



## Chad W. Goodwin

August 23, 1974 - June 12, 2013

Chad Goodwin, 38, was tragically taken away from us on June 12, 2013 in a motorcycle accident in Oakland. Chad was born in Turlock on August 23, 1974 to Joe and Glenda Goodwin.

He is preceded in death by his father Edgar Joe Goodwin, grandparents Jess & Alma Hearn, grandpa & grandma Goodwin, and uncle Ken Hearn.

Chad is survived by his mother, Glenda Jean Ledbetter of Charleston, MO, his 4 beautiful children Dominic(19) & Hailie(12)Goodwin of Turlock and Donovan(6) & Kassie(5) Goodwin of Modesto. He is also survived by his fiancée, Ashley Fritze of Hayward, CA, aunts Pennie Hearn of Turlock and Alma Cowan-Hearn of Charleston, MO, his sisters Michelle Goodwin of Kenneth, MO, Joann Goodwin of Louisiana and Amanda Ann Goodwin of Salt Lake City, UT. Chad also leaves behind many aunts, uncles, cousins, nieces, nephews, and friends.

Chad grew up in Turlock and only recently moved to the bay area where he was working at Applied Physics. He loved riding his bike, watching the Raiders and laughing with his family and friends. He was always willing to help others anytime they needed it. It didn't matter if they were friends or just someone down on their luck.

Visitation will be held on Wednesday, June 19 from 10:00am - 1:00pm at Turlock Funeral Home with the Funeral Service beginning at 1:00pm. Interment to follow at Turlock Memorial Park.

A fund has been established at Farmers and Merchants bank to help the family. Contributions can be made at any F&M Bank branch made payable to "Memorial Fund for Chad Goodwin" or mailed to 121 S. Center St. Turlock, CA 95380.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Chad W. Goodwin*

January 28, 2023 at 09:01 AM



“ *13 files added to the tribute wall*



Michelle Goodwin - October 20, 2021 at 07:38 PM

MG

*Chad, my little and only brother. The more years that go by it doesn't get easier. Now had to bury my husband Daniel. 37 years old totally unexpected and all this is just doing me in Chad. Oh how I wish you were here to talk smack to me or get goofy as heck on the phone till I would finally give in and laugh so hard. Forreal, I think about you all the time. Sometimes I see a weird shaped cloud and wonder if it could be you and dad. Hey give that ole man a huge hug from his baby girl and know I will see you all again one day. I have learned that when the ones that have your whole lives together, and have so many funny stories to tell. Shit half the stuff we done and went through people would probably we read that stuff out of a book. I still everyday ask Jesus why he chose to take you off this earth and not me. You were so good, kind, so very respected by all. Those who didn't show respect for you darn sure learned how to very quickly. I am Donna call the T Shirt place in Turlock tomorrow and order me another shirt because someone stole yours. I am still mad as a Japanese about that one. Jessica sure misses you so badly. She could really use her uncle Chad's advice and for you to give her a little act right. LOL. I got to order more of the memorial stickers as well. Our mom does not remember where she left them. And I got a new car so of course I got to have your sticker in the window. Wrrll brother I have rambled enough. You and I only know that I would give anything even my life to have had a closer, positive and loving relationship. But we will see one another soon. I love you Bubba. Never will you ever be forgotten. Love always, your big sister. Michelle A Goodwin*

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**Michelle Goodwin** - October 20, 2021 at 07:53 PM

KA

“*Hey uncle Chad there isn't a day goes that I am not thinking of you.. I cant let you go I sit everyday and wonder why you had to go so soon.. You were always the one who would be there when i was falling and understood. You were quick to put me in my spot though if I was wrong.. Since you left I have been so lost with out you. I miss you every day.. GONE BUT NEVER FORGOTTEN*

*love kaitlyn goodwin*

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**kaitlyn** - May 17, 2020 at 09:01 PM

JG

“ Hey uncle Chad there isn't a day goes that I am not thinking of you.. I cant let you go I sit everyday and wonder why you had to go so soon.. You were always the one who would be there when i was falling and understood. You were quick to put me in my spot though if I was wrong.. Since you left I have been so lost with out you. I miss you every day.. GONE BUT NEVER FORGOTTEN 06/12/13.. RIP Love Jess.

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**Jessica Goodwin** - October 13, 2013 at 12:00 AM

TH

“ You will be missed and will always have a special place in my heart!  
Rest in Peace!

