



Joshua James Ball

Aug. 17, 1980 - Dec. 17, 2022

Joshua James Ball, 42, of Morganton, NC, passed away peacefully December 17, 2022 while surrounded by family and friends.

Josh was born in Burke County August 17, 1980 to Nathan Lee Ball and Trina Brown Ball. Up until his motorcycle accident 16 years ago, Josh had a vibrant personality that attracted everyone to him. Josh was a very active person that loved fishing, snowboarding, and being outdoors. At the time of his accident, he was an insurance agent at Farm Bureau and prior to that he spent years working with his family at Ball Mobile Home Supply. Josh was a member of the Morganton South Congregation of Jehovah's Witnesses. He dedicated his life to Jehovah by water baptism on July 23, 1994. Josh understood his hope of the resurrection to life on a paradise earth which comforted him and the family.

Josh was preceded in death by his maternal grandparents Lewis and Marie Brown.

Josh is survived by his parents, Nathan and Trina Ball of Morganton; sister, Natasha Standley (Justin) of Morganton; brother, Cameron Ball (Sabrina) of Salisbury; nephews, Evan Standley and Aiden Ball; nieces, Peyton Callahan (Caleb) and Piper Standley; grandparents, Ira and Vesta Ball of Morganton; and many Aunts, Uncles, cousins, and extended family.

The family would like to give a special thanks to his in-home CNA's Melinda Kern and Rachel VonHarten; his home health care nurse, Donna Childress; along with the Hospice staff at Amorem in Valdese.

Services for Josh will be held at a later date.

Sossoman Funeral Home and Crematory Center is assisting the family with the arrangements.

Tribute Wall

In my thoughts and prayers for comfort and hope ,we all have to see our loved ones soon in the resurrection when Jesus will say "wake up" thats when Revelations 21:4 ,will be fulfilled.Thankful to Jehovah and Jesus gives that hope.

—Lucille Seagle



To the entire Ball Family. So sorry for your loss. Your family is in my thoughts and prayers.

—Laura Clark

Josh was one of the sweetest, kindest guys I have known. I only wish I had known him during our school years. I love the picture you chose; Josh was so handsome. He was blessed with wonderful parents and family. When his life changed, yours did too but you loved and cared for him like only parents do. Praying for you all

—amber earle



—Sheila Fisher



—Natasha Standley

I'm praying for the family to endure this and have some peace.

—Alayna (Allison) Humpert

Peace and comfort for you, Nathan and Family. Jackie Scott

—Jackie Scott



I know its been a long road. My prayers to you guys.

—Draytons

So Very Sorry to all of you for your Loss. What a Gift we have in the Resurrection. May Jehovah continue to Comfort you. Agape, Sharon

—Sharon Williams

Nathan, Trina, Natasha, Cameron and the rest of the Family, We were so very sorry to hear about Josh. We remember him as a handsome boy who was always friendly with everyone. He was at our Wedding in 1988 along with all of you...we will never forget all the love and support we've had from all of you in our younger years. Josh has always been a part of our memories, and will continue to be so until we see him again at the Resurrection. Until that wonderful event happens,

please know all of you are in our thoughts and prayers during this difficult time.
Sending our love to all of you... Ray and Tammy

—Ray and Tammy Henry



Our prayers are with your family.

—Chris Michelle Gibbs

I didn't have the pleasure of meeting Josh before his accident, but, his personality sure shown through even when he was unable to speak. I can't imagine the loss you all are feeling right now. May the comfort you find from God's promise of a future resurrection and the love and concern of your family of faith sustain you until you see Josh again in the new world in perfect health. Our love to you all! Keeping you in our prayers.

—Deb Richards

Dear Ball family, We want to send our deepest condolences. Everyone affected is being prayed for. For strength, calm and peace. I know you barely know us, but as your spiritual family we love ya!!!! soooo much! Soooo look forward to his resurrection gathering! Love, Kevin and Dona crifasi

—Dona and Kevin Crifasi

What a beautiful picture of Josh. In the resurrection that is who he will be. I offer my sympathy to the family at this time of grief and I offer up prayer on your behalf. Your friend, Michele Fugate

–Michele Fugate

Our thoughts and prayers are with your family!

–Greg Ward & Linda Isaacs