



## Joey Lynn Sitzes

August 20, 1962 - April 24, 2013

Joey Lynn Sitzes of De Soto, MO, passed away Apr. 24, in Mercy Medical Center at the age of 50 years, 8 months, and 4 days.

He was born Aug. 20, 1962 in Ironton, MO a son of the late John and Ramona Spears Sitzes.

On June 5, 1982 he was united in marriage to Linda Michele Mathis, who survives. To this union was born 3 children; Tenessa Mobley and Husband Brian of De Soto, and Darren and Justin "Bunge" Sitzes of Hillsboro. Also surviving are three grandchildren Daelen, Noah , and Elijah Mobley ; a brother David Sitzes of Arcadia, one sister Angela Glover of Verona, MO and a host of other relatives and friends. He was preceded in death by a brother Johnny Sitzes and two sisters in infancy.

Joey was a 1980 graduate of Arcadia Valley High School. He attended the Church of God and was a member of Carpenters Local 2214 in St. Louis. He loved to hunt and fish and spend time with his loving family.

Funeral services will be held on Sat. Apr. 27 at 1 PM from Cole family Funeral Home with Pastor Rick Wade and Pastor Jason Henson officiating. Visitation will begin on Fri. from 4 to 8 PM. Interment will be in the Polk Cemetery. Memorials may be made to the Sitzes Family.

On line condolences may be made at [www.colefamilyfuneralhomes.com](http://www.colefamilyfuneralhomes.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Polk

Arcadia, MO 63621

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR **26**. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Cole Family Funeral Home  
210 E Reynolds St  
Ironton, MO 63650  
(573) 546-0742

## Service

APR **27**. 1:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ Joey Lynn Sitzes

August 31, 2022 at 12:46 PM



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shell - May 18, 2014 at 10:02 PM



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love of my life and I was so blessed to have you in my life  
be worst, and came out better than ever. Thanks to God,  
my back together and it was blessed from then on, and  
I sounds empty cause your not here. But I'm blessed with  
I a good man, and a good father. and I don't mean matter  
out growing old together <sup>also</sup> on the front porch watch  
in the yard. But that wasn't Gods plan after all...and well  
ing another battle. number 4. (A blessing from above). If  
I granddaddy yet, I just wish you were here with us to see  
but I know you'll be watching over us from up there. and  
face turning into a laugh, as she tells you. So my Angel is  
a healthy little angel in 9 months or so. and know how my  
she's loved. .... This is going to be bitter sweet. You have to  
with her every time. .... I'm gonna cry bad that day. I love y

shell Sitzes - October 21, 2013 at 08:30 PM



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shell Sitzes - October 03, 2013 at 10:06 PM



“ *Our Stone,*



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**shell sitzes** - October 03, 2013 at 10:03 PM



“ *Shell Sitzes sent a virtual gift in memory of Joey Lynn Sitzes*



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**shell sitzes** - September 30, 2013 at 11:16 PM



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**shell sitzes** - September 30, 2013 at 11:16 PM



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**shell sitzes** - September 30, 2013 at 11:15 PM



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shell sizes - September 09, 2013 at 08:59 PM



“ *Lmichele Sitzes*

*When our strength has left for heaven without us. Our hearts break, leaving us feeling cold and empty inside. Always yearning to feel their arms around us especially when things go wrong. Cause in their arms was where everything was right. Though I can see why God would want such a wonderful person in his company. I can't help to ask why now? Maybe god wanted me to discover my own strength so I could be someone else's strength. I will go on living, missing you everyday, even though some days it seems I can not go on without you. Then I hear a voice say "yes you can , you'll see me agin. At that moment a hint of a smile appears and I push it away and I look forward with excitement knowing that one day I Will see you standing infront of me. Arms wide open and I will run into your arms and yes everything will be okay*

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**shell sitzes** - September 09, 2013 at 08:57 PM



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**shell sitzes** - September 09, 2013 at 04:49 PM



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**shell sitzes** - September 09, 2013 at 04:48 PM

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shell sizes - August 24, 2013 at 09:41 PM



“ *Lmichele Sitzes*

*4 months, still don't believe it. I miss you baby!*

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**shell sitzes** - August 20, 2013 at 02:22 PM



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**shell sitzes** - August 20, 2013 at 02:15 PM



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**shell sitzes** - August 20, 2013 at 09:56 AM



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**shell sizes** - August 20, 2013 at 12:20 AM



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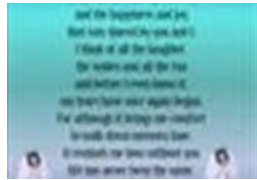


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**shell sizes** - August 18, 2013 at 09:45 PM



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shell sizes - August 15, 2013 at 08:32 PM



