



## John Benedict Bauer

November 11, 2013

Bauer, John Benedict age 29, of Minnetonka, passed away from a tragic accident on November 10, 2013. John was born August 13, 1984, in Minneapolis, MN. He was the fourth of seven children. He was involved in Boy Scouts since 1st grade and earned the Life Scout Award. He went to Immaculate Heart of Mary grade school, Benilde- St. Margaret's and Hopkins High Schools and attended the U of MN and St Cloud State University. He was blessed with an intelligent mind and insatiable curiosity about life. He had a passion for learning and read everything he could get his hands on, especially about philosophy, religion, history and science. John loved his family, friends and was bigger than life. He will be missed by the many people he touched with his huge personality, charm, wit, and ability to make you laugh. He is survived by parents, Margaret Weber Bauer and Michael W. Bauer; siblings, Theresa, Mark, Peter, Kathryn and Stephen of Minnetonka; many Bauer and Weber aunts, uncles and cousins. He is preceded in death by his oldest brother, David. In lieu of flowers, memorials will be sent to St. John's University. Please no black attire. John preferred colorful or tie-dye clothing. Scouts are invited to attend in uniform. Visitation and Mass of Christian Burial will be held on Saturday, November 16 at Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church, 13505 Excelsior Blvd., Minnetonka 55345. Visitation will be from 8-10 am, Mass at 10 am, Lunch at 11 am. Following lunch, everyone is welcome to join the family for Interment at 3:30 pm at the St John's Alum Cemetery, Collegeville, MN. Directions will be available at lunch.

Dinner will be provided for those who are able to come. Please join us for the celebration of John's LIFE. "Live...Laugh...Love..."

# Tribute Wall



“ *Fiery Lily and Rose was purchased for the family of John Benedict Bauer.* ”



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November 17, 2013 at 07:14 AM



“ *Sacred Cross Bouquet was purchased for the family of John Benedict Bauer.* ”



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November 15, 2013 at 10:07 AM



“ *Lynn Uthe lit a candle in memory of John Benedict Bauer* ”



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**Lynn Uthe** - November 13, 2013 at 09:20 AM

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“ My tears keep falling. I am comforted by the thought that John's last moments were in the woods which is where I find that I am closest to God. I am also comforted by David's welcoming smile and I know David, he will provide his humor and his leadership again. The pain is so deep and these losses seem immense. “Let not your hearts be troubled.” John 14. Hugs to all the Bauers.

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**Grace Sheely** - November 12, 2013 at 07:35 AM