfort you so much. My thought is this; just imagining the look in Abbey's eyes the first time she looked into our sweet Jesus's face. How He must have smiled, threw His arms open and ran to scoop her up. Oh the rapture of that moment! Oh what incredible JOY! I pray for peace in your hearts.A Mom*

[Contact Me](#)

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March 26, 2008 at 12:00 AM

CP

“ *I don't know your Family personally, but our nephew went to school with Abby. You are in my thoughts and prayers, may you find comfort in that one day you will be together again. God Bless.*

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*C Pelinka,*

*Bloomington, Minnesota*

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**C Pelinka** - March 26, 2008 at 12:00 AM

CG

“ I am so sorry for your loss. Though I did not know your family, I see the face of your little girl and see me own.

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CG,

*Apple Valley*

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**CG** - March 26, 2008 at 12:00 AM

GF

“ *Abigail's story has touched so many hearts. Our family extends hugs and prayers to all of you. I recently lost my husband unexpectedly at a young age and found the community of St Thomas the Apostle to be an amazing support! May you have strength in the days ahead!*

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*Gigi Schroder & family,*

*Minneapolis, Minnesota*

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**Gigi Schroder & family** - March 26, 2008 at 12:00 AM

AN

“ Taylor Family, I am so sorry for your loss. I will be keeping Abbey in my prayers for a looooooong time. My grandparents belong to MGC and we were going to go swimming the day after it happened but the pool was closed and we heard about the accident, I immediatly started praying for Abbey, and I am very sorry for your loss. I know Abbey is having a great time in Heaven, and that God does everything for a reason.

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*Anonomous,*

*Minneapolis, Minnesota*

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**Anonomous** - March 26, 2008 at 12:00 AM

MC

“ Dear Abigail's family, My thoughts and prayers are with you at this horribly difficult time. As the parent of 2 children who have died, I understand some of the pain you are going through, although every situation is different. May you find peace and comfort in knowing she is at peace and in the arms of our loving Lord. You WILL see her again. Until then, she will watch over each of you everyday. God bless all of you,

~

*Melissa C,*

*Big Lake, Minnesota*

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**Melissa C** - March 26, 2008 at 12:00 AM

JK

“ *Scott and the entire Taylor family: We have been following this sad story after it broke last summer, and then it was even more heart breaking when I learned this was the daughter of an old Merrill buddy. Dean and I are so sorry to hear of the loss of Abigail. As parents ourselves, one can hardly understand why this happens, although we do believe God does have the "ultimate plan" for our lives. We will continue to lift you up in prayer in the days ahead. God Bless the whole Taylor family!*

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*Janell Kraus,*

*Eagan, Minnesota*

*Contact Me*

**Janel Kraus** - March 26, 2008 at 12:00 AM

JB

“ Dear Scott, Katey, Grace, Christina & Audrey, My family and I have been closely following Abby's story since it so tragically started last summer. You all and Abby have been closely associated with my brother Bob and his wife Becky. I will send a more personal card to your home later in the week, but my 9 year old twins, Christina & Lindsay wanted me to post our family's sincerest condolences and prayers as Abby leaves you here on earth to watch over your family with all of God's other precious angels in heaven. As my brother said, "the world's less better off without Abigail Taylor", but what huge and lasting impact she had on so many people because she was here, even if for such a short time. I wish we could have had the pleasure of meeting Abby in person, but fortunately we have had some great insite into her pesonality and strength from my brother. We will be watching from afar to see how you all are getting along. Take good care of each other and God Bless, Jim, Shari, Kelly, Andrew, Christina and Lindsay Bennett Lynchburg, VA

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*Jim Bennett,*

*Lynchburg, Virginia*

*Contact Me*

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**Jim Bennett** - March 26, 2008 at 12:00 AM

MA

“ *Dear taylor family, We are all thinking of you. As the days go on we are praying harder and harder. We love you all and God bless*

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*mary,*

*Georgia*

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**mary** - March 26, 2008 at 12:00 AM

AL

“ Even though I never met Abbey I feel as though I have. I attend Our Lady of Grace and we have been following Abbey as she has gone through this terrible journey. I want to let the Taylor family know that my family and I are keeping you in our prayers. Even though I am 13 and Abbey is only six I looked up to her and still do look up to her as a hero. Abbey will always be a hero in my eyes. Rest In Peace Abigail Taylor. God Bless

~

Allie Liebl,

Edina, Minnesota

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Allie Liebl - March 26, 2008 at 12:00 AM

SK

“ *My family is so sad for your loss. We have been praying and thinking of all of you since this unthinkable tragedy began. Katey, we sincerely hope there is some comfort in knowing your brother is holding her in his arms and loving her so much. Katey, my family lived one house away from you on Kellogg when we were young, you were just a baby. We will continue to keep your family in our prayers as you all begin the journey of healing. With love and peace, Sherri, Sandy, Susie, and our mother Jill Brynteson*

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*Sherri Knight,*

*Mpls, Minnesota*

*Contact Me*

**Sherri Knight** - March 26, 2008 at 12:00 AM

CZ

“ *To the Taylor & Paugh families, We have been and will be keeping you all in our thoughts and prayers. God bless.*

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*Charlie Zaugg,*

*Champlin, Minnesota*

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**Charlie Zaugg** - March 26, 2008 at 12:00 AM

TH

“ We are so sorry to hear of Abbey's passing. As a mother of a 5 and 3 year old girls...I cannot imagine what your family has had to endure. Please know that we will pray for your family.

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*The Hornigs,*

*Eden Prairie, Minnesota*

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**The Hornigs** - March 26, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ God bless~

*Connecticut*

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March 26, 2008 at 12:00 AM

LT

“ Dear Taylor family, Ever since Abigail's accident, you all have been in our prayers. Please accept our deepest sympathy for your loss. Abigail's picture on TV always showed such a cute, fun-loving little girl. Our hearts go out to you. Sincerely, Laurie & Jack Trimbo

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*Laurie Trimbo,*

*Shakopee, Minnesota*

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**Laurie Trimbo** - March 26, 2008 at 12:00 AM

OG

“ Dear Taylor Family, We have been following Abbey's journey since the beginning. Her bravery and determination has inspired us all. Abbey truly was the meaning of strength. We will continue to live out her love for life everyday...she will not be forgotten. Your family will be kept in our prayers. Keep the faith.

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*Our Lady of Grace Catholic School 8th Graders,*

*Edina, Minnesota*

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**Our Lady of Grace Catholic School 8th Graders** - March 26, 2008 at 12:00 AM

AL

“ To the Taylor and Paugh Families, My deepest sympathies go out to you at this most difficult time. My prayers have been with your family since I first learned of the pool accident. Abby sounded like such a strong little girl, wise beyond her years. Her smile glows with the spirit. May many memories and the thought of many people praying for your family bring you some peace and comfort.

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*Angela Lillie,*

*Minneapolis, Minnesota*

*Contact Me*

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**Angela Lillie** - March 26, 2008 at 12:00 AM



AA

“*Katey & Scott, I have wonderful memories of the times I spent with Abbey. I will always remember how she was "full" even though she had barely touched her plate.. Yet seemed to manage to make room for that big peice of chocolate cake at the end of the meal. And how she turned me into a human jungle gym everytime I came over to the house. Her feet almost never touched the floor when Uncle Johnny or I was around. I am so sorry for your loss. Abbey will always be a special little girl.*

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*Adam Abrams,*

*Minnetonka, Minnesota*

*Contact Me*

**Adam Abrams** - March 26, 2008 at 12:00 AM

JC

“ We lost our son 6 months ago and we watched what you went through with your little girl. She was brave and fought hard to stay with you from what we read. Know that she is still with you and can feel your love. The people we care about never really "go" anywhere, we are eternal, they stay with us, around us and in our hearts. Believe in the impossible, see the invisible, know that love conquers all adversity.

