



Joseph A. Haggard

November 5, 1981 - October 22, 2015

Joseph Haggard, 33, of Dwight, passed away Thursday (Oct. 22, 2015) in the emergency room at OSF St. James Hospital in Pontiac, as a result of injuries sustained in an automobile accident.

He was born Nov. 5, 1981, in Kankakee.

Joseph married Victoria Calhoun on Oct. 16, 2009.

Mr. Haggard was employed by Wal-Mart in Pontiac; and enjoyed spending time with his children, fishing, hunting and riding his motorcycle.

Surviving are his wife; four children, Sierra, Kailyn, Jaxson and Xander; his mother and stepfather, Sheryl and Miguel Barbosa, of Bradley; father, Jose Angel Guzman, of Aroma Park; grandmother, Joyce Haggard, of Colterville; brother, Justin R. Guzman, of Dwight; sister, Stephanie Guzman, of Aroma Park; "Paw Paw," Joseph Pelehowski, of Bradley; aunt, Janice Haggard, of Bourbonnais; cousin, Sammi Preston, of Bradley; along with many aunts, uncles, nieces, cousins, friends, his mother-in-law and stepfather-in-law, brothers-in-law and sister-in-law.

Preceding him in death were his maternal grandfather, "Grandpa Bob" Haggard Jr.; "Maw Maw," Betty Pelehowski; and "Great Gramps Haggard."

Visitation will be from 4 p.m. to 8 p.m. Monday at Clancy-Gernon Funeral Home in Bourbonnais. Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. Tuesday, also at the funeral home, with the Rev. Lancy Hurley officiating. Burial will be in Mound Grove Gardens, Kankakee.

Memorials may be made to the family.

Cemetery Details

Mound Grove Gardens Cemetery

1000 N. Greenwood
Kankakee, IL 60901
(815) 933-6726

Previous Events

Visitation

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

Bourbonnais - Clancy-Gernon Funeral Homes, Inc.
295 Main St., NW
Bourbonnais, IL 60914
(815) 932-1214
cgfuneral@gmail.com

Funeral Service

OCT **27**. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Sam Preston lit a candle in memory of Joseph A. Haggard*



Sam Preston - May 27, 2016 at 07:44 PM



“ *Lorenstep Dickson lit a candle in memory of Joseph A. Haggard*



Lorenstep Dickson - October 28, 2015 at 12:52 AM



“ *I wan't to say first that I'm very sorry for you all. It's unbelievable. You all have my deepest sympathy. Just want to say he was a good person. He always had a smile. He was a delight to see and talk to. He will definitely be missed.RIP Joe.*



Sandy Crane - October 27, 2015 at 09:30 PM

AP

“ Ashley Price lit a candle in memory of Joseph A. Haggard



Ashley Price - October 27, 2015 at 05:12 PM

Lori Zwicky

“ Lori Zwicky lit a candle in memory of Joseph A. Haggard



Lori Zwicky - October 27, 2015 at 01:36 AM

Dustin Ahlemann

“ U were a great guy.we grew up in bradley together and went all through school with u. U will be greatly missed. Prayers be with the family and friends




Dustin Ahlemann - October 26, 2015 at 10:42 PM

SS

“ Joseph you will forever be missed and never forgotten. You were the guy that would take your shirt off your back and give it to somebody that was in need of it. We had plenty of laughs together throughout our friendship. Those will now be memories that i will cherish for the rest of my life. Rest in peace brother. Will meet again when the time comes. Victoria if ypu ever need ANYTHING please dont hesitate to contact me. I love you joseph and you will be missed. But i know you will be watching over all of us. R.I.P brother.



Shawn Scroggins - October 26, 2015 at 09:14 PM


Amanda
Carnes

“ My deepest sympathy on the loss of Joe.
Your family will be in our prayers.

Amanda & Scott Carnes



Amanda Carnes - October 26, 2015 at 06:28 PM

SA

“ Sara Anders lit a candle in memory of Joseph
A. Haggard



Sara Anders - October 26, 2015 at 04:06 PM

GS

“ I am so sorry for your loss and will keep you and your family in my
prayers. Gayle Smith

Gayle Smith - October 26, 2015 at 02:55 PM

JS

“ Miss that smile at work every night. Still keep looking for you to show up God bless your wife, kids and family in their time of sorrow. Until we meet again my friend. Fly high with the angels and I know you are helping keep heaven clean.

Julia Smith - October 26, 2015 at 09:22 AM

Laurie
Smithers

“ God Bless you and yours.



Laurie Smithers - October 25, 2015 at 10:01 PM

CL

“ Chris Lane lit a candle in memory of Joseph A. Haggard



Chris Lane - October 25, 2015 at 08:41 PM

RO

“ 10 files added to the album *New Album Name*



Robin - October 25, 2015 at 07:32 PM

RO

We were so blessed to have you in our family and we are so heart broken you had to leave us. We will forever cherish your memories. RIP.

Robin - October 25, 2015 at 08:33 PM

CL

Joe was an outstanding young man that brought a smile to everyone he worked with. For the year and a half I was in the Pontiac store, Joe was my go to guy if I ever needed anything done. He was so proud of his family and openly shared his affection for them to his Walmart family members. He is with the Lord now and though will be missed here, he is where the Father needs him now.

