Christopher Lee "Kelso" Key

Christopher Lee "Kelso" Key was born May 27, 1986, in Spearfish, SD, to Kristi Koistinen and Scott Key. He grew up in the air force in Rapid City, Grand Forks, but called California home. Christopher graduated from Benton High School in Benton, LA, in 2004. He then graduated from Southern University in 2010 with a degree in nursing. Christopher was currently working at St. Francis Hospital in Monroe, LA, as a neo-natal nurse. His daughter, Presley, was born March 16th this year, and he wanted nothing more than to be a dad.

Christopher was known as "Kelso" and had a wonderful sense of humor. He was a member of the Simple Church in Bossier City, LA. He was an avid skateboarder and enjoyed playing on an indoor football league. He also enjoyed taking fishing trips.

Survivors include his mother, Christi (Roger) Habermann, Sturgis; his father, Scott Key, Brighton, CO; his daughter, Presley Key, Bossier City, LA; and two brothers, Collin Key, Aberdeen, SD, and Nathan Key; grandmothers, Lois Habermann, Freeburg, IL, Marla Koistinen, Madison, WI, and Janice Key, Spearfish; grandfather, Lyle (Yvonne) Koistinen, Sturgis; and great-grandmother, Hazel Koistinen, Sturgis.

He was preceded in death by his grandfather, Clarence Habermann; great-grandfather, Elvin Koistinen; and his great-grandmother, Betty Richard.

In Loving Memory Of



Christopher "Kelso" Key 1986 ~ 2011



And I'm trying, God, I am. To understand how this world didn't still need Chris "Kelso" in it. I know You have Your reasons and Your plans. And I know You can provide peace that surpasses understanding.

And I need that. I think all his friends and family do. I miss my friend. I miss my brother. And my life will never be the same because of him.

Bryan Colvin

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Born

May 27, 1986 Spearfish, South Dakota

Died

June 19, 2011 Shreveport, Louisiana

Funeral Service

Monday, June 27, 2011, at 10:00 a.m. Kinkade Funeral Chapel

Officiating

Pastor Jim Riggs

Special Music ∼ "I Will Lift My Eyes"

Prayer

Reading of Obituary

Special Speakers

Cordell (Uncle)
Collin (Brother)

Special Music ∼ "Bless The Broken Road"

Sermon

Prayer

Special Music ~ "Tears In Heaven"

Honorary Pallbearers

Jeremy Tate ~ Corey Wells ~ Roger Habermann ~ Corey Koistinen Scott Key ~ Scott Williams ~ Rodney Dehaven ~ Ree Gore ~ Thomas Philip Candella ~ Joel Gerrard ~ Clay Jenkins ~ Chad Griggs

Interment

Bear Butte Cemetery