



## Christopher McGlashan

December 13, 2002

McGLASHANCHRISTOPHER H.Age 30, of Isanti, passed away December 6, 2002. Christopher graduated in 1990 from Upper St. Clair High School in Pittsburgh, PA in 1994 from St. Olaf College. He was an Eagle Scout with the Boy Scouts of America and was an avid athlete & outdoorsman excelling in wrestling, hunting and fishing. He is survived by parents, Scott and Linda; sister, Annie (Martin) Schindel; nephew, Brock Schindel; niece, Morgan Schindel; grandmother, Margaret Falconer; uncle, Dick (Sandra) Falconer; cousins, Lisa Falconer and Susan Shute. Memorial service 2 pm Thursday, December 12, 2002, Faith Presbyterian Church, 12007 Excelsior Blvd, Minnetonka. Visitation 1 hour prior to service at church. In lieu of flowers family prefers memorials to charity of choice. WASHBURN McREAVY, STROBECK, JOHNSON CHAPEL.Please sign the guest book at [post-gazette.com](http://post-gazette.com)

# Tribute Wall

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“ To the McGlashan family,

*My family and I were so sad to hear about Chris. It breaks my heart to think of your loss he was such a wonderful person. Our thoughts, prayers and love are with you all.*

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*Andrea Sypherd ( Murrey ),*

*Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania*

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**Andrea Sypherd ( Murrey )** - February 23, 2003 at 12:00 AM

AS

“ I can't thank everyone enough for their thoughts, prayers and condolences. I am so touched by the love everyone had for my brother.

Chris was not only my brother, but my best friend! We would stay up late talking about all different subjects. We always dreamed of starting a business together. We would exchange so many good times that we had with our friends in college and as adults. We used to go out and we would laugh about how we were single and we'd have to put the "Sibling" mark on the forehead, so people wouldn't think we were a couple. (I guess that's more of an inside joke with us). We used to gang up on poor Mom. She was a good sport though.

I know he loved his niece and nephew and wished he could have spent more time with them. But, I will tell them everything about their uncle, and they will cherish his memory too. Martin wasn't a hunting buddy but he's sure going to miss the fishing, golf and pool competitions.

I could go on and on, but most important about Chris is that I was so **EXTREMELY** proud of him. And so lucky to have had him as a brother. My heart aches and it always will for my loss. He was such a loving, funny, generous, mischievous, giving man. Chris, I love you and God I miss you. But, I know you'll be looking over me and the family and all of our wonderful friends. I love you KIDDO!!!!

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Annie Schindel,

*Ramsey, Minnesota*

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**Annie Schindel** - December 30, 2002 at 12:00 AM

MA

“ Chris was a very good friend of mine. When I spoke to friends and family the words I noticed that kept reoccurring were pride, caring, sportsman, and giving.

Chris was all of those things and more. I can't tell you what a big heart the man had. He was genuine, a heart of gold that you don't find in too many people. For example, he was working on a project last year that a family who had financial difficulty wanted him to work on a last minute project and needed to get done before the bank would take their house. Chris worked on it tirelessly and was not guaranteed money unless the deadline was met. I remember telling him not to keep working on it because of his own financial situation, but he told me that this family needed help and bottomline put this family before his own needs. This was something that I never understood but to Chris helping someone else out of a jam meant more. It just shows what type of a person he was.

Besides being a close friend, he was my hunting partner and we shared many experiences as well as stories and dirty jokes in the duckblind and field. What I wouldn't give to spend another morning with him again. Actually some day we will. I know in heaven, he has saved the best hunting spot for his father and friends. I just hope that he hasn't shot all the ducks by the time I get there (the way he shoots someday there should be something left :)

Chris will be dearly missed by all who knew him. I know for me that I am a richer person just knowing him and that he will be around for me in spirit. I love you Chris and it eases me to know you are at peace now.

A special thanks to my friends and family who have helped me to cope with my loss. He meant a great deal to me and I will never forget him.

God bless to all and let god strengthen everyone during this trying time.

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*Matthew Allen,*

*Bloomington, Minnesota*

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**Matthew Allen** - December 24, 2002 at 12:00 AM

LM

“ Scott and I thank all of you for your condolences and kind and fun memories of Chris. The Furstenberg family created this guest book and I can't express to them the enjoyment we have received from reconnecting with Chris' friends, Ann's and our friends. All of you have a Merry Christmas. Chris will be with all of us in spirit for many, many years. Thank you again for all your thoughts and prayers.