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*john c,*

*Phoenix, Arizona*

*Contact Me*

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john c - March 26, 2008 at 12:00 AM

LR

“ *I am so sorry to hear of the loss of your little angel. It was an honor and a pleasure to have gotten to know your family and take care of Abbey during her stay at Children's - Minneapolis, 3rd floor. I will miss Abbey's warm smile. Your family's strength, love, and dedication to one another has been inspiring. Although there are no words that can fill the voids in your hearts, I pray that you find comfort knowing Abbey's story and her beautiful smile brought joy not only into your world but into the hearts of thousands of people. May God's grace and blessings be with you and your entire family.*

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*La Yang-Thao, RN,*

*Cottage Grove, Minnesota*

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La Yang-Thao, RN - March 26, 2008 at 12:00 AM

JB

“ Sorry for your loss katey and scott. Mom is right my dad paul jr will watch over abby . we will keep you in or thoughts. God bless Julie Bauer & husband Jason

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*Julie Bauer-Hammond,*

*portland, Oregon*

*Contact Me*

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**Julie Bauer-Hammond** - March 26, 2008 at 12:00 AM

CL

“ *Abbey and Taylor Family! don't ever remember being inspired by such a little girl before. I really wish that I had had a chance to meet Abbey because she made such a big impact on my life and the lives of people around me. I also wish that I had a chance to thank her. As we were talking about Abbey's story in Science class the other day, my teacher asked us why we thought bad things always happen to good people. She then reminded us of the fact that maybe the reason for this is, God knows that that person has made an impact on the lives of other people and they have done their job in our world. Because of Abby, no one will ever have to go through what she went through. Rest in peace Abigail... You will never be forgotten!*

~

*Claire,*

*Edina, Minnesota*

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**Claire** - March 26, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ *I wish I had the words to take away the pain. What a horrible thing to happen when doing such an innocent childhood activity as swimming. I pray for your family may God's Love embrace your family at this extremely difficult time.*

*Maple Grove, Minnesota*

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March 26, 2008 at 12:00 AM

TF

“ Our daughter, Ruth, was on Abbey's soccer team last summer, the Dolphins. Ruth loved playing with Abbey, and later, when we would talk about Abbey's illness, she would always say, "You know, Dad, Abbey was a GREAT runner." We've been keeping Abbey in our prayers, and we will continue to do so. She was a wonderful sprite of a girl, with a contagious smile. Rest in peace, Abbey. You'll always have a special place in our hearts and in our memories. Our deepest wishes of condolence go to the Taylor family, for this terrible, tragic loss. Please know we are holding you in our prayers as well.

~

*The Maines Family,*

*Edina, Minnesota*

*Contact Me*

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**The Maines Family** - March 26, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ *We're so sorry for the loss of your beautiful little girl and for all that she went through. Our thoughts and prayers are with you all.* ”

*Mahtomedi, Minnesota*

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March 26, 2008 at 12:00 AM

CB

“*Katey, I have no words to describe the sorrow I feel. People say "time heals all wounds". They are only partly correct. The wound will always be there, but with time it becomes more bearable. The memories will be precious and her beautiful spirit will forever remain with you, giving you strenghts to carry on. I know that Uncle Paul Jr. will also look after her.*

~

*Christine Bauer-Newland,*

*Wiesbaden, Oregon*

*Contact Me*

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**Christine Bauer-Newland** - March 26, 2008 at 12:00 AM

MH

“ Taylor family, I never knew Abbey personally, but I know people who did. My school made cards for her and our teacher was constantly updating us on her. I am so sorry for your loss and know that her purpose was served and she is in a better place.

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*maggie hunt,*

*edina, Minnesota*

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**maggie hunt** - March 26, 2008 at 12:00 AM

MC

“ I am so sorry for your loss. But during Holy Week I saw the name Abigail Rose and thought, "Abby has now risen and is with Jesus and the angels.>" Hope for her and all of us. My prayers and sympathy to your entire family

~

*Meg Gillespie, cSJ,*

*Bloomington, Minnesota*

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**Meg Gillespie, cSJ** - March 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM

AM

“ I am so sorry for your loss. Abigail's story is heartbreaking. I will never forget this brave little girl.

~

A Mom,

Minnesota

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A Mom - March 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ Your story so touched us, especially since our granddaughter Lily had a liver transplant at Omaha in 1996, and we were familiar with the great team of doctors there. We are extremely sorry to hear that Abigail has lost her fight. May God bless you all. Lily's grandparents, Anoka, MN

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March 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM

FV

“ I have been following your family journal with Abbey for quite some time. Cheering for all of your family when you heard good news and sharing your pain and sadness at the many setbacks. Your faith and love for God are truly an inspiration for everyone. May that faith sustain you now in the days and months ahead and know that many people everywhere are praying for all of you. Words cannot describe how sorry I am for losing precious Abbey to such an unnecessary tragedy and I know that her beautiful smile and personality are lighting up all of Heaven! You and your family are kept in our family's prayers.

~

*Family in Apple Valley, MN*

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**Family in Apple Valley** - March 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM

LA

“ *Abigail touched my heart. Her smile reminds me of my niece who is her age. The thought of this tragedy happening to her brings tears to my eyes. Abigail has been in my thoughts since her transplant and I was praying she'd pull through. I am so sorry for your loss. She and your family are in my prayers.*

~

*Laurie,*

*Maple Grove, Minnesota*

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**Laurie** - March 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM

AA

“ Like the others I have no words to express my sorrow for your loss. As a grandmother of 12 I can only pray that my family does not experience your tragedy. My faith tells me that your precious angel is in a very special place watched over through eternity by a loving God. My he also give you peace in your time of grief. My grandbabies got special hugs and kisses in Abby's memory.

~

*Annie Arnold,*

*Plymouth, Minnesota*

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**Annie Arnold** - March 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM

MH

“*Katey, you were such a bright shining star in our class last year at ECFE. Your humor and wit was always a high point of my week. My grief for you and your family cannot be greater. I hope you keep that part of your soul that shines out towards others. It's the part of you Abbey inherited that allowed her to keep her spirits up for so long. She will never be far from our thoughts and hearts. All of our love and support.*

~

*Michael Hlavac,*

*Edina, Minnesota*

*Contact Me*

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**Michael Hlavac** - March 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM

NK

“ *I cannot begin to imagine the loss and pain you feel. Just know that you are in many hearts at this time. We are praying for your family.*

~

*Nancy Kelly,*

*Larimore, North Dakota*

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**Nancy Kelly** - March 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM

J(

“ Dear Taylor Family, May your family find peace and please know that many of us are thinking of you and wish you all the love in the world. Abigail's story touched the hearts of so many people and we will not forget her. Her spirit and memory lives on. Love and God Bless.

~

*John (Visitor),*

*Buffalo, Minnesota*

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**John (Visitor)** - March 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM

AH

“ *My thoughts and prayers go out to you and your family. I had been following Abigail's story and wished so hard for a different outcome. What a brave and beautiful little girl! Now she's at peace.*

~

*Ann Holmstrom,*

*friend of Keri Westlund*

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**Ann Holmstrom** - March 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM

AM

“ Dear Taylor Family, Look for the luminaries on Wednesday night. No light will shine as bright as Abbey but may they serve as a reminder of how loved she and all of you are. You know no strangers here. Remembering a little girl I never met but will always remember...

~

*A fellow mother...,*

*Edina, Minnesota*

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**A fellow mother...** - March 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM

AP

“ Taylor Family: I wish I had something comforting to say to support you at this time of need. Like many, many other guest-book signers, I didn't know your DARLING and BRAVE daughter/sister/cousin. Thank you for "including us" in your journey and for fighting so hard for all children. In the midst of your grief, may the Virgin Mary (the good Lord Jesus and St. Thomas, the Apostle) comfort you. I understand very little about life...but I do know this prayer, and suspect you do too: Remember, O most gracious Virgin Mary, that never was it known that anyone who fled to thy protection, implored thy help, or sought thine intercession was left unaided. Inspired by this confidence, I fly unto thee, O Virgin of virgins, my mother; to thee do I come, before thee I stand, sinful and sorrowful. O Mother of the Word Incarnate, despise not my petitions, but in thy mercy hear and answer me. Amen.

~

*An Aunt and Godmother from St. Paul,*

*Minnesota*

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**An Aunt and Godmother from St. Paul** - March 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM

MG

“ Dear Taylor Family, My heart aches for your family. I can not begin to imagine all that you have been thru as a family. Please know that you have been in my thoughts and prayers since last June when this nightmare all started. My young girls have learned about Abbey and too have prayed for her. We will all continue to pray for you and ask God to gently mend your broken hearts and strengthen you to carry on Abbey's amazing spirit and joy for life. May the coming days, weeks and months find you wrapped in God's love and grace.

~

*Mom of 2 girls,*

*Edina, Minnesota*

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**Mom of 2 girls** - March 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM

TP

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with all of you at this time of sorrow. Abbey was a beautiful girl with so much spirit and she will be missed dearly. Her spirit lives on in Heaven and in our hearts. All our love.