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**Theresa** - September 07, 2013 at 12:00 AM

DT

“ Dear Goodwin Family,

*My name Denise (Fore) Trone, and I heard that Chad went to be with the Lord a few weeks ago. For the few years he lived with us, he was an absolute joy and light to my life. I want to extend my condolences to you and the family. I am sorry that I lost track of Chad (Paul) over the years. He was an awesome young man! God bless you in this difficult time.*

*In His Love,*

*Denise Trone*

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**Denise Fore Trone** - July 12, 2013 at 12:00 AM

MG

“ My baby brother, my only biological brother, to say I miss you is an understatement. There are no words to express how I feel. We shared our lives, childhoods, holidays as children and teens, secrets, fears and somewhere in our adult life we grew apart. I love you Chad, I always have, I cannot get over this nor can I deal with the pain of the regrets I have and the anger and rage I feel inside. I miss you every second of the day, Chad, You my little brother but you taught me so much in life and changed me. Your death was so sudden and unexpected, it changed me forever. Go walk with dad and grandma and grandpa and uncle ken and know that one day we will meet again. I love you so much. I miss you everyday.. Your older sister, Michelle Goodwin..06/12/2013

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**Michelle Goodwin** - July 10, 2013 at 12:00 AM

TH

“ Chad, I remember the early days of our childhood. Starting out in Delhi. Fishing where ever we could . Back when we could fish at Donelly Park, Foxgrove on our homemade float tubes,even with Tom(he said you went just to eat :) play fighting to have people stop and yell wtf and then we would run off laughing (sometimes getting chased) You touched so many lives, yet you could always be yourself at my mom and dads during the holidays. I can remember my dad on many occasions, I heard some bald guy yelling "Uncle Ken then as he looked around it was you" You made his day. My mom loved to hear from you and it would also make her day as well. Your a great cousin with great heart and morals. You are already missed. Its obvious The Lord needed a tough soldier and that's why he called you home. chad I love you, your cousin Tim

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**tim hearn** - June 20, 2013 at 12:00 AM

DW

“ RIP Chad... your laughter and smile will live on in our memories...  
Until we meet again my friend.

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**Donna Williamson** - June 19, 2013 at 12:00 AM

JD

“ Chad, We only met once, but what a beautiful place we met at Mono Hot Springs, CA.. You and Korie were young parents then.. Shaya & Hallie were babies.. Dom & DJ were young boys, that loved to fish with there Dads.. I enjoyed meeting you on the mountain.. There is sadness & tears from your family and those who loved you.. this journey you are on now is a peaceful one, where you can soar the roads. mountains, oceans, and streams in peace & love Gods speed.

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**Jeannine Porteur DiVincenzo** - June 19, 2013 at 12:00 AM

VB

“ You will be dearly missed. You were a wonderful Man. We all know you are with the Lord and his Angels. RIP Chad..

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**Victoria Batzel** - June 19, 2013 at 12:00 AM

AF

“ Are thoughts and prayers are with all The Goodwins family and friends.R.I.P.Chad.

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**Adrian Quintanar and family** - June 19, 2013 at 12:00 AM

AH

“ We love you Chad with all our hearts and soul . You will be missed.  
Love your sister and momz.

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**april Humphres** - June 19, 2013 at 12:00 AM

BS

“ *May you keep your heads high. Stay strong. Im sorry for your loss. Huggs and prayers sent to you all.*

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**Brandy Silva** - June 19, 2013 at 12:00 AM

AH

“ *No farewell words were spoken,  
No time to say good-bye.  
You were gone before we knew it,  
And only God knows why.  
Our hearts ache of pain and sadness,  
And hot tears flow,  
What it meant to lose you,  
No one will ever know,*

*You will live forever in our hearts, you changed lives, you'll be always and forever loved. Miss you dearly Uncle Chad. I know you are in heaven, an angel above us all.  
I love you Uncle, love Munch.*

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**Alicia Hawkins-Humphres** - June 18, 2013 at 12:00 AM

AS

“ *Words can't say how heavy our hearts are right now. There's going to be a big void on Holidays and the family gatherings. May god please rest your sole.*

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**Amanda Stephens** - June 18, 2013 at 12:00 AM

BG

“ *Ride On Chad.....XOXO*

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**Buffy Goodwin** - June 18, 2013 at 12:00 AM

DF

“ *Chad we miss you and love you God took you away, yet he left us crying...but now the right thing to do is think about all the great memories we had with you.*

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**debbie fernandes** - June 17, 2013 at 12:00 AM

BB

“ *You always showed me respect and always had a big hug for me, I love you and will miss you. I promise to keep an eye on Dominic!*

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**Becky Bromley** - June 14, 2013 at 12:00 AM