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*Linda McGlashan,*

*Plymouth, Minnesota*

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**Linda McGlashan** - December 21, 2002 at 12:00 AM

GD

“ Dear Lynn, Scott & Ann

*We heard of Chris' passing yesterday and our entire family is extremely sad. You are in our thoughts and prayers.*

*We remember Chris as a sweet, wonderful boy and a handsome, caring young man.*

*What wonderful memories of all those sweet, smiling faces riding their big wheels down Siesta Drive!!*

*Our Love to all of You-  
Sallie & Guy Dent  
Pittsburgh PA*

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*Guy Dent,*

*Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania*

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**Guy Dent** - December 17, 2002 at 12:00 AM

NK

“ Dear Chris,

*You and your family were our very first and closest friends on Siesta Drive. We will always remember you as the little boy with the straight blonde hair, the freckles and the easy smile. You were quiet but not shy. You were thoughtful and sensitive yet determined and fiesty. You were an integral part of every football game, every street hockey game, army battle, construction crew (all those tree forts), birthday party and baseball game. We never see a tent set up in someone's yard without thinking of you. You shared your knowledge and love of camping with David and Rob and that was so special for them. God bless you and your wonderful family.*

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*Nancy and Dave Klasnick,*

*Upper St. Clair, Pennsylvania*

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**Nancy and Dave Klasnick** - December 17, 2002 at 12:00 AM

RK

“ To the McGlashan Family,

*I am very saddened to hear of your loss. I have many fond memories of growing up on Siesta Drive with Chris. I remember having so much fun whether we were playing sports, camping out in your yard or playing kick the can with the entire neighborhood. Chris and your entire family are in my thoughts and prayers.*

*Rob Klasnick*

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*Rob Klasnick,*

*Upper St. Clair, Pennsylvania*

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**Rob Klasnick** - December 17, 2002 at 12:00 AM

PM

“ Please know that the Meighen's thoughts are with you. Jamie, Chris, Sharon, Jim and I have all been in touch with each other and have addresses for you all (Scott/Linda and Anne).

*I loved Chris and just talked to him for the first time in years about 9 months ago. I can't tell you how much I will miss him.*

*We'll be in touch.*

*Pat*

~

*Patrick Meighen,*

*Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania*

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**Patrick Meighen** - December 16, 2002 at 12:00 AM

FS

“ *Scott, Linda, and Annie...*

*We learned of Chris' death today with great dismay and sadness.*

*We will always remember him as a happy person with a great smile who got such joy from the world around him. We can only hope that the love and support of those around you will help you through your loss.*

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*Flo & John Stoneberg,*

*Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania*

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**Flo & John Stoneberg** - December 16, 2002 at 12:00 AM

DB

“ *Dear Scott, Lynn and Family,  
We were so sorry to hear about Chris. David and I remember, as if it  
were yesterday, the Boy Scouts and our camping trip to Canada.  
Our thoughts and prayers are with you at this time.*

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*Dave & Judie Booth,*

*Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania*

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**Dave & Judie Booth** - December 16, 2002 at 12:00 AM

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“ Dear Lynn, Scott & Ann,  
So many memories of family, not the least of which is helping deliver a litter of Westies with great success. Chris & I spoke at length about two years ago, he offered to help me with a home improvement project. I declined, not wanting to burden him with the journey or the task at hand. I so wanted to visit with him at that time and will forever wish that I had. My prayers are with you and your son's loving, generous spirit.

*Sharon Inghram*

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*Sharon Inghram (Meighen),*

*Upper St. Clair, Pennsylvania*

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**Sharon Inghram (Meighen)** - December 16, 2002 at 12:00 AM

JM

“ *Scott, Lynn, and Annie, I am very sorry to learn of Chris's death. Please know that I am thinking of you and offer my deeply felt condolences to you all during this very difficult time.*

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*Jim Meighen,*

*Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania*

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**Jim Meighen** - December 15, 2002 at 12:00 AM

CM

“ *My condolences to all of you as you grieve your loving son; I am thinking of you in your time of sorrow.*

*Chrissy Meighen*

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*Chrissy Meighen,*

*Seattle, Washington*

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**Chrissy Meighen** - December 15, 2002 at 12:00 AM

JM

“ Chris will forever be the friendliest, happiest neighbor a young girl could ever wish to have next door. I remember fondly the hours and hours we spent, you, me, Annie and Pat, just playing...and the sounds of Annie's flute and your drums. They are permanent and joyous memories of our childhood. God bless you and your loving family.

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*Jamie Meighen-Sei,*

*Los Angeles, California*

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**Jamie Meighen-Sei** - December 14, 2002 at 12:00 AM

RF

“ We send our sincerest sympathy to the entire family. Ronnie and Chrissy recall with fondness the neighborhood forts and games.