~

*The Coop Family \*\* Brook, Tiffany, Kylie, Briggs & Palmer,*

*Scottsdale, Arizona*

*Contact Me*

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**The Coop Family \*\* Brook, Tiffany, Kylie, Briggs & Palmer** - March 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM

AT

“ Scott, Katie, Grace, Christina and Audrey, I am stunned and deeply saddened by the loss of your Abbey...peace and healing to your family.

~

*A. Kramer (Camp Tanadoona),*

*St. Paul*

*Contact Me*

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**A. Kramer (Camp Tanadoona)** - March 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM

AR

“ Dear Taylor Family, Your family will always hold a very special place in my heart. I will never forget Abbey's beautiful smile. God bless you all in this time of grief. My heart, thoughts and prayers are with you all always.

~

*A Children's RN,*

*Minneapolis, MN*

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**A Children's RN** - March 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM

JU

“ *God Bless your sweet little heart Dear Abigail. May your family find the strength to go on until you meet again.*

~

*Julie,*

*Oak Grove, Minnesota*

*Contact Me*

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**Julie** - March 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM

AG

“ We are all so sorry for you and your family. We will be praying for all of you, and for Abigail. She is an inspiration to everyone. One comfort for you may be that she can now be happy in heaven and that you will be together with her again one day.

~

*A Mom and Grandmother of Two Little Girls,*

*Edina, Minnesota*

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**A Mom and Grandmother of Two Little Girls** - March 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM

JN

“ Although I, too, did not know you and Abby in person, have followed her/your story from the beginning and remembered you in prayer, especially once again when we heard the final outcome and how this accident caused her death - just before Easter! The first thing once again I did was to pray and to thank our loving God for the VICTORY that is ours/yours/Abby's because of Easter! Jesus has won the victory for little Abby and for all of us and she is with Him forever. May this fact give you strength for the weeks ahead - He IS with you and will never leave. Just know that all of us care so much for you and your family and what you are going through. I have a 7 year old granddaughter and I simply cry when I think of what that would mean to lose her.

~

*JoAnn Nielsen,*

*Lindstrom, Minnesota*

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**JoAnn Nielsen** - March 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM

DP

“ My condolences on the passing of Abigail. My wife, Judy, and I lost a daughter in 1976 after she was hospitalized for four years because of brain injury caused by a home accident. Continue to love each other and be supportive. This is the hardest thing you will ever suffer. Abigail has left a great legacy in the legislation that has been passed, so others will not have to suffer her's and your loss.

~

*Dennis Peters,*

*Bloomington, Minnesota*

*Contact Me*

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**Dennis Peters** - March 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM

PA

“ Dear Taylor family, I'm am amazed how your strong little girl could go though that i am proud of you. I prayed for you ever day. Thoughts and regards, Paige Anderson

~

Paige Anderson,

Edina, Minnesota

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**Paige Anderson** - March 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM

T4

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you in your time of grief. May your memories bring you comfort.

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*Tina, Maggie 6, Morgan 4,*

*Edina*

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**Tina, Maggie 6, Morgan 4** - March 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM

RK

“ To the Taylor Family: My thoughts and prayers are with you. When I learned that Abby was Scott Taylor's daughter and heard stories of her on the news, I knew she must have the same "spunky, outgoing and fiesty" personality of her Dad. I'm sorry the world will never know her past the age of 6, however, there is a "spunky" angel in Heaven now - I bet Heaven has never seen so much bounce, snap & zest!

~

*Ramona Kaye,*

*Bloomington, Minnesota*

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**Ramona Kaye** - March 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ Dear Taylor Family, Looking back twenty-some years to our days at Jefferson High School, we could only imagine the very best for our friends who were such a vital part of our lives. Many, many years have now passed, but thankfully the connection to our past never fades. We have been following Abbey's story since last July. A devastating story that has remained on our minds and in our hearts these past several months. After learning that little Abigail Rose Taylor is the precious daughter of Scott and the niece of Susan, without hesitation we support the struggle and loss you are experiencing. From a mother who herself lost a baby, no pain is greater than the loss of a child. Know that Abbey will forever be your guiding light, an angel and an inspiration that will forever be by your side. Scott and Susan, we remember you and your loving family in our thoughts and prayers. Take care of each other during this difficult time. Our very best goes out to the entire Taylor family. With love and condolences, Amy (Matson) Schenk Traci (Severson) Brandt Mary Jo (Helbig) Bishop Bloomington Jefferson '86

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*Jefferson Classmates: Matson, Severson & Helbig,*

*Eagan, Savage & Tonka Bay, Minnesota*

*Contact Me*

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**Jefferson Classmates: Matson, Severson & Helbig** - March 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM

JR

“ *Taylor Family-Our prayers are with you as you go through this difficult time. May you find peace knowing that Abigail is not in pain anymore. Abigail is now an angel watching over you. God Bless!*

~

*Jon & Nancy Reuter,*

*St. Louis Park*

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**Jon & Nancy Reuter** - March 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM

JM

“ Dear Taylor family, I want to express my deepest sympathy in the loss of Abby. I was so sad the day I learned of her passing. I have been following her story ever since the accident and have prayed for you all on a daily basis. She touched many lives and hearts that you don't even realize. God bless you all in this difficult time.

~

*Jean Mallory,*

*Green Isle, Minnesota*

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**Jean Mallory** - March 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM

JB

“*Katey and Family, I have been thinking and praying for you all since June. I am so sorry for the loss of your daughter. I will continue to pray for all of you. God Bless , Jane*

~

*jane bolton,*

*plymouth, Minnesota*

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**jane bolton** - March 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM

AH

“ Dear Taylor Family, "Like a candle in the Wind" comes to my mind- with Abbey's flame going out too soon. May you find peace knowing that Abbey is free from her struggles and with God. Much love, Amy, Doug, Haley, Emma, and Lily

~

*Amy Hastings,*

*Menomonie, Wisconsin*

*Contact Me*

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**Amy Hastings** - March 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM

JM

“ Words cannot express how sorry we are to hear of your loss. Our thoughts, prayers and hugs go to your family. I hear Abbey was a strong, spirited child. Cathy has spoken very highly of your family and has enjoyed every moment. Your family holds a special place in our hearts.

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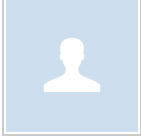
*Julie(Pumarlo), John, Carter & Elliott Mason,*

*Chapel Hill, North Carolina*

*Contact Me*

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**Julie(Pumarlo), John, Carter & Elliott Mason - March 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM**



“ *Though I have never met your beautiful Abigail or anyone in your family, I must say that I have been deeply saddened by your tragedy, and touched by the beautiful spirit of your daughter. May each and every day be filled with loving memories, and may Abigail's loving presence remain with each of you each day forward. She will always live within you. My deepest condolences are with you and your family. Mother of two children in Edina*

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March 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM

AM

“ Dear Taylor Family,As a mother of 4 boys, I have always been fascinated with families with 4 girls. My family and I followed Abbey's story since the summer. I also have a first grader and can only imagine the pain of losing your precious one. Your girls are enduring a pain that no child should have. As time passes, I hope they can transform their pain into compassion and understanding to those who face similar circumstances. This may be their greatest gift from Abbey.Though we have never met, your family's strength and courage has touched us.

~

A mom,

*Excelsior*

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**A mom** - March 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM

CS

“ Dear Gracie, I so sorry to hear about your sister. Just wanted to let you know that I am thinking about you and your family. Your friend and swimming buddy, Elena P.

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*caroline Skaar-Page,*

*Eden Prairie, Minnesota*

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**caroline Skaar-Page** - March 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM

AG

“ I think about Abigail and you all everyday. Her story has never left my mind and I doubt it ever will. God's blessings to you.

