



## Abe Oblinger

December 8, 1971 - September 23, 2011

E. Abe Oblinger, age 39, of Versailles, passed away Friday, September 23, 2011, at his home. He was born December 8, 1971, in Boone County, Missouri, the son of Orvil Otis and Rebecca Ann Bryant Oblinger.

He was united in marriage on September 29, 2007, in Versailles, to Shannon Cauley, who survives of the home.

Abe was a member of the Trinity Baptist Church in Versailles.

He enjoyed fishing, bowling, and playing golf. He was a wonderful husband and dad who loved spending time with his family.

In addition to his wife, Shannon, he is survived by his sons, Elijah Abraham Oblinger and Parker Christian Oblinger both of Curryville, Missouri and Brenden Alan Scott of the home; his daughters, Josephine Paige Oblinger of Curryville, Missouri and Trinity Marie Oblinger of the home; his mother, Rebecca Anderson of Versailles; his sisters, Erica Grant of Louisiana, Missouri and Tracey Beth Folk of Marshall, Missouri; his nieces, Elizabeth King and Chelsea Wood both of Louisiana, Missouri; and many other relatives and friends. He was preceded in death by his father, Orvil Otis Oblinger.

A celebration of Abe's life will be held at 4:00 p.m., Friday, September 30, at

the Trinity Baptist Church with Pastor Chad Courter officiating. Memorial contributions are suggested to Kidwell-Garber Funeral Home, P.O. Box 26, Versailles, Missouri 65084, in Abe's memory.

Arrangements are under the direction and care of the Kidwell-Garber Funeral Home of Versailles.

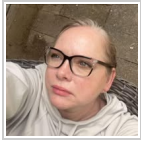
# Previous Events

## Service

SEP **30**. 4:00 PM (CT)

Trinity Baptist Church  
13537 Church Rd.  
Versailles, MO 65084

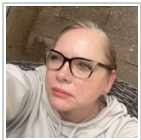
# Tribute Wall



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**Ericka Grant** - November 19, 2017 at 12:38 PM



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**Ericka Grant** - November 19, 2017 at 12:37 PM



“ *Bro you were ALL THAT AND A BAG OF CHIPS!!! You will be in my Heart forever.*

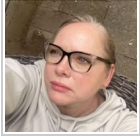
**John Hicks** - February 11, 2016 at 10:20 PM



“ *I can't believe it's been so long. So many miss you. I hope you have found peace.*



**Michelle Fontaine** - December 27, 2013 at 09:42 PM



“ Ericka Grant lit a candle in memory of Abe Oblinger



Ericka Grant - December 27, 2013 at 08:56 PM



“ Lea Ulberg lit a candle in memory of Abe Oblinger



Lea Ulberg - October 06, 2011 at 07:06 AM



“ I was so very sorry to hear of Abe's passing.....He always had such a beautiful smile.. I was blessed to be able to spend alot of time with him and his family as I grew up. It was a house full of laughter, fun, and love. Love that will never end...Rest In Peace Abe...My love, prayers and thoughts are with his wonderful family...

Kassandra Gehlken Falls - September 30, 2011 at 07:21 PM



“ Kassandra Gehlken Falls lit a candle in memory of Abe Oblinger



Kassandra Gehlken Falls - September 30, 2011 at 07:10 PM

VS

“ I am so sorry to hear of Abe's passing. I taught him in kindergarten and remember him as a smiling, cheerful little boy. My thoughts and prayers for your family.

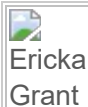
Vicky Saylor

Vicky Saylor - September 30, 2011 at 05:51 PM

TS

“ Abe was a wonderful person, great athlete, and ready to help out anybody at a moments notice. He was a great friend of mine and was a pallbearer at my dad's funeral. We hung out a lot when he lived in Sweet Springs. Our prayers go out to his family and I will never forget the impact Abe had on my life.

Tim Smith and Grachia Smith - September 30, 2011 at 11:51 AM



Ericka Grant

Tim, we have a memorial page for Abe on Facebook if you have an account. We will be adding some pretty decent basketball pics in the future. Thank you for your post. Ericka Grant

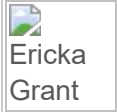
Ericka Grant - October 04, 2011 at 01:35 PM

DB

“ I'm so sorry that I can't be there. Just found out about the arrangements. I have so many memories of you guys when our parents would put us all together when they went out. Although I can't remember what we did with Doug on those nights. :) Abe always made people laugh and never made anyone that I know of feel bad when he was cracking jokes. I told mom the news and she got out the book of poems that your mom published. Lots of good memories surfaced. Love to you all