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*Ron Wiese and family,*

*Upper St. Clair, Pennsylvania*

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**Ron Wiese and family** - December 13, 2002 at 12:00 AM

CN

“ *A mirror reflects a man's face, but what he is really like is shown by the kind of friends he chooses. (Proverbs 27:19) Chris, we considered you a friend. We still can't believe we won't see your sparkling eyes and mischeivous grin greeting us at the ice fishing extravaganza. How will we ever find our group without the McGlashan Tartan to guide us? You were one heck of a nice guy and will be missed by many. We'll be listed among those who called you friend. We'll see you again someday and perhaps we'll pitch a few horseshoes.*

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*Corby & Sheila Niemeyer,*

*Brainerd, Minnesota*

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**Corby & Sheila Niemeyer** - December 12, 2002 at 12:00 AM

TM

“ Chris: Karen, Alexis, Abby, Nick and myself will think of you often. Your legacy will live on in our house with the exceptional and talented carpentry work that you completed for us. The discussions that we had over meals and beverages during the construction will be remain with us. God bless your family, He will give them strength.

*Tim*

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*Tim Miller,*

*Coon Rapids, Minnesota*

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**Tim Miller** - December 12, 2002 at 12:00 AM

MF

“ Chris was one of our best friends. Sharing with us as part of our wedding day, the birth of our kids, to the numerous get togethers, camping, fishing and hunting trips. We were truly blessed and grateful to have had a friend like Chris. He will be missed greatly. Semper Fi and peace out Eagle Scout.

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*Mike, Trish, Hunter, Savannah & Tanner Furstenberg,*

*Anoka, Minnesota*

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**Mike, Trish, Hunter, Savannah & Tanner Furstenberg** - December 11, 2002 at 12:00 AM

MS

“ I miss you Chris! Please know that I thought of you as the brother that I never had and will NEVER forget the time we spent together. I will take care of your Sister, Mom and Dad just like you did!  
I love you Brother!

*Martin*

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*Martin Schindel,*

*Ramsey, Minnesota*

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**Martin Schindel** - December 11, 2002 at 12:00 AM

DF

“ *As the bird free of it's cage seeks the heights,  
So the Christian soul in death flies home to God." Our love....Uncle  
Dick, Sandra, Lisa and Sue*

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*Dick Falconer,*

*St. Paul, Chicago IL, Geneva Switzerland*

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**Dick Falconer** - December 11, 2002 at 12:00 AM

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“ Chris was a kind, smiley guy that everyone liked. I know he will be missed by many. My deepest sympathies go to his family and friends.

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*Sue Smith - St. Olaf '94,*

*Inver Grove Heights, Minnesota*

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**Sue Smith - St. Olaf '94** - December 11, 2002 at 12:00 AM

DW

“ *My condolences to you, Scott and family. It has been many years since our days in Morningside. Your old friend,  
don ward  
Pattaya, Thailand*

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*Don Ward,*

*Pattaya, Thailand*

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**Don Ward** - December 11, 2002 at 12:00 AM

KW

“ You were my "Homeboy" and I was your "Homegirl". You kept me safe in Minnesota when we together left Pittsburgh for the adventures of college. I will always love you and forever miss you.

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*Kristin (Johnson) Weight,*

*Medina, Ohio*

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**Kristin (Johnson) Weight** - December 11, 2002 at 12:00 AM

DF

“ *Memories live forever, They grow richer through the years, They are nurtured by our laughter, They are watered by our tears. Memories live forever, sent from heaven up above to eternally connect us to the people that we love (author unknown) CHRIS, you quickly became our friend and hold a special place in our hearts. What a joy it was to have you come to "THE FARM". Our memories will live forever.*

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*DON and BETTY FURSTENBERG,*

*PILLAGER, Minnesota*

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**DON and BETTY FURSTENBERG** - December 11, 2002 at 12:00 AM

KF

“ Chris I've really enjoyed the time we've spent together. Sitting in a duck blind or around a campfire telling stories. Sharing in the excitement of shooting your first deer. Just playing cards or golfing. These are only a few of the memories that I'll always treasure.  
CHRIS THANKS FOR BEING MY FRIEND.

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*KYLE FURSTENBERG,*

*PILLAGER, Minnesota*

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**KYLE FURSTENBERG** - December 11, 2002 at 12:00 AM

SO

“ *Chris was like a brother to us. He will certainly be missed. Our love goes out the entire McGlashen family.*

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*Sarah & Chuck Ohm,*

*Zumbrota, Minnesota*

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**Sarah & Chuck Ohm** - December 09, 2002 at 12:00 AM

WT

“ *May God be with you in your time of sorrow.*

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*Wayne Tomlinson,*

*Coon Rapids, Minnesota*

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**Wayne Tomlinson** - December 09, 2002 at 12:00 AM

MH

“ We'll remember Chris as the kind and fun person he was. Our deepest condolences to his family.

*Matt, Jennifer & Sarah Hannon*

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*Matt Hannon,*

*Farmington, Minnesota*

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**Matt Hannon** - December 09, 2002 at 12:00 AM

LA

“ With deepest sympathy, our thoughts and prayers are with you and yours.

*Lane & Jennefer Allen*

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*Lane & Jennefer Allen,*

*Ramsey, Minnesota*

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**Lane & Jennefer Allen** - December 09, 2002 at 12:00 AM