



Derek C. Forbes

September 3, 1984 - February 19, 2011

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Age 26, of Tequesta, FL passed away suddenly and unexpectedly on Thursday, February 19, 2011. A life long resident of Palm Beach County, Derek was born in West Palm Beach on September 3, 1984. He attended Jupiter High School and later excelled in computer technology courses. Derek was employed at Jupiter Hills and the Seminole Country Club in food service until he became the proud owner/operator of Jupiter PC Repair and Innovative IT LLC, a local IT company. His hobbies included computers, computer games and race cars but his true passion was his Red Ford Mustang.

Survivors include his loving parents, Terry and Norma Forbes; his brother, Trevor Forbes; his maternal grandmother, Geraldine Cady; one aunt, Patty (Ray) Isom; two cousins, Brett and Brian; and many many friends.

A Celebration of Life Service will be celebrated 2 PM, Saturday, March 12, 2011 at Taylor & Modeen Funeral Home, 250 Center Street, Jupiter, FL 33458. Memorial Contributions may be made to a charity of your choice in loving memory of Derek C. Forbes. Or, as Derek would have done, gather with your loved ones for a meal. Express your love for one another and share the joys of his life. For directions & online condolences, please visit www.taylorandmodeen.com.

Taylor & Modeen Funeral Home
Family Owned & Operated
561-744-2030

Tribute Wall



“ *Derek C. Forbes*

October 22, 2023 at 10:17 AM



“ *Terry and Norma: We just learned of Derek's passing via the internet. Gwen and I offer our deepest sympathy on your loss. We have fond memories of our boys, Ryan and Kevin playing with Trevor and Derek. We have many fond memories of our time in Jupiter and your family is certainly part of those memories. You both will be in our thoughts and prayers. Dave*

Dave Buck - Palm Bay, FL - Family friend & former neighbor - June 12, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ *I just found out about Derek's death and I'm deeply saddened. I did not know Derek very well, but I did spend some time with him. I met him through a friend while living in Florida. We all hung out a few times per week for a couple months, and made some fun memories with him. There's this one silly song that had just come out on the radio at the time, that we both liked, and it has and will always remind me of him. :) He had an amazing spirit and sense of humor. It's shocking because he was an incredibly gifted man with so much to offer. I extend my sympathy and love to his loved ones. He will always be remembered. RIP my friend.
Kristen*

Kristen - Baltimore, MD - friend - August 04, 2011 at 12:00 AM

SK

“ *What a beautiful son. I am so sad that I never met him. I am devastated for you all. Hang onto GOD. . all and the best of Life.. . to get thru this.
My heart cries for you.*

*Hugs and love,
Sue Hastings '68*

Sue Hastings Kenosha '68 - Roanoke, VA - Long time friend since K-12 in K -
March 18, 2011 at 12:00 AM

TF

“ Friends.

I just found this posting today. I want to thank all who posted and who were Derek's friends.

I don't have the words as to what this has done to Norma, Trevor and myself.

We loved Derek and will still love him for all time.

I know that Derek did not do this to hurt anyone and want to apologize for this act of poor judgment.

Derek was a very complex and intelligent person as many of you know. We are all stunned as to why this path was taken by Derek. I don't think that we will ever know why this happened.

I wish to extend an open invitation to all of Derek's friends and co-workers to contact us and or stop by our home.

We are staying positive by keeping Derek's joys and humor in our hearts and ask that you do the same.

Please give us a call or send us an e-mail.

We wish to keep all of Derek's friends as close as we can. We only regret that we could have met you all sooner.

Derek loved you all very much, this I know for sure.

Derek is close to all of us now more than most of you will ever know. He always was there to help his friends and is there still in your heart.

We are looking for any and all photos of Derek. We have many that we can share with you also.

Much Thanks from all of us

RIP Son and Brother.

*Terry, Norma and Trevor Forbes
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Terry Forbes - Tequesta, FL - Loving Father - March 16, 2011 at 12:00 AM

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“ *TERRY HAS BEEN A GOOD FRIEND FOR MANY YEARS , AND NORMA TOO , AFTER THEY WERE MARRIED. I KNEW DEREK AS A STONE GENIUS COMPUTER GUY AND NICE BOY . MY HEART ACHES FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY AT THE LOSS OF ONE SO YOUNG AND TALENTED . MAY GOD BLESS YOU AND GIVE YOU THE STRENGTH , COURAGE AND COMFORT TO CARRY ON . WE ALL KNOW THAT YOU WILL NEVER COMPLETELY RECOVER FROM THIS TRAGEDY , AND OUR THOUGHTS WILL BE WITH YOU FOR THE REST OF OUR LIVES .*

*WE LOVE YOU ALL ,
CARL TAPP & MARIANA TAPP*

ARNOLD " CARL " TAPP - HOLLYWOOD, FL - GOOD FRIEND OF TERRY AND NORMA - March 16, 2011 at 12:00 AM

SM

“ *My prayers go to the family*

Sonya - Friends mother - March 12, 2011 at 12:00 AM

RJ

“ To Derek Parents and brother, So sorry for your terrible loss of your son and brother >>>>words cannot describe your feelings ! My son went to school with Derek from 1st grade not close friends he is hurting such a good young person has left us>>> Please keep his great accomplishments with you and his great spirit! Rest in Peace Buddy! Love rita and Kevin Hurst

Rita Mayer - Jupiter, FL - Mother in Jupiter - March 07, 2011 at 12:00 AM

MN

“ Terry and Norma, My deepest condolences go to you and your family. You are in my thoughts and prayers.

Maria Pilato and Family - Tequesta, FL - Neighbor - March 05, 2011 at 12:00 AM

JC

“ I had the pleasure of working with Derek at Jupiter Hills. We had some great laughs and I miss hanging out with him.

James - London - Work colleague - March 03, 2011 at 12:00 AM

OF

“ Hey mate, I was really saddend to hear the news... Youll be missed buddy, my thoughts and prayers go out too your family and friends!!!

Oliver Russelll - Johannesburg, FL - Friend - March 03, 2011 at 12:00 AM