Chris

Chris Lane - October 25, 2015 at 08:45 PM

AB

Sorry about your loss god bless

ashley brown - October 26, 2015 at 07:06 AM

JF

“ *Jill Ferguson lit a candle in memory of Joseph A. Haggard*



Jill Ferguson - October 25, 2015 at 07:16 PM

JM

“ *I worked with Joe at Wal-Mart on 3rd shift, though I didn't keep in touch after moving away it was always great talking to him at work. My deepest condolences to the family and friends.*



Justin McKinsey - October 25, 2015 at 07:12 PM

MP

“ *Maria Poshard lit a candle in memory of Joseph A. Haggard*



Maria Poshard - October 25, 2015 at 07:05 PM

RO

“ *I work second shift as a cashier but I had the pleasure of being able to work part of my shift when Joe was there. I would always tease him about missing areas on the floor when he would be doing his safety sweeps. He would just look up and give me that big, cheesy grin of his. He was such a sweetheart. R.I.P Joe you will be missed. Condolences to the family.*

Ronda - October 25, 2015 at 06:54 PM



“ *Klista Odgers lit a candle in memory of Joseph A. Haggard*



Klista Odgers - October 25, 2015 at 06:48 PM



“ *Ronda lit a candle in memory of Joseph A. Haggard*



Ronda - October 25, 2015 at 06:43 PM



“ *Worked with Joe at Walmart. What a pleasant person to work with. Gonna miss his smiling face at 5 o'clock in the morning.*



Maria Poshard - October 25, 2015 at 05:55 PM



“ *I am a Cashier at Wal-Mart and had the opportunity to know Joe. We were just talking about him taking the kids Trick or Treating and he asked me if we were gonna be home to see the kids and pass out the candy. You're a great friend Joe and I will always remember you. Fly high Buddy. R.I.P Joe.*

Debbie LeRoy - October 25, 2015 at 05:50 PM



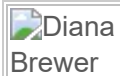
Oh Debbie he loved you.

Katrina - October 25, 2015 at 06:05 PM



I also worked with Joe at Walmart he's one of the best guys you ever want to meet he will be missed

Pat Thompson - October 25, 2015 at 06:42 PM



“ I RAN SPORTING GOODS AT WALMART JOE WOULD ALWAYS STOP BY AND TALK TO ME EVERY DAY HE WAS ALWAYS SMILING HE WAS SUCH A NICE GUY HE COULD CHEER ME UP IN A HEART BEAT GONA MISS HIS SMILING FACE RIP JOE WE WILL MISS YOU

Diana Brewer - October 25, 2015 at 05:18 PM



Joe,I know I really didn't have the opportunity to get to know you like some of the others .your smiling face will be greatly missed at Wal-Mart .May you fly higher than an eagle in gods kingdom in the sky .r.l.p.

candace raby - October 25, 2015 at 06:15 PM



“ Kathy Valdez lit a candle in memory of Joseph A. Haggard



Kathy Valdez - October 25, 2015 at 03:12 PM

Bree
Fletcher

“ I worked with joe at Wal-Mart and when I walked to the back he would always stop and talk to me all the time he was a great person 💜



Bree Fletcher - October 25, 2015 at 01:42 PM

Tara
Dickson

“ Worked with Joe for several years at Walmart.....watching him push carts was entertaining to say the least...R.I.P Joe...fly high!



Tara Dickson - October 25, 2015 at 12:31 PM

ME

“ I worked with Joe on overnights and talked all the time. He had a huge heart and always made me smile and laugh. We would talk about our families and how much they meant to us. He will be missed.



Meagan - October 25, 2015 at 12:09 PM

JA

“ I had the pleasure of working inside of walmart at subway and every a.m. I always got to hang with the midnight crew on there way off the clock and on there way home. Joe was always quirky and had a smile on his way out. I haven't been there in over a year but I will always remember those people that started my day off right and joe was one of those people. You will be remembered always and missed. Rest in peace!



jami - October 25, 2015 at 11:47 AM

Kim
Knox

“ I had the pleasure of working with Joe at Walmart and you couldn't ask for a nicer person to work with. He always had a smile and kind word. My prayers for his wife, children, and family during this difficult. Hopefully knowing that so many thought so highly of Joe will help to lessen your grief if only just a little. May you rest in peace Joe. Kim Knox



Kim Knox - October 25, 2015 at 11:46 AM

KA

He liked you and always spoke so highly of you Kim. I remember how disappointed he was when you left nights to go to days. -Katrina

Katrina - October 25, 2015 at 12:53 PM



Miss you joe 😞

Elizabeth Studley - October 25, 2015 at 01:21 PM

DA

“ Joe what can i say you were my overnight bubby the person i always went to. You always knew how to put a smile on my face i miss the talks and the high fives as we past by each other you were such a good friend. Ill miss u



Dani - October 25, 2015 at 11:24 AM

LI

“ Rip joe u will be missed kill miss all the good days at Walmart we had



Liz - October 25, 2015 at 11:12 AM

LI

Sorry supposed to say ill

Liz - October 25, 2015 at 11:13 AM

DG

“ I worked with Joe at Walmart. He was always kind to me. We talked alot about different things happening in his life. He always had a smile on his face when I would see him. I will miss him alot.



Diana Gerdes - October 25, 2015 at 11:00 AM

CR

“ *My heart goes out to you all. He will be missed by many.* ”



Crystal - October 25, 2015 at 06:26 AM