



## Matthew Vernon Reistad

December 3, 2010

Matthew Vernon Reistad, age 37, of Independence, Missouri, passed away Friday, December 3, 2010, in Independence. He was born December 19, 1972, in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, the son of James M. II and Clarinda Jo Whittle Reistad.

He was a member of the Woods Chapel United Methodist Church in Lee's Summit, Missouri.

Matthew was a self-employed painter and roofer. He enjoyed fishing and loved spending time with his family.

He is survived by his father, James M. Reistad II of Plainfield, Indiana; his mother, Clarinda Jo Reistad of Versailles, Missouri; his fiancé, Kristin Kincaid of the home; two sons, 11 ½ month old Kaydin Gunner Reistad of the home, and 14 year old Alan L. Reistad of Stockton, Missouri; one daughter, 14 year old Haylie I. Reistad of Stockton, Missouri; two brothers, James M. Reistad of Oak Grove, Missouri, and Kelly J. Reistad and wife Sheri of Independence, Missouri; one sister, Anna M. Reistad of Plainfield, Indiana; one niece, Emily Reistad; two aunts, Patti Whittle of Springhill, Tennessee and Paulette and husband Ralph Strader of Jefferson City, Missouri; four cousins, Tara Smithson, Erin Griffith, Jenny Strader, and Maggie Hartman; and many other relatives and friends. He was preceded in death by his grandparents, Vernon

L. Whittle, Ruth Talbott Whittle, James Reistad I, and Janann Reistad, and his aunt, Sharon Kay Whittle.

Funeral services will be held at 12:00 Noon, Saturday, December 11, 2010, at the Kidwell-Garber Funeral Home in Versailles, Missouri. Interment will follow in the Versailles Cemetery. The family will receive friends from 11:00 a.m. to 12:00 Noon, Saturday, at the funeral home. Memorial contributions are suggested to the Matthew Reistad Memorial Fund. A memorial service will be held at 6:00 p.m., Thursday, December 9, 2010, at the Woods Chapel United Methodist Church in Lee's Summit, Missouri. The family will receive friends from 5:00 to 6:00 p.m., Thursday, at the church. Expressions of sympathy may be left online at [www.kidwellgarber.com](http://www.kidwellgarber.com). Arrangements are under the direction of the Kidwell-Garber Funeral Home of Versailles.