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shell sizes - August 14, 2013 at 09:25 PM



“ *Johnnie Sitzes posted to Joe Sitzes. in memory*

*We were all blessed to have known Joey Sitzes and are saddened by his passing a few months ago. I did not get to know Joe as much as I would have liked since my father decided to move us to Texas during our younger years of life, in doing this a lot of my memories are from the stories my dad and mom would tell about Joe and Dave and all the hunting, fishing, and adventures they had growing up. Dad had a love for his youngest brother and instilled that love for Joe into his children. One of my personal memories of him is when we went squirrel hunting once and instead of knocking on the door he decides it would be better to knock on my window at 5 in the morning with camo facepaint on, (yeah not something a twelve year old from the city wants to see) needless to say dad had to come pry me from under the covers. From what I have read and heard Joe could get a laugh out of most situations, and seemed to always have a smile on his face... might be where I get my sense of humor? I have known since my father passed that I wanted to move back to Missouri to get to learn more about Sitzes family and maybe get some hunting and fishing lessons from my uncles. Earlier this year I finally made the move back up here and was able to spend some time with Joe and could see what my dad was talking about all those years. He was indeed a godly man, a practical joker, and an expert in bird calling. Hunting and fishing extrodinare and a man that loved his family. Joe is surley missed by all and I am so gald that I was able to get to know him better no matter how brief it was. Joe did give me a few words of wisdom and I would feel honored to leave those with you now "Johnnie if you wanna catch fish you have to go where the fish are biting." Love and miss ya "Smokin' Joe"*

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**shell sizes** - August 12, 2013 at 10:49 PM



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**shell sizes** - August 11, 2013 at 10:57 PM



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**shell sizes** - August 06, 2013 at 09:03 PM



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**shell sizes** - August 05, 2013 at 07:12 PM



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**shell sizes** - August 04, 2013 at 10:18 PM



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shell sizes - August 03, 2013 at 09:57 PM



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shell sizes - August 03, 2013 at 01:04 AM



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shell sizes - August 02, 2013 at 10:29 PM



“ *Gina Glover posted to Joe Sitzes. in memory*

*We love & miss you! Even tho u all lived so far away we always enjoyed our visits. Plus all the crazy things u wld say or do. U were a man of god & loved ur family. I can see u relaxing on a bank with ur loved ones fishing and watching over us! We will see u again one day! It will be a joyful reunion!*

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*You, Valerie Sitzes and Jonathan Jones like this..*

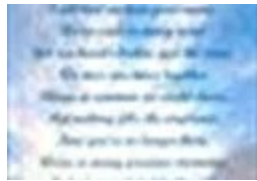
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shell sitzes - August 01, 2013 at 11:07 AM



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shell sitzes - July 31, 2013 at 07:17 PM



“ Chris Liesman

*April 24.*

*I lost another great friend and coworker today. Apache Joe came to work for me in the early 90's. He truly was a great worker and after one day together he was a true friend. There was nothing Joe couldn't do especially if it concerned hunting or fishing.*

*He truly was a great family man and husband. Joe loved to take his kids into the woods or on a nearby lake. There was nothing Joe wouldn't eat, he definitely turned all our stomachs upside down watching him eat raw catfish eggs, or the time he said he was going to bring in ham and beans for lunch, little did we know that he was gonna cook them over a fire 1 hr before lunch time, they were definitely crunchie, but we didn't let Joe know, they were the best beans ever. Apache Joe truly lived up to his nickname, the apache in him made him tough as ever. He had a tooth ache at work and at lunch he let Paul pull it with a pair of rusty old pliers.*

*Apache Joe your spirit will now be back with your four Fathers. I will never forget you Apache Joe, u Truly were one of a Kind.*

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shell sitzes - July 30, 2013 at 08:17 PM



“ Joe was as real as they come. He was always wonderful to talk too. I remember the advice he had given me about church. It was some of the best advice I could have gotten! We all love and miss him so much word's can't express!

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**Sabrina Beers** - July 30, 2013 at 08:04 PM



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**shell sitzes** - July 27, 2013 at 11:37 PM



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**shell sitzes** - July 25, 2013 at 10:09 PM



“ Who ever said Disneyland was the happiest place on earth has never been in your arms. - Author Unknown

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**shell sitzes** - July 25, 2013 at 11:17 AM



“ always on my mind, what I wouldn't give to lay my head on your chest at night, like we always did,,I miss you more each day. trying to do what you would want with every decision we make. hope you'd be proud of us.. LOVE YOU SO MUCH, AND THIS IS SO HARD.. MY ANGEL.

shell siztes - July 22, 2013 at 11:30 PM



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shell siztes - July 22, 2013 at 11:25 PM