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*A mom to 3 girls,*

*Minnesota*

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**A mom to 3 girls** - March 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM

SS

“ *Abigail's story broke the hearts of many of us who did not know her personally. We sorrow with you at this hard time.*

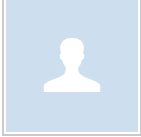
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*Sue Schoessler,*

*Shoreview, Minnesota*

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**Sue Schoessler** - March 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ to the taylor family my family and i are thinking of you during this difficult time we too have lost a child it has been 20 years since the loss of our son and he is still in our thoughts everyday as will abby be in yours everyhour of everyday we wish you the best and pray that you can get through your grief and remain as strong a family as you were before this tragedy the strength you have now will help you understand that your little angel had a purpose to fulfill here and is now waiting for you in heaven

~

*a family in new brighton mn*

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March 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM

TF

“ Dear Taylor family. You and Abby have been in our thoughts and prayers since last June. We're so sorry for your loss, and that you had to endure such heartache. As the thought of your situation came over me tonight, I gave a teary eyed bear hug to my little girl. She asked me why I had tears. When I told her about little Abby and how she was now in heaven, a tear began to roll down her cheek as she returned my hug.

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*The Nelson Family,*

*Plymouth, Minnesota*

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**The Nelson Family** - March 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM

J.

“ Dearest Taylor family, Our family has been devastated upon learning of your daughter's passing. We have a son, Abbey's age, so we identify with how glorious that time of life is. We wish you strength and healing in your days ahead. May your faith lead you into His Light and the comfort He'll provide. Many blessings to your family.

~

J.K,

Chico, California

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J.K - March 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM

KT

“ I happen to have the same last name as Abby(no relation) but felt a connection to her from the first day the story broke.I have never been so inspired by a such a Brave little girl! I extend my deepest sympathy to Scott and Katey and their 3 girls. You all are in my thoughts and Prayers.

~

*Katie Taylor,*

*St.Paul, Minnesota*

*Contact Me*

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**Katie Taylor** - March 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM

AE

“ How profoundly our lives can change in the blink of an eye...people all over this country who have followed your family's tragic story are hugging their children a little tighter in memory of your little girl. Godspeed, and best of luck in your continued efforts to effect positive legislative change with regard to pool safety in Abbey's name.

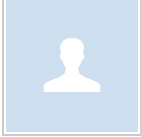
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*A Supportive Mom in Eagan,*

*Eagan, Minnesota*

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**A Supportive Mom in Eagan** - March 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ i am sorry to here the passing of you daughter she was a brave little girl an she fight a lot sorry for your lost and you and your family are in my prayer

*mpls, Minnesota*

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March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

AM

“ You're little Angel Abbey will live on thru her sisters forever, and they will carry Abbey's strength and spirit with them always.

~

*a Mom,*

*Edina, Minnesota*

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**a Mom** - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

KB

“ Dear Taylor Family, My wife and I have been following Abigail's journey since last summer and we hoped and prayed for the best. Abigail was a beautiful little girl and a courageous fighter that taught us all lessons. Know that her experience will save the lives of many others for years to come. Cherish the memories forever and ever. Katey - you may not recognize my name but I grew up hanging out with Tom and spent many years of great times at your folk's home on Kellogg. The Kevin Brose Family

~

*Kevin Brose,*

*Bloomington, Minnesota*

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**Kevin Brose** - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ We never know what lies ahead for any of us. But when It involves a child-it's heart breaking. Though we have never met, You are in my thoughts and Prayers today and always. May you feel the love and support that is all around you. God Bless you always! Abigail Is now in heaven and will never feel an ounce of pain ever again. Abby We all Love You, You are beautiful!!!!

~

*Sonia*

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March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

AN

“ *Stay Strong.*

~

*Angie,*

*New Hope, Minnesota*

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**Angie** - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

KS

“ Scott, Katie, children and extended family, Through this continued difficult time and journey in your lives, remember that you have many people praying for you. Abigail and her sparkplug personality has touched hundreds if not thousands, what a beautiful gift from GOD. May GOD Bless all of you and keep you in HIS loving arms. With Deepest Sympathy. Kathy Swanson, PGA/LPGA President, Minnesota Section PGAMinneapolis Golf Club

~

*Kathy Swanson,*

*Cambridge, Minnesota*

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**Kathy Swanson** - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

JO

“ To the Taylor Family, I am so sorry for your lose. We lost our grand daughter a year ago this March so my heart goes out to you. Know that Abigail is in a much better place no more pain and you will see her again in heaven

~

*Jenni Okan,*

*Saint Louis Park, Minnesota*

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**Jenni Okan** - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

A2

“ To all the Taylor family, I was so saddened to hear of Abby's passing. It felt like losing a friend as she had been in all of our hearts since her accident. Please know that you are all in our thoughts and prayers. May God give you strength and hope in this difficult time.

~

*A mom of 2,*

*Zimmerman, Minnesota*

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**A mom of 2** - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

JR

“ Taylor family, I want you to know that you and your family are in my thoughts and prayers at this very difficult time.

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*Julie Ronnei(Murphy),*

*Vidor, Texas*

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**Julie Ronnei(Murphy)** - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

WD

“ *My deepest condolences go to your entire family. The loss of your beloved daughter is heartbreaking. I've kept her in my thoughts ever since her unfortunate event.*

~

*Wendy Dalsin,*

*Saint Paul, Minnesota*

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**Wendy Dalsin** - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

PB

“ We are always here for you. We share your sadness and we remember the happy times too. Now Abbey can be with Mitzi!!Love and hugs, Paul and Paula

~

*PAUL bauer,*

*Sun City, Arizona*

*Contact Me*

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**PAUL bauer** - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

TK

“ *Our deepest sympathy goes out to you and your family. She has touch our family and we have thought and prayed for her. God Bless Your Entire Family.*

~

*Tracy Lapel King,*

*Helena, Montana*

*Contact Me*

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**Tracy Lapel King** - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

MS

“ *Your little girl left a great legacy of courage and love. What a bright smile shines out from her picture! God bless you all in your grief and in your hope of being with her again when life's journey takes you there.*

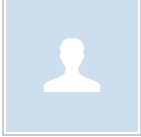
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*Margaret Scheirman,*

*Richfield, Minnesota*

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**Margaret Scheirman** - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ Dear Taylor Family, Your Abby is such a light to our world and I have been deeply moved by her and your family's story. I'm a mom of 3 and a 3rd grade teacher and I can just imagine what a joy she was to you and all that knew her and is now to the hosts of angels she's surrounded by. I cannot imagine the depth of your pain and loss and will hold you in my thoughts and prayers for months to come. May God hold you in the palm of his hand in your hour of need. Love, A Mom

*Victoria, Minnesota*

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March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

SH

“ *my thoughts and prayers are with your family, Abigail will live in my heart forever such amazing little girl.*

~

*shannon,*

*oakdale, Minnesota*

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**shannon** - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

MB

“ *Sadness overwhelms me. She is so beautiful. This could have been my children, neice, nephew as we have had many hours splashing in the sun. Please know that many are praying for you all. Until you meet again, treasure the memories. She is a blessing to many.*

~

*Mom of 3 boys,*

*mound, MN, Minnesota*

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**Mom of 3 boys** - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

GH

“ *My heart goes out to you at this time in your lives and in the days ahead. My thoughts and prayers are with you in your time of grief. May your memories bring you comfort. Glen James Hausfeld*

~

*Glen Hausfeld,*

*Minneapolis, Minnesota*

*Contact Me*

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**Glen Hausfeld** - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

JC

“ I am so sorry for your loss. I have been following this story ever since last summer. I was even more saddened when I found out that Katey was a friend of my brother's (Chris Clingerman) throughout school. I can only imagine the pain that you and your family feels at this time. I hope that the love that you have around you will keep your spirits up knowing your beautiful daughter is in Heaven shining down on all of you. I will continue to keep you all in my thoughts and prayers. Sincerely, Jessica Clingerman

~

*Jessica Clingerman,*

*St. Paul, Minnesota*

*Contact Me*

**Jessica Clingerman** - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

AM

“ *My heart aches for you and your family. Your daughter is and always has been an angel because of her other children will be safe. God put your baby girl on earth for a reason and in her 6 years here she has accomplished more than most people accomplish in 100. I'm sure you are very proud of her. You have been in my thoughts and prayers from the moment I heard her story and will continue to be. Thank you Abigail for all you have done and will continue to do.*

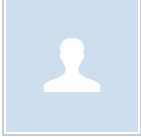
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*A thankful mom,*

*oakdale, Minnesota*

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**A thankful mom** - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ I have looked at Abigail's beautiful smiling face since this happened. I have thought about you as her parents, as I have two beautiful daughters also and know nothing I can say will bring you comfort from the pain. I know pain but I also know this Abigail and her parents have made me a better person as she is the shining light for all. When you feel alone, know that there is someone that will always pray for grace and strength to get you through. May you be blessed with the love of all to hold you so tight and help you breath!A mom whose heart is broken for you!

