



## John W. Hanson

May 28, 1980 - April 17, 2010

John W. Hanson, 29, of Bloomington died Saturday evening from injuries sustained in an auto accident east of Bloomington. He was born on May 28, 1980 in Bloomington the son of Mike and Colette (Nadworny) Hanson and graduated from Bloomington High School North in 1998. He was currently working with his family's business, Hanson Industries, and also worked with making hunting bows, doing auto repair and driving for Aver's Pizza. He previously worked as a computer technician for Bloomington Computers.

John is survived by one daughter, Harlow Arabella Blake of Bloomington, his parents, Mike and Colette Hanson, one sister and brother-in-law, Chrisanne and Grant Koechel of Bloomington, two brothers, Ben Hanson and Joey Hanson, both of Bloomington, his grandparents, Henri and Madeline Nadworny of Bloomington, his aunts and uncles; Lou Hanson, Jerry and Diane Hanson, Chere Lewis and Camille and Joe Maniec, all of Bloomington, Charlotte and Paul Sweda of Long Island, NY, Henri and Marie Nadworny of Hillsboro, NC, and Celeste and Ed Lafferty of Providence, RI along with many cousins, nieces and nephews.

Graveside services will be held for family and close friends at 3:00 p.m. Thursday at Clear Creek Cemetery. Friends may call at Allen Funeral Home, 4155 S. Old St. Rd. 37 on Wednesday from 4:00-8:00 p.m.

Memorial contributions may be made to "C.O.T.A./Timothy Isom Fund" in care of the funeral home. Online condolences may be sent to the family at [awww.allenfuneralhome.org](http://awww.allenfuneralhome.org).



# Tribute Wall

MA

“ Dear Colette, Mike, Ben and Joey,  
I am so sorry for your loss. I know how hard this time must be for you. But I hope, that as time passes, the sadness you are feeling will be replaced with happy memories of times you had with John. With sincere sympathy and love,  
Marion

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**Marion White** - March 22, 2013 at 08:20 AM

SU

“ Hanson family~

I was so sorry to learn of John's death. I knew John when he worked at the IU Career Development Center. I always enjoyed talking with him and appreciated his help when I was having computer problems. He was a sweet guy.

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**Susi Miller** - March 22, 2013 at 08:20 AM

TI

“ *Hanson Family,*

*We are so sorry for your loss. Timothy and his family would like to thank you so very much for the contributions in care of the funeral home, which was given on Tim's behalf.*

*What a wonderful thing to do for our family in your time of sorrow. It brought tears to Tim's grandmother's (Karen) eyes when she read it in the paper. To think that you could even think of such a thing at this time in your life. What big hearts you all have.*

*Thank you so very much, it will be greatly appreciated.*

*Sincerely,  
Timothy and family*

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**Timothy Isom** - March 22, 2013 at 08:20 AM

CW

“ *Colette, Mike, Ben and Joey: There are no words I can say here to express my deep, deep sorrow in learning of John's passing. I cannot possibly imagine what you are feeling right now. I can only hope that in time the pain will ease and you will be able to remember John in happier times. Colette, my sister, I am sending you the biggest hug you can imagine right now..... Cindy*

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**Cindy Hannam Wei** - March 22, 2013 at 08:20 AM

MI

“ Mike, Collete, Ben, Joey and family. I'm so sorry for your loss. I was saddened when I heard the news of his passing. I will always have great memories of growing up next door to John. From our many adventures of hiking in the woods, fishing, bike riding, and the list could continue. I will be praying for the family in this time of sorrow.  
Mica

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**Mica Terrell** - March 22, 2013 at 08:20 AM

DO

“ My sincere condolences to the Hanson family.

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**Doak Henry** - March 22, 2013 at 08:20 AM

YW

“ Dear Chris and Grant,  
My thoughts and prayers are with you during this difficult time.  
Please contact me if there is anything you need.  
Love, Yolanda

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**Yolanda McDaniel Wood** - March 22, 2013 at 08:20 AM

LI

“ Mike,  
Ross called and told me of your terrible loss prior to it coming out in the newspaper. I am glad he did as I might have missed it. There are no words sufficient to say, except just know that as an old school friend, I want to let you know how sorry I am. Things like this are all wrong in so many ways. Hopefully after some time has passed your heart will let you remember all of the good things that you shared with John. My heartfelt sympathy to you and your family.  
Linda Quillen

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**Linda Quillen** - March 22, 2013 at 08:20 AM

KM

“ Dear Captain Hanson,

*I was a member of IUPD while attending IU and served on the force as an officer in 1986-87. I remember working with you while doing my internship in the detective bureau. I have kept in touch with friends in Bloomington and when I heard of your tragic loss, I just had to send my most sincere condolences. I now have two children of my own and can not phathom the agony of losing a child and the suffering you must be enduring. You are such a kind man and my heart is breaking for you and your family. Please know that you touched so many lives in so many positive ways (I was only one of many). I will keep you close to my heart and send many prayers your way and wishing you a compassionate hug from afar. I hope in reaching out to you, you find some peace, and allow some of your sorrow to drift across the miles to my shoulders in hope to ease some of your pain.*

*With much friendship and peace,*

*Kathie*

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**Kathie (Gorny) Matuszak** - March 22, 2013 at 08:20 AM

MI

“ *I was so shocked to hear the news of John passing. My deepest condolences to you and your family, during this most difficult time. Such a beautiful soul will be sadly missed.*

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**Michelle** - March 22, 2013 at 08:20 AM

PA

“ *Colette.*  
*So very sorry to hear of your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with you and the entire family.*

*Patti Case*  
*(Friend of Chere's)*

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**Patti Case** - March 22, 2013 at 08:20 AM

AA

“ *Joey and family,*  
*The loss of a relative is great, but the loss of a brother and son is even greater. My heart goes out to you and your family for your loss, and I will be praying for you to gain some comfort.*

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**Aaron Crain** - March 22, 2013 at 08:20 AM

KA

“ *Dear Joe and family,*  
*I am thinking of you and I am so sorry you have lost your brother, a loss that no one can explain away. Honor him by remembering the life he lived. My heart aches for you and your family.*  
*Ms. Loser*

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**Kathy Loser** - March 22, 2013 at 08:20 AM

CH

“ Mike, Colette, Ben, Joey and family. My heart was broken when I learned of the sudden, unexpected news of John. I can not begin to imagine the sorrow you all are feeling.

*Even though we drifted apart, John always had and always will have a special place in my heart. When I look back at my childhood memories, John is always there.*

*Although words seem futile now in the midst of your sorrow, they are all I have to give you.*

*Wishing you peace and healing,*

*Cheyenne Terrell and family.*

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**Cheyenne Terrell** - March 22, 2013 at 08:20 AM

LI

“ Mike, Colette and Family:

*I was so sorry to hear about the loss of your son John. I know there is nothing I can say that will take away the pain you are feeling but I hope you find comfort in the memories that are yours always and find strength from family and friends who are also sharing your loss.*

*My thoughts and prayers are with you at this most difficult time.*

*Linda Minett*

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**Linda Minett** - March 22, 2013 at 08:20 AM

CA

“ *Our heartfelt condolences are with you and your family, at this time in one's life it's important to remain strong and to remember your friends are there with you through your tough time.*

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**Caroline Martin** - March 22, 2013 at 08:20 AM