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shell siztes - July 20, 2013 at 11:27 PM



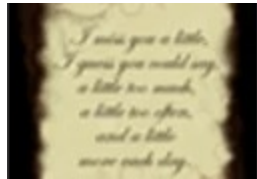
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shell siztes - July 11, 2013 at 10:54 PM



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**shell sizes** - July 08, 2013 at 10:09 PM



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**shell sizes** - July 07, 2013 at 12:23 AM



“ *Today's my birthday, and I miss you so much, But God put this rainbow over my prayer garden today, to let me know, your still here, I love you Babe.*

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**shell sizes** - July 06, 2013 at 06:54 PM



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**shell sizes** - July 06, 2013 at 06:49 PM



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There are things that  
we don't want to happen  
but have to accept,  
things we don't want to know  
but have to learn,  
and people we can't live without  
but have to let go.

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shell sizes - July 05, 2013 at 05:05 PM



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If I had a flower  
for every time you made me  
smile and laugh  
I'd have a garden to walk in  
*Forever*

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shell sizes - July 03, 2013 at 11:58 PM



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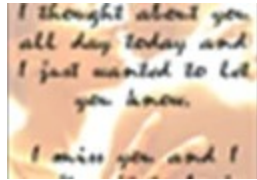
Would I trade  
All Of My Tomorrows  
for just One More  
Day With You.  
Share this on your wall if you.

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shell sizes - July 02, 2013 at 02:15 PM



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shell sitzes - June 28, 2013 at 11:13 PM



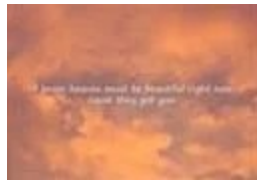
“ Shell Sitzes sent a virtual gift in memory of Joey Lynn Sitzes



shell sitzes - June 27, 2013 at 11:57 PM



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shell sitzes - June 27, 2013 at 11:55 PM



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shell sitzes - June 23, 2013 at 10:38 PM



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**shell sitzes** - June 20, 2013 at 08:51 PM



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**shell sitzes** - June 18, 2013 at 12:58 PM



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**shell sitzes** - June 18, 2013 at 12:52 PM



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shell sitzes - June 09, 2013 at 08:33 PM



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shell sitzes - June 05, 2013 at 02:56 PM

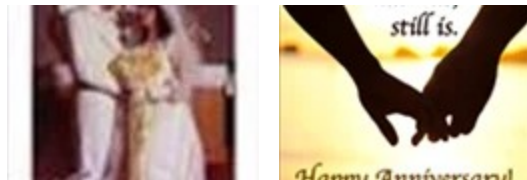


“ happy anniversary baby, i love you. 31 years. you gave me a wonderful life that i wouldn't trade for nothing,,,, except to have you back now..

shell - June 05, 2013 at 02:54 PM



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shell - June 05, 2013 at 02:50 PM

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shell - June 02, 2013 at 11:20 PM

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shell - June 02, 2013 at 11:17 PM

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shell - May 19, 2013 at 07:29 PM

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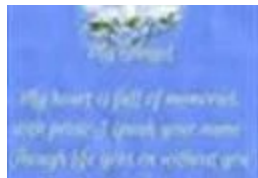
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shell - May 14, 2013 at 09:51 PM

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shell - May 13, 2013 at 09:58 PM

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shell - May 08, 2013 at 08:08 PM

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shell - May 08, 2013 at 08:06 PM

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“ SHELL sent a virtual gift in memory of Joey Lynn Sitzes



SHELL - May 03, 2013 at 06:05 PM

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shell - May 02, 2013 at 10:09 PM

EM

“ Essie Moore sent a virtual gift in memory of Joey Lynn Sitzes



essie moore - May 01, 2013 at 09:53 PM

EM

“ i knew joe in high school and than was blessed to run in two him years later him and shell i had been married one year and moved to marble creek and joe and shell was moving in a cross from me.needless to say we became best friends its been 33 years later and the guy i knew in high school became more than a friend he because someone i joked with laugh with talked with about the lord. he became our family .i will miss his laugh his joking with me him teasing me about my dogs and belive me he teased me.and i will also miss all his talking ha ha .i love him and his family dearly. will joe you are loved and very very missed.love you forever and a day. i will always be here for shell. love essie rip my brother.

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**essie moore** - May 01, 2013 at 09:52 PM

BS

“ he was a great man and a great father. i'll never forget the memories we had.yes he could be hard at times but it was for my own good. im grateful for the way he raised me and he has all my love and respect.all the times we shared doing what we do shall never be forgotten. i love you dad.