*Contact Me*

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March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ Your beautiful little Abbey will always be watching down on you and forever in your hearts. My thoughts and prayers have been with you.

~

*A mom in Blaine*

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March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

PA

“ To Abigail's parents and family, My prayer for you is to find strength and courage as you mourn the loss of this beautiful child. May God watch over you.

~

*Patricia,*

*Prior Lake*

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**Patricia** - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

CM

“ Taylors-an image of playing "this little piggy" with abbey jumped into my head, and i couldn't help but to cry. she and i had so few carefree happy times together and playing this game always made her smile and laugh. it is hard to imagine her not growing up to be the sassy teenager that i know she would have been. hard to imagine her never trying out for American Idol... Hard to imagine how Grace will cope with the loss of her closest sister. it hurts my heart that i am not able to join your family for the funeral, to give my condolences in person, but i hope to see you all soon. until then i will be thinking of all of you. take care as best you can.

~

Caly M,

St Louis Park, Minnesota

*Contact Me*

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**Caly M** - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

RN

“ *You are all in my thoughts and prayers.*

~

*Roxanne Norlund,*

*Frederic, Wisconsin*

*Contact Me*

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**Roxanne Norlund** - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

MA

“ As God took her in His arms, may He hold your hearts as well. This is the most difficult thing a parent must do, to let a child go. My deepest sympathy to your family. Hold fast to God, He will get you thru this. From someone who has been there. Bloomington, MN

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*Mandy Anderson,*

*Bloomington, Minnesota*

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**Mandy Anderson** - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

MB

“ Dear Katey and all of Abbey's family, I am heartbroken for you. May you find comfort in the love of your families and many friends, old and new. Abbey was a strong and beautiful child. I am so sorry for your loss. With love,

~

*Molly (Holcombe) Booton,*

*Shorewood, Minnesota*

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**Molly (Holcombe) Booton** - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

BG

“*Katey, Scott, Grace, Christina, and Audrey, Words can not express how saddened I was when the news came of Abbey leaving us for Heaven. I have known Abbey for practically all her life, watching her grow up in the Child Center at the club. Oh, I can see the sparkle in her eyes and that sneaky little smile of hers. She was a great kid! She will always be in my thoughts as I have the "thank you" picture from Grace's birthday party at my desk. I have admired how strong Abbey and your family have been over the last 8 months. Please know that I am wishing you the best, if at all possible, during these times and the future. Abbey has touched so many lives in such a short time, and will continue her work in Heaven as the Best Little Angel ever.*

~

*Brenda Geisler,*

*Minnetonka*

*Contact Me*

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**Brenda Geisler** - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

AN

“ *Your little Abigail has stolen the hearts of all of us who knew her only through the news reports and everyone is devastated to learn of this tragic loss of a beautiful little girl. These past months must have been excruciating for you as you watched your little darling suffer so much. Her story has been heard throughout America and now America grieves with the Taylor family. May God grant you the graces that will help you to get through the days and weeks ahead. May all of the support of so many friends and strangers help to bring you solace. You are in my prayers,*

~

*Anonymous,*

*Naples, Florida*

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**Anonymous** - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

TS

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with you in your time of grief. May your memories bring you comfort.* ”

~

*tonya stavana,*

*endwell, New York*

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**tonya stavana** - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

TR

“ *I am so sorry for your family's loss. Know that Abigail touched millions of people in a positive light during her short life here on Earth.*

~

*Tricia,*

*St Louis Park, Minnesota*

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**Tricia** - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

A4

“ *Bless your hearts for enduring this unimaginable loss. We followed Abigail's story and words cannot express our sorrow for your beautiful angel's untimely death.*

~

*A mom of 4,*

*Eden Prairie*

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**A mom of 4** - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

AM

“ *May angels surround you with their presence and calm your spirit. I will continue to pray for healing for your family. Knowing your beautiful girl is at peace and pain free sitting on the lap of our Lord and Savior, may you find comfort.*

~

*A Mom,*

*Bemidji, Minnesota*

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**A Mom** - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

LA

“ I'm so sorry for the loss of your beautiful little girl and for all that she went through. My thoughts and prayers are with you all.

~

*Laura,*

*Plymouth, Minnesota*

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**Laura** - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

AM

“ I have prayed for your family since last summer - I will continue to hold you all up in my prayers as you move through this sad journey. God's grace and Abigail's smile will shine on until you meet again. God bless.

~

*A Mom,*

*Roseville, Minnesota*

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**A Mom** - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

PE

“ *I am so sorry for the loss of your adorable little girl Abigail, your family is in my thoughts and prayers.*

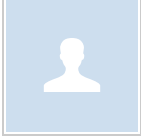
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*Penny,*

*Fridley, Minnesota*

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**Penny** - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ *My thoughts and prayers are with your whole family during this difficult time..... Abigail has touched many peoples lives without even knowing them. Now she is free from pain and your angel above.....*

*st louis park, Minnesota*

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March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

RD

“ Taylor Family, Although I don't know you personally, I've heard updates through those in the community. May God continue to give you the strength you need to get through this difficult time.

~

*Rene' Diaz,*

*Edina, Minnesota*

*Contact Me*

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**Rene' Diaz** - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

KM

“ Dear Taylor Family, We know the pain of your loss. We lost twin boys. My heart goes out to you. There is an organization that may help you get through this very difficult time. The organization/charity is called Faith's Lodge, started by a family who also lost a baby girl. [www.faithslodge.org](http://www.faithslodge.org). It is a retreat center for moms, dads, and families to get away to to grieve the loss of a child. I hope this helps. Someone may have already told you about it.

~

*Katie Murphy,*

*Golden Valley, Minnesota*

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**Katie Murphy** - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

JQ

“ *Abbey will forever remain in our hearts. Our thoughts and prayers are with all of you. Love, Jim and Sherry Quigley*

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*Jim and Sherry Quigley,*

*Milford*

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**Jim and Sherry Quigley** - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

CA

“ *Dearest Taylor Family, Our thoughts and prayers are with you at this difficult time. Please know that Abigail Rose touched so many lives. We all can have the comfort of knowing that this special little angel is no longer suffering and is at peace in heaven. Although she will be missed forever. May God Bless all of you and keep you in his tender care. (a mom & her son in New Brighton)*

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*Claudia & Alejandro AlcalaRodriguez,*

*New Brighton, Minnesota*

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**Claudia & Alejandro AlcalaRodriguez** - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

“ To my dearest family, some things I'd like to say...but first of all, to let you know, that I arrived okay.I'm writing this from heaven. Here I dwell with God above.Here, there's no more tears of sadness; here is just eternal love. Please do not be unhappy just because I'm out of sight. Remember that I'm with you every morning, noon and night. That day I had to leave you when my life on earth was through, God picked me up and hugged me and He said, "I welcome you." It's good to have you back again; you were missed while you were gone.As for your dearest family, they'll be here later on.I need you here badly; you're part of my plan.There's so much that we have to do, to help our mortal man." God gave me a list of things, that he wished for me to do.And foremost on the list, was to watch and care for you.And when you lie in bed at night, the day's chores put to flight.God and I are closest to you....in the middle of the night.When you think of my life on earth, and all those loving yearsbecause you are only human, they are bound to bring you tears.But do not be afraid to cry; it does relieve the pain.Remember there would be no flowers, unless there was some rain.I wish that I could tell you all that God has planned.But if I were to tell you, you wouldn't understand.But one thing is for certain, though my life on earth is o'er.I'm closer to you now, than I ever was before. There are many rocky roads ahead of you and many hills to climb;but together we can do it by taking one day at a time.It was always my philosophy and I'd like it for you too...that as you give unto the world, the world will give to you.If you can help somebody who's in sorrow and pain,then you can say to God at night....."My day was not in vain."And now I am contented....that my life has been worthwhile, knowing as I passed along the way, I made somebody smile. So if you meet somebody who is sad and feeling low, just lend a hand to pick him up, as on your way you go. When you're walking down the street, and you've got me on your mind; I'm walking in your footsteps only half a step behind. And when it's time for you to go.... from that body to be free, remember you're not going.....you're coming here to me. Ruth Ann Mahaffey (author) © Copyright 1998-2008 <http://www.ruthann1.com>

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*Bobbie,*

*bLOOMINGTON*

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**Bobbie** - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

AM

“ I am so sorry for the loss of your little girl, Abigail. I have followed your story and prayed for all of you since I first read about it. It could have been any of us. My thoughts and prayers continue to be with you.

