



## Kenneth Edwin Carpenter

March 30, 1982 - July 24, 2011

Kenneth Edwin Carpenter, age 29, of Versailles, passed away Sunday, July 24, 2011, at the University of Missouri Hospital and Clinics in Columbia. He was born March 30, 1982, in Columbia, Missouri, the son of Randall Kenneth and Debra McCarty Carpenter.

On June 12, 2010, at the Stover First Baptist Church, he was united in marriage to Ti-Ara Jones, who survives of the home.

He was currently working at E&J Repair in Stover as a welder.

Kenny loved riding motorcycles.

He attended the Stover First Baptist Church.

In addition to his wife, Ti-Ara, he is survived by his son, Skyler L. Carpenter of the home; his daughter, Natalie R. Carpenter of the home; his father and step-mother, Randall K. and Katherine Carpenter of Versailles, Missouri; his mother and step-father, Debra and Sonny Schwent of Homossa, Florida; his brothers, Tim Carpenter and wife Jennifer of Versailles, Missouri and David Carpenter of Lee's Summit, Missouri; his sisters, Christel Davis and husband Rick of Lee's Summit, Missouri and Nathel Shadwick and husband Lance of Stover, Missouri; five nieces; three nephews; and many other relatives and friends.

A celebration of life will be held at 2:00 p.m., Saturday, July 30, at the Stover First Baptist Church with a family dinner to follow the service. Memorial contributions are suggested to the Kidwell-Garber Funeral Home, P.O. Box 26, Versailles, Missouri, 65084, in Kenny's memory.

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

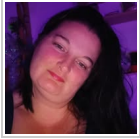
# Previous Events

## Service

JUL **30**. 2:00 PM (CT)

Stover First Baptist Church  
102 N. Cherry St.  
Stover, MO 65078

# Tribute Wall



“ *It was June 12 2010 I married this man who i had kids with to this day it is hard im seeing him in our kids. Im looking through photos while thinking about the family reunion on the same anniversary date of his death. I spent so long running and hiding from the trauma its time to remember him the way he would want us too for the kids too.*

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**Ti-Ara Reed** - July 21, 2021 at 08:11 PM



“ *I remember that he and his brothers and sisters used to come out to our church quite a bit when they were young. They were energetic kids. He was a tall thin kid with glasses. I believe Kenny played trumpet in band. My wife was impressed that he was so good to his grandmother Fern. She remembers he walked into church escorting his grandmother Fern on his arm. She was weak then, and my wife thought that was so good of him to assist her in walking in.*

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**Pastor Bill Johnson** - July 26, 2011 at 06:12 PM

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“ *The moment I went online and saw the name of Kenneth Carpenter my mind harkened back to my boyhood days of knowing "O. K." Carpenter, who lived on the Moreau Creek north of Versailles. My parents, Ward and Alma Kerr. thought well of Kenneth "O. K. Carpenter, who was the grandfather of Kenneth E. Carpenter and the father of Randy, who is the same age as my cousin, Gary Kerr Nelson, in South Carolina-both, as I recall, were born in 1952. I, of course, know the grandmother of Kenneth E. That would be Elizabeth Williams Carpenter Allen. Kenneth E.'s great aunt, Rosemary Carpenter, was our neighbor in the late 1940s. One afternoon Elizabeth and Rosemary, her friend and future sister-in-law, asked my mother if they could take me to the Carpenter home for the afternoon when I was probably no older than a year or two old. Mother spoke often enough of that pleasant experience that I still recall her words about it after these many years.*



*Yvonne's and my thoughts are with Elizabeth and Rosemary and the other family members of Kenneth's family in his passing.*

*Tom & Yvonne Kerr  
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**Tom Kerr** - July 26, 2011 at 04:35 PM

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*Our thoughts and prayers are with all the family. We remember when Kenneth was born and his father and one of our sons graduated in the same year. His grandfather Kenneth was our pastor and grandfather Beth is a friend of many years. God is our comforter and you can lean on Him.*

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**George and Lois Faulconer** - July 27, 2011 at 09:32 AM