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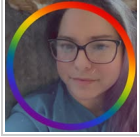
**Bunge Sitzes** - May 01, 2013 at 07:28 PM

JC

“ Michele,  
We were so sorry to hear about Joey. We all had some great times at Chuck and Judy's get togethers. We will all miss him and will be thinking of you.  
Jan and Mike Cooley

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**Jan and Mike Cooley** - April 30, 2013 at 01:04 PM



“ *Ruby Jones lit a candle in memory of Joey Lynn Sitzes*



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**Ruby Jones** - April 29, 2013 at 09:48 AM



“ *Tamra Jones lit a candle in memory of Joey Lynn Sitzes*



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**Tamra Jones** - April 29, 2013 at 04:45 AM



“ *Becca (Jones) Hansen lit a candle in memory of Joey Lynn Sitzes*



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**Becca (Jones) Hansen** - April 29, 2013 at 01:21 AM



“ *Mean Girl (kayla Schanz) lit a candle in memory of Joey Lynn Sitzes*



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**mean girl (kayla schanz)** - April 28, 2013 at 10:16 PM

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**shell** - April 28, 2013 at 09:50 PM

EM

*love you two.*

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**essie moore** - May 01, 2013 at 09:55 PM

SS

“ *Sandy Sutton lit a candle in memory of Joey Lynn Sitzes*



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**sandy sutton** - April 28, 2013 at 04:31 PM

SS

“ My heart goes out to all of your family and friends. Joey you are every where I look! My beautiful patio, my water softner and the memories that go with it!! What a wonderful day, when you can call a friend and they are there for you in an instant! Just goes to show what type of man you were. Thank you so much for engaging in my secrets and helping me believe I will be all right. You are truely a great man and will be sorely missed by many! I will do my best to try to help Shell get through this and I know she will with the help of God, family and friends. RIP my Dear Friend and I don't know if you can hunt in heaven? Love to all!!! Sandy



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**sandy sutton** - April 28, 2013 at 12:14 PM

JM

“ John Essie Moore lit a candle in memory of Joey Lynn Sitzes



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**john essie moore** - April 26, 2013 at 10:04 PM

MS

*thank you, you done more than that. best friends*

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**michele sitzes** - April 28, 2013 at 12:00 AM

JM

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john essie moore - April 26, 2013 at 10:02 PM

Ken Nations

“ My name is Kenny Nations and I was a friend and classmate of Joeys. We had a few classes together, hung out some and had some good times together. We lost touch after high school and I've always wondered what happened to him. It seems he has had a good and fullfilling life. Last July I was up in the Valley and drove by where he used to live and wondered if anyone there knew him or his whereabouts. I wished I would have stopped.

*My thoughts and prayers go out to his family. It seems Joey touched many hearts and lives and left lasting memories. I hope those memories help sustain his family through this difficult time. Though many years and miles were between us I've always thought of Joey as my friend. Godspeed my friend. I wish I could have seen you one last time.*

Ken Nations - April 26, 2013 at 12:36 PM

MS

*thank you for your comment . he talked about you over the years, memories never forgotten, he was a great man, wonderful husband, father and grandpa. moved to Desoto. made his living as a carpenter, everyone who knew him loved him.*

michele sitzes - April 27, 2013 at 11:58 PM



“ *Vivid Recollections* was purchased for the family of Joey Lynn Sitzes.



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April 26, 2013 at 12:10 PM



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**shell** - April 26, 2013 at 08:51 AM



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**lmichelesitzes** - April 26, 2013 at 08:47 AM

 Britne  
Stein

“ So many wonderful Memories of My Uncle Joey, he was always smiling. He was a wonderful man in so many ways, he loved to hunt and fish and spend time with his wife, kids and grandsons. He was a man of God and had such strong faith. It will not be the same without him here with us.

*I was fortunate enough to get to see him just a few days before his heart attack, he had come over to bring me a shelf he had made and wanted me to have, I got to show him around my new house and visit. I will treasure those memories forever. Little did I know that day would be the last time I saw that smile, He will forever be looking down on us until the day we meet again. We will miss him every day, but we will never forget him. His smile, laughter, lovable personality will shine through his wife children and grandchildren.*

*I will never forget my wedding day he was the very last person dancing on that dance floor at the reception and I remember laughing at him because he was just having a blast doing the "jig" out there by himself. Always having a good time!*

*One thing I can say for sure he was a family man and just thought the world of his wife, children and grandsons.*

*Rest in Peace Uncle Joey. We love you, Miss you and will never forget you. Its not goodbye, its see you later.*

Love,  
Brit xoxo



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**Britne Stein** - April 25, 2013 at 02:23 PM

MS

*you said it sis, we love you.*

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**michele sitzes** - April 27, 2013 at 11:59 PM

BS

*I love you more :-)*

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**Britne Stein** - April 30, 2013 at 11:38 PM