Denise Boan Balinski - September 30, 2011 at 09:39 AM



Ericka Grant

*Thank you Denise.*

**Ericka Grant** - October 04, 2011 at 01:35 PM

CW

“ *Chelsea Wood lit a candle in memory of Abe Oblinger*



**Chelsea Wood** - September 29, 2011 at 05:43 AM

DH

“ *David Highley lit a candle in memory of Abe Oblinger*



**David Highley** - September 28, 2011 at 05:29 PM

DH

“ *You were the best friend anyone could have. We laughed and we cried but we never had a dull moment. The trips to Marshall to the trips to Emporia. You were my best friend and always will be. I wish i would of stayed in Missouri and maybe things would of turned out different, but there is the should of or if we and maybe ifs. I will miss the long distance talks and your laugh. I will see you on the other side my friend. Love you bro.*

**David Highley** - September 28, 2011 at 05:26 PM

CH

“ We always loved visiting with our Oblinger cousins, I remember one time that Abe and his family were at our house and Abe was little, my guess is about 3 or 4 and he was SO EXCITED to have "Pocket Pants", I guess he was tired of wearing elastic waist pants, maybe they were even hand me downs from his sisters, but he had "real pants", with a zipper and pockets. He was about to explode with pride, it was so cute. I look forward to seeing him and all the others that have left our family here on earth. My thoughts and prayers are with all those that knew and loved Abe, hoping that they may find peace and comfort at this time. Families are forever and one day we will have an amazing reunion.

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**Carla Hinton** - September 28, 2011 at 11:29 AM

LZ

*I remember the pocket pants thing too..I also remember telling him that story at the family reunion about 20 years ago and it embarrassed him sooo bad..but boy did his friend get a kick out of it..had something to tease him with :) See you again one day Abe..in your pocket pants :)*

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**Laura Zigler** - October 01, 2011 at 07:48 AM

EG

“ I would need a book to "share my favorite memories". I love you little brother and I will mourn you forever.

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**Ericka Grant** - September 28, 2011 at 11:04 AM

RR

*So sorry to hear this news. :( Your family is in my prayers, Ericka. ---  
Rebecca (Henry) Roll*

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**Rebecca Roll** - September 29, 2011 at 02:28 PM

EG

*Thank you Rebecca.*

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**Ericka Grant** - September 29, 2011 at 02:40 PM

SS

*Ericka - I was so sorry to hear about Abe, and wish we could have made the services. I will always remember the fun times we had as kids. My sympathy to you and your family.*

Stacy (Evans) Sims - October 02, 2011 at 01:57 PM

EG

“ *Ericka Grant lit a candle in memory of Abe Oblinger*



Ericka Grant - September 28, 2011 at 11:00 AM

LZ

“ *Abe was much younger than myself, but I remember visiting with my cousins when he was probably about 9 and at that time Atari was the big thing and he was SO impressed by my soon to be husband that he just hovered over us to learn the new moves so he could be better at the game and would yell..run hide..run hide while playing different games....he was so full of life, wanted to be involved in everything. He will be greatly missed. RIP Abraham and give your dad (and my dad and all the other aunts & uncles) hugs for us! May the family feel comforted at this time by the love from all their friends and family. Blessings on your journey Abe!*

Laura Zigler - September 28, 2011 at 07:17 AM

DP

“ Where to start? Abe was...well...ABE!! And that is why he was so special to Us. My Sons still remember Him as Uncle Abe. He lived a much "Fuller" Life than most of us that live to be twice his age. He always had to be the "Life of the Party". He and I (Park) always struggled to be the "Big Man on Campus". We will Truly miss him.

*Ericka and Becky might remember when we had a swimming Race and I let him Win. When he found out I gave "less than a stellar performance" He was mad. We were in our 20s and he challenged me to a Skating Contest...Not Roller Blades...Roller Skates!! The more I write the more I miss HIM!! Abe...you will be missed....*

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**Don, Julie, Arron, and Branden Parker** - September 27, 2011 at 09:46 PM

WS

“ Wilena Sylvester lit a candle in memory of Abe Oblinger



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**Wilena Sylvester** - September 27, 2011 at 04:21 PM

WS

*Abe, may you R.I.P.! You were loved and cared for by many! You were always the "life" of the group :-)  
To the Family of Abe, my heart goes out to each one of you...you are in my thoughts and prayers and will continue to be!! May God bless each of you and give you strength and understanding at such a difficult time, hold on tight to all those cherishable memories!!*

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**Wilena Sylvester** - September 27, 2011 at 04:26 PM