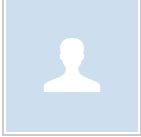
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*A mom,*

*Blaine*

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**A mom** - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ *My heartfelt sympathies for the loss of your beautiful daughter. Though we have never met, I too am a parent and can't even begin to imagine your heartache. Your family is in my thoughts and prayers.*

*Brooklyn Park, Minnesota*

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March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

AM

“ *My thoughts and prayers go out to you and your family. I don't know you, but I feel for your loss, because I am a Mom too.*

~

*A Mom,*

*Mayer, Minnesota*

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**A Mom** - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

HA

“ Taylor Family...I'm so sorry for your loss. Though I don't know your family, in the past few months I have been following your story and you've been in my thoughts for that whole time. My hear broke and I was shocked and deeply saddened when I found out about this tragedy, but it is good to know that she is now in a better place, without tubes, being the happy child she was. May she rest in peace. You're all in my thoughts. She was a beautiful girl.

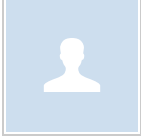
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*Hanna,*

*Philadelphia, Pennsylvania*

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**Hanna** - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with you through this difficult time.  
May it comfort you to know that so many families are mourning the  
loss of your beautiful little girl.*

*Waseca, Minnesota*

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March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

TW

“ *Our hearts go out to Abby's family. What a tragic loss you are facing. In our hearts we know God is taking good care of her.*

~

*The Williamsons,*

*Eden Prairie, Minnesota*

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**The Williamsons** - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

BR

“ *No bond is as great as that between a parent and child. My deepest condolences are with you as you grieve.* ”

~

*Beth Ryan,*

*Minnetonka, Minnesota*

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**Beth Ryan** - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

LI

“ Dear Family, I knew Katey back in high school and I was shocked to realize that Abby is your daughter. Please know that you have many people praying for you to have the strength needed at this time. I can't imagine what you are all going through right now, but all I can say is that may God hold you in his hands right now and every day forward. He can and will be your strength when you need it most. God bless everyone in your family and extended family.

~

Lisa,

Savage, Minnesota

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Lisa - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

“ To my dearest family, some things I'd like to say...but first of all, to let you know, that I arrived okay.I'm writing this from heaven. Here I dwell with God above.Here, there's no more tears of sadness; here is just eternal love.Please do not be unhappy just because I'm out of sight.Remember that I'm with you every morning, noon and night.That day I had to leave you when my life on earth was through,God picked me up and hugged me and He said, "I welcome you."It's good to have you back again; you were missed while you were gone.As for your dearest family, they'll be here later on.I need you here badly; you're part of my plan.There's so much that we have to do, to help our mortal man."God gave me a list of things, that he wished for me to do.And foremost on the list, was to watch and care for you.And when you lie in bed at night, the day's chores put to flight.God and I are closest to you....in the middle of the night.When you think of my life on earth, and all those loving yearsbecause you are only human, they are bound to bring you tears.But do not be afraid to cry; it does relieve the pain.Remember there would be no flowers, unless there was some rain.I wish that I could tell you all that God has planned.But if I were to tell you, you wouldn't understand.But one thing is for certain, though my life on earth is o'er.I'm closer to you now, than I ever was before. There are many rocky roads ahead of you and many hills to climb;but together we can do it by taking one day at a time.It was always my philosophy and I'd like it for you too...that as you give unto the world, the world will give to you.If you can help somebody who's in sorrow and pain,then you can say to God at night....."My day was not in vain."And now I am contented....that my life has been worthwhile, knowing as I passed along the way, I made somebody smile. So if you meet somebody who is sad and feeling low, just lend a hand to pick him up, as on your way you go. When you're walking down the street, and you've got me on your mind; I'm walking in your footsteps only half a step behind. And when it's time for you to go.... from that body to be free, remember you're not going.....you're coming here to me. Ruth Ann Mahaffey (author) © Copyright 1998-2008

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*Mom,*

*Cottage Grove, Minnesota*

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**Mom** - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

KG

“*Katey, Scott, Grace, Christina & Audrey: I have worked with Jerry Paugh for 18 years and over those years I have had the privilege of hearing many family tales. I was praying for Abigail's recovery and for spiritual strength among her family. I have three beautiful daughters of my own and I cannot imagine the thought of losing one. I know you are part of a strong family and you will lean on each other to get beyond this hurting moment. Abigail will be with you forever, but she will also be with many of us forever too as we spend time with our own children. I am very saddened for your loss and will continue to pray for you all.*

~

*Kevin Gilbertson,*

*Fridley, Minnesota*

*Contact Me*

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**Kevin Gilbertson** - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ *Dear Taylor Family, I, along with many Minnesotans, have followed Abigail's tragic story since last summer. We all cheered when she received new organs and now we will cry with you as you grieve for your beautiful daughter. \*\*Hugs from a Minnesota mother\*\**

*Hugo, Minnesota*

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March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

AG

“ *I am so sorry for your lose. I could not imagine the pain you are feeling. May God be with you.*

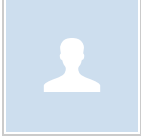
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*A Mother and Grandmother,*

*Blaine*

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**A Mother and Grandmother** - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ *A star that shined so bright will never go out, and the love for a child will last forever. Thousands of people are feeling your loss, and many prayers are sent your way. I just wish that there was a way to take away your pain. You are in my heart, and I am so sorry for all you have been threw.*

*Contact Me*

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March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ *Taylor Family, Our thoughts and prayers are with you during this difficult time. May you have peace knowing she is in the comfort of our lord.*

*Plymouth*

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March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

RH

“ Take comfort in knowing that now you have a special guardian angel to watch over you.

~

*RICK & SHARI HOFFMAN,*

*SAINT PETER, Minnesota*

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**RICK & SHARI HOFFMAN** - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

JG

“ I am a former Minneapolis resident, living in the Philadelphia area for 2 1/2 years, and a mother of three. Since last summer I have followed Abigail's story with an aching heart, only imagining the pain and suffering she, and you, her family, went through. May your memories of happier times with her, and that sweet smile of hers, be a comfort to you in the difficult months and years ahead. God is looking after your precious little girl now.

~

*Jane Greer,*

*Coatesville, Pennsylvania*

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**Jane Greer** - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ *My heart breaks for your family. Many prayers go out to your family. God Bless you.*

~

*A Mother*

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March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ *I felt my heartbreak when I heard about the loss of Abigail. A little girl should not have to endure as much as she did! She will be remembered for helping keep kids safe in the future. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.*

*Minnesota*

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March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

KB

“ *Beautiful Taylor Family, My heart aches for your loss of Abbey! I pray for your days ahead. I know Abbey is dancing in that beautiful dress in heaven and with God! Love The Bomiers*

~

*Kelly Bomier,*

*Wayzata, Minnesota*

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**Kelly Bomier** - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

CA

“ There are no words for what you must be going through...we have been praying for your sweet little angel, Abby. Our hearts ache for you and your family. With heartfelt sympathy,Ryan, Cara, Ella & Grant Albrecht

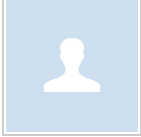
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*Cara Albrecht,*

*Mound, Minnesota*

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**Cara Albrecht** - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ *Dear Taylors, You are in my prayers as you all go through this severe loss. May God comfort you and hold you close. Know that Abbey's courage and your love for her and strength in the face of a horrible tragedy have been an inspiration and have brought hope to me, and I'm sure, to many.*

*Carver, Minnesota*

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March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

SM

“ Please accept my family's sincere condolences on the loss of your beautiful daughter.

~

Smith,

*Minneapolis, Minnesota*

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**Smith** - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ My thoughts and prayers are with you at this difficult time.

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March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

KD

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with you in your time of grief. May your memories bring you comfort.* ”

~

*Kelly Duff,*

*Edina, Minnesota*

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**Kelly Duff** - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

CC

“ *Dear Taylor Family: You are in my thoughts and prayers. I followed sweet Abigail's struggle these past nine months and was profoundly touched by her courage and strength. I am so sorry for your loss.*

~

*Cathy Coxx,*

*Lavonia, Georgia*

*Contact Me*

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**Cathy Coxx** - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ *I know the pain of lossing a child! My God give you strength and peace in knowing that you will meet again at that great reunion with Jesus. A Mom*

*Buffalo, Minnesota*

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March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ *Take comfort in knowing that now you have a special guardian angel to watch over you.*

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March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

AL

“ I am so sorry for your loss of your beautiful daughter. I do not know your family but feel as though I do from watching on the news. I was devastated to hear of her passing but heaven has received a sweet angel. Again so sorry for your loss our prayers are with your family

~

*Alicia,*

*Bloomington*

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**Alicia** - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

DP

“*Katey and the entire Taylor family, Katey, we used to know each other years ago at the U of M and I wanted to express my deepest sympathy to you and your family with the loss of Abigail. It just breaks my heart to think of such a tragedy. As I look at my daughter, I can't even imagine the loss that you are feeling. Abby will forever be your little angel and hopefully knowing that she is at peace with Jesus and no longer in pain helps some. You and your family have been and will continue to be in my thoughts and prayers. Praying for you,*

~

*Denise Polkey,*

*Coon Rapids, Minnesota*

*Contact Me*

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**Denise Polkey** - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

LB

“ *Im so sorry for your loss. God speed*

~

*linsi B,*

*Minnetonka, Minnesota*

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**linsi B** - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

KJ

“ Scott & Katey, I was so incredibly devastated to hear that Abbey's fight to survive and recover had proven too much. She is such an inspiration for the spirit with which she tackled all the many hurdles thrown her way - very much a reflection of the amazing mom and dad she has in the two of you! I wish I was still in MN to lend a hand - Scott's friendship and support that he gave me when Nick was fighting for his life was so special and important to me - it has remained with me over the years and I only wish I could return it to both of you in the days, weeks and months ahead. May God bless you and Abbey's special sisters and hold you in the palm of His hand. Take one day at a time and know that Abbey has some awesome angels up in heaven with whom she will watch over all of you. Much Love....

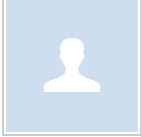
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*Kristin Johnson,*

*Wellesley, Massachusetts*

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**Kristin Johnson** - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ *Our thoughts and prayers are your family. May her soul live among the angels in heaven.*

~

*Mom in Minneapolis*

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March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ *Taylor Family, My heart aches at the loss of your daughter. May you continue to find comfort in knowing that she is at peace and is playing in the arms of our LORD. May you find strength in each other and in the prayers of many for your family during this difficult time. God Bless all of you!*

*Sauk Centre, Minnesota*

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March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

TE

“ I've never met you but when I heard of your accident, I could do nothing but think of you and pray for you. I am so saddened of your passing, I believe you will do great things from heaven. May god be with your family at this time. Your beautiful smile will stay with me forever

~

Teri,

Minnesota

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**Teri** - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

MG

“ Like so many, I never knew Abigail, but felt I did. When my daughter called and asked if I had heard about her passing, my heart just broke. Take comfort in knowing she is in God's arms now and will never have pain again. My thoughts and prayers are with you all.

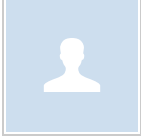
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*Mother and Grandmother,*

*Rogers, Minnesota*

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**Mother and Grandmother** - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ We were so sorry to hear of your loss. The thoughts of many are with you at this time of sorrow.

*Minneapolis, Minnesota*

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March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

AM

“ *To the family of Abigail Rose: Sincere and heartfelt condolences to you all and peace to her memory. Abby's story touched so many people whose thoughts and prayers are with you.*

~

*A mom,*

*Lino Lakes, Minnesota*

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**A mom** - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

AM

“ Thinking of you and your family during this time and sending out my deepest sympathy. Abigail will always be in everyone's hearts and will continue to live on through you all.

~

*A mom,*

*Roseville, Minnesota*

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**A mom** - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

LA

“ *Though we've never met, my heart goes out to you and your family. May God hold your hand and hug your heart through all of this pain. I'm very sorry for your loss of your sweet girl.*

~

*Laura,*

*Minnesota*

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**Laura** - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

RF

“ *My heart goes out to all of Abby's family. I just lost my husband so I know what heartache you are going through. God does provide comfort and hope.*

~

*Ruth FEIGUM,*

*BURNSVILLE, Minnesota*

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**Ruth FEIGUM** - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

AI

“ While I do not know your family personally, having a child makes a parents heart open to all children. Your little girl has been an inspiration to all and she will live within you and around you forever. Read 90 minutes in heaven to really know where she is, she is in a beautiful place with God now, no more pain and suffering and you will be with her again one day. You have my deepest sympathy in your loss.

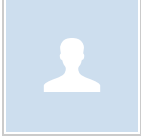
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*A Mom in,*

*Bloomington, Minnesota*

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**A Mom in** - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ *Dear Taylor Family, My Abigail is six years old and in first grade. I hug her tighter today. I've cried many times for your family. Know that many people you have never met have prayed for you.-Another Abby's Mom*

*Mounds View, Minnesota*

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March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

GH

“ To the Taylor family, The prayers of the McGeough/McIntyre family are with you at this time. I can just see Abigail in the loving arms of her great-great grandmother, Etta McGeough Quigley. Your distant cousin, Gail

~

*Gail Holden,*

*Leonardtown, Maryland*

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**Gail Holden** - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

TA

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. God bless you.*

~

*Tammy,*

*Blaine, Minnesota*

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**Tammy** - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

SC

“ Taylor Family-I am so sorry for your loss of Abigail...she was a beautiful, courageous little girl. Find comfort in knowing that she is no longer in pain...and back to her old self again! But most importantly, she is with our Lord, who will take wonderful care of her until you are reunited again. My thoughts and prayers are with you during this difficult time.

~

*Someone who cares....,*

*Bloomington, Minnesota*

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**Someone who cares...** - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

EC

“ I'm so heart broken for your family and the loss of your beautiful little girl. This tragic event has touched so many people. My thoughts and prayers are with you in this time of loss and grief. God be with you.

~

*EC Conrad,*

*Centerville, Minnesota*

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**EC Conrad** - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

HW

“ Taylor Family you are always in my thoughts and I pray for Abbey and your family. Abbey was an Angel on earth. She has left us with an amazing gift. The gift of awareness that may save many lives. I thank her for that.

~

Holly Winje,

Edina

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Holly Winje - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

MS

“ Dear family and friends of Abigail: I have followed the very heart wrenching details of Abigail's accident and now her passing. It is hard to express my words, but I had to write and tell you I care and feel so sorry for your loss. Your beautiful little Abigail had suffered so much. I hope you can find some comfort and strength knowing she is now home with her Father in Heaven. God Bless all of you.

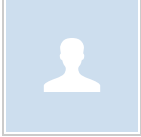
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*Mary Stenzel,*

*New Richland, Minnesota*

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**Mary Stenzel** - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ To the entire Taylor family: My heart breaks for you with the news of your beautiful little girl's passing. I am a mother and a grandmother; and, I cannot imagine the pain your entire family has been through since this tragic accident. My prayers are with you and your beautiful little angel during this very difficult time in your lives. Hold steadfast in God's promise that you will see little Abigail again some day. God bless all of you!

~

*A Mother & Grandmother*

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March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

MH

“ To the Family of Abigail Taylor: My heart goes out to you at this time. I pray for you to have the strength and courage to work through this difficult time. In the thoughts and prayers of many Minnesotans you are. Love - MOM from Hugo, MN

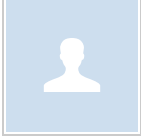
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*Mother Hugo,*

*Hugo, Minnesota*

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**Mother Hugo** - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ *May God bless you and your family in this time of sorrow. Our thoughts and prayers are with you at this time. A Dad in Eagan*

*Minnesota*

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March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

BF

“ *As grandparents (and parents) the loss of a child could almost be unbearable. We pray for your healing. We know that Abigail is not in pain anymore. We are friends of "Uncle" John.*

~

*Bob & Nancy Finkenaur,*

*Dassel, Minnesota*

*Contact Me*

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**Bob & Nancy Finkenaur** - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

AF

“ Our prayers are with you during this difficult time. May you find comfort in the wonderful memories of your beautiful little girl.

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*A Mom and Dad from,*

*Rosemount, Minnesota*

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**A Mom and Dad from** - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

RI

“ Although I do not know you I have been following Abigail's story as updates came out. My sympathy goes out to your family and friends at this time of loss. As to Abigail Rose, I say "Fly high, Angel Abigail! Fly high"

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*Rhonda Iverson,*

*Grenada, Mississippi*

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**Rhonda Iverson** - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

KR

“ *My heart goes out to you and your family. May Abigail's bright spirit continue to comfort you in the days ahead. My family will hold you in our prayers. God Bless!*

~

*Kristi,*

*Hudson, Wisconsin*

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**Kristi** - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

DS

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with you in your time of grief. May your memories bring you comfort.* ”

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*Diane Sawyer,*

*Circle Pines, Minnesota*

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**Diane Sawyer** - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

LI

“ Take comfort in knowing that now you have a special guardian angel to watch over you. Your family is in our prayers.

~

*Linda,*

*Lakeville*

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**Linda** - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

JB

“ *My heart broke when I heard the news. I am so sorry for your loss and for these many days of struggle since the accident. I hold you in my heart and pray for your comfort and healing.*

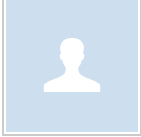
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*Jan Bodin,*

*Fridley, Minnesota*

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**Jan Bodin** - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ *Taylor and Paugh families, We are so sorry to hear of your loss, we have been praying and thinking about all of you throughout this and will continue to do so.*

~

*Bobby Finkenaur & family*

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March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

AN

“ Taylor Family: All love and peace to you. It was an honor to care for your daughter. You will all always be with me.

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*A Children's Nurse,*

*Minneapolis, Minnesota*

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**A Children's Nurse** - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

KF

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with you and all of your family. Abigail Rose, what a pretty smile you have. You will be missed by so many.*

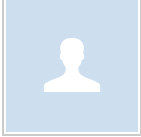
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*Kari Freitag,*

*La Crosse, Wisconsin*

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**Kari Freitag** - March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ *there are no words.*

~

*a mom in mpls.*

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March 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ *Taylor Family: Like many, I too have been praying for Abby and the family. Knowing that she is up in heaven in a warm, pain free, and safe joyful place. God has had his huge arms wrapped around Abby for many months. Abby: you are a true inspiration to all of us! True fighter; you go girl! Please send signs down to your family that you are doing great through their difficult time. God bless all of you. A mom*

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March 23, 2008 at 12:00 AM

EC

“ *Thinking of you.*

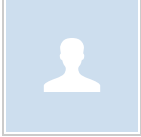
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*Erica Cowell,*

*Owatonna, Minnesota*

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**Erica Cowell** - March 23, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ *Eileen and all of Abigail's family, I am so sorry for Abbeys passing. I have been kept informed of Abbeys condition from the beginning from my friend, her Grandma Eileen. I know of the hope for a healthy life for her and the concern for her also. God Bless you all.*  
*Mary Mc*

*Hopkins*

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March 23, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ *My thoughts and prayers are with you and all of your family. God Bless*

~

*Kathy*

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March 23, 2008 at 12:00 AM

PF

“ *thinking of you and your family at this time. Abigail-what a beautiful daughter.*

~

*patti Frederickson,*

*bennett, Wisconsin*

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**patti Frederickson** - March 23, 2008 at 12:00 AM

AM

“ I just know her beautiful smile is lighting up Heaven. May you find comfort knowing that she is safe and happy in God's loving care. Keep her memory close to your hearts. My prayers are with your family during this difficult time.

~

*A Mom,*

*Hudson, Wisconsin*

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**A Mom** - March 23, 2008 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Our sympathies to your family for the loss of your precious Abigail Rose. Heaven has a new beautiful angel. Our hearts go out to you.*

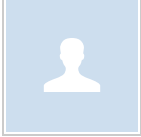
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*A Mom,*

*Ramsey, Minnesota*

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**A Mom** - March 23, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ *God bless Abigail Rose and her loving family in their sorrow. My heart aches at the loss of your sweet little angel. A mom from Eagan*

*Minnesota*

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March 23, 2008 at 12:00 AM

JK

“ We have been praying for Abbey and your entire family every day. Jill & Doug have been keeping us informed. Please accept our deepest sympathy.

~

*Jack & Nan Kabat,*

*The Villages, Florida*

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**Jack & Nan Kabat** - March 23, 2008 at 12:00 AM

TZ

“ *My deepest sympathy to the Taylor family.*

~

*Timothy Zielinski,*

*Bloomingburg, New York*

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**Timothy Zielinski** - March 23, 2008 at 12:00 AM

JC

“ Scott, Katey & Grace-We are so saddened about this terrible series of events that have led to loss of your beautiful daughter. We can't even begin to understand the pain you must be experiencing. We are acquaintances from church and have fell in love with Abigail's spirit and strength. We are feeling deep sorrow for your family at this time. Jeff & Gigi Carlson

~

*Jeff Carlson,*

*Edina, Minnesota*

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**Jeff Carlson** - March 23, 2008 at 12:00 AM

AN

“ I was so sorry to hear of Abigail's passing. What a beautiful and brave girl! I will be praying for your healing.

~

Angie,

St. Paul, Minnesota

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Angie - March 23, 2008 at 12:00 AM

BJ

“ *Our thoughts and prayers have been with you these past months and we send our deepest sympathy on the loss of your beautiful little girl. May her memory be eternal.*

~

*Bob and Jo,*

*Bessemer, Michigan*

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**Bob and Jo** - March 23, 2008 at 12:00 AM

TI

“ Though I did not know sweet little Abigail, I feel as though I did. I am so very sorry for your lost, she fought so hard during these past few months. Please be comforted with the thought that she is in no more pain and is safely in his arms up above. My thoughts and prayers are with you during this difficult time.

~

*Tiffany,*

*Oakdale, Minnesota*

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**Tiffany** - March 23, 2008 at 12:00 AM

BR

“ Dear Taylor family: Our thoughts and prayers are with you at this time. Beth and Chuck R.

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*Beth Rounds,*

*Victoria, Minnesota*

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**Beth Rounds** - March 23, 2008 at 12:00 AM

AA

“ I have been watching your beautiful girl's struggles since July with a heavy heart. My 12 year old perfect boy died of a brain tumor in 1996, so I have been on that path. The hills and valleys, the changing face of hope, the strength she got that came from another place, the wisdom she needed beyond her years.....I can only wish you peace in your healing.

~

*Andrea Adelman,*

*Minnetonka, Minnesota*

*Contact Me*

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**Andrea Adelman** - March 23, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ *GOD BLESS YOU ABIGAIL ROSE - you are the definition of a true fighter. Your entire family and circle of friends are in my thoughts and prayers.*

*St. Louis Park, Minnesota*

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March 23, 2008 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Your beautiful daughter is in our family's prayers.*

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*a mom,*

*Minnetrista, Minnesota*

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**a mom** - March 23, 2008 at 12:00 AM

TN

“ To the mom and dad and family of abigail iam very sorry about your daughters passing a great life cut way short stay strong for abigail peace and love to you :)

~

*Timothy Nickelson,*

*Richfield, Minnesota*

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**Timothy Nickelson** - March 23, 2008 at 12:00 AM

AM

“ Dear Scott & Katie: We are so very sorry for your loss. We have held you and Abigail in our prayers during the past 9 months. We cannot even begin to imagine the suffering that you have endured. May God be with you and Abigail today and always. Sincerely, Casey Quinn &

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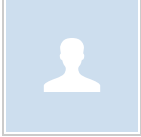
*Al McNee,*

*Eden Prairie, Minnesota*

*Contact Me*

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**Al McNee** - March 23, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ *Our deepest sympathies go out to you in this difficult time.*

*Edina, Minnesota*

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March 23, 2008 at 12:00 AM

DE

“ You don't know me, I was reading news bulletins and came across this story and wanted to look her name up to write you. I am so sorry to hear about your loss. Our children are not suppose to go before us. I lost a son 4 years ago. You can email me if you like. Her story just breaks my heart.

~

*Debbie,*

*Oklahoma*

*Contact Me*

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**Debbie** - March 23, 2008 at 12:00 AM

MA

“ We prayed for Abigail and all of you this morning at Easter Mass...

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*Mary,*

*Minnetonka*

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**Mary** - March 23, 2008 at 12:00 AM

EB

“ We have never met, but I share your sorrow at this difficult time. A dad and grandfather from Anoka

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*Ed Burns,*

*Anoka, Minnesota*

*Contact Me*

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**Ed Burns** - March 23, 2008 at 12:00 AM