



Mary Beth "Missy" Warren Johnson

May 28, 1972 - April 29, 2012

Mary Beth "Missy" Warren Johnson, age 39 years, passed away after a tragic accident Sunday, April 29, 2012. She was a woman who loved life and lived it with a passion. She was a loving and wonderful mother to her three daughters, Hannah, Aymie, and Ali and a tremendous wife and best friend to her husband, Russell. A Celebration of her life will be held Thursday, May 3, 2012 at 11AM at Calvary Baptist Church, Greenbrier, TN with her big brother, Alan Warren & cousin Jon Atchley leading the Celebration. She was born in Nashville, TN on May 28, 1972 to Danny Ray Warren and Paulette Krisle Warren Burroughs. She lost her father at about 11 years old. She was lovingly raised by her step-father, Tommy Burroughs. Mary Beth excelled at all she did. She was runner-up in the "Little Miss World" contest. She and her brother, Alan, were in many commercials together. She went to Greenbrier High School where she played Girl's Softball, was a cheerleader, and was voted the Senior Class, "Best Looking". She was past owner of Mane Attractions where she was a hairdresser for 22 plus years. Most recently she worked at Cameron's where she had many faithful and loyal customers. She loved scrapbooking, the outdoors, Kiss music and hanging out at the pool, but most of all her focus and the most important thing in her life were her daughters and her husband...her family. She was the Assistant coach of the Thunderbolts Softball Team in Greenbrier and had a passion for all sports. She was a huge Titans fan. She was a member of Cornerstone Church. She is survived by the love of her life, Russell Johnson, Greenbrier, TN; adored and cherished

daughters, Hannah Elizabeth Burnette, Aymie Renae Burnette, Ali Beth Johnson, all of Greenbrier, TN; mother and step-father, Paulette Krisle Warren Burroughs and Tommy Burroughs, Madison, TN; brother & sister-in-law, Alan & Jennifer Warren, Mt. Juliet, TN; loved nephew Chase Warren and many loving Aunts, Uncles & Cousins. A time of visitation with her family and friends will be held on Wednesday, May 2, 2012 from 3-9PM and on Thursday, May 3, 2012 from 10-11AM the time of the service. Interment will follow the service at the Oakland Cemetery with family and friends serving as pallbearers. The family suggests donations are made to the "Mary Beth Johnson Memorial Fund", C/O Austin & Bell Funeral Home, 2619 Highway 41 South, Greenbrier, TN, 37073.

Austin & Bell Funeral Home, Greenbrier Chapel, 2619 Highway 41 South, Greenbrier, TN 37073, Phone 615.643.4000

Tribute Wall

JR

“ I am so sorry to hear about this you are in my prayers. she was a very good person.

Jeffrey Carter Ridings - May 24, 2012 at 09:36 AM

TA

“ Didn't know her personally but working at Walmart in Photo area I felt as if I did she was a great customer and When I heard of this tragedy it broke my heart to hear. She was always kind, always had a smile and she was loved by so many and will be missed. My thoughts and prayers go out to her family in this difficult time.

Tammy - May 13, 2012 at 04:30 PM

JP

“ Mary Beth was truly an amazing person who touched the hearts and lives of everyone she met and will be missed by all of us. She had such a gift of making you smile. No matter how bad your day, Mary Beth would always manage to have you laughing about something. I feel really blessed to have known her and her family. Hannah, Aymie and Ali always know how much your mom loved and adored you. She was always so proud of her girls. Paulette always know that the special bond you two had she treasured just like you do. Russell you made her family complete. She loved you so much. If anyone ever really showed how much their family meant to them it was Mary Beth.

Janice Pearson - May 03, 2012 at 11:43 AM

LS

“ My heart goes out to all of Missy's family, especially her girls. I hope you are all able to take comfort in knowing how many lives she lit up while she was here with her big smile and personality. She is surely charming everyone in heaven right about now. Rest in peace, Mary Beth.

Lesley Spray - May 03, 2012 at 11:12 AM

BC

“ Mary Beth always done my hair. She always talked about anything and everything. You could always hear the pride she had for her children when she talked about them. She loved her husband and children very much. They were her life. She will be missed so much. God speed Mary Beth. Till we meet again.

B J Cotham - May 03, 2012 at 08:10 AM

DT

“ Although no words can help to ease your loss, just know that you are very close in every thought and prayer. Mary Beth will be truly missed. I am so blessed to have known her and her love for her family and for life itself.

Davin Justice Taylor - May 02, 2012 at 11:54 PM

MJ

“ I just know she is looking over us amazed that she has so many friends and family that care so much about her and her family.

Mandy Johnson - May 02, 2012 at 10:03 PM

DA

“ Our deepest sympathy. Our thoughts and prayer are with the family at this time. She was such a huge part of the community and will be deeply missed. She grew up with me (David) and was my good friend. I'm so glad that my wife and children had an opportunity to know her and were able to call her friend.

David & Kristi Alexander - May 02, 2012 at 08:28 PM

EL

“ Mary Beth will be missed. I knew her when we were in GHS together and she had a great school spirit and was a great all around person. I just pray that God keeps her family in his loving heart, watches over them daily, leads, guides and directs them throughout their lives to be the best that they can in his eyes. May God Bless Them All!

Evelyn Karen Lee - May 02, 2012 at 06:18 PM

CH

“ Mary Beth "Missy" Warren Johnson

Cindy Slate Hallman - May 02, 2012 at 01:42 PM

DJ

“ She will be missed by so many!

Donna Gober Jones - May 02, 2012 at 12:09 PM

GP

“ To: Mary Beth and family, I only knew you for a short time but my heart breaks. I loved watching you with Autumn and the other girls. I know you are with God, my prays our with your family and softball family.

Gale Payne - May 02, 2012 at 11:38 AM

BB

“ *What a great loss to the world, what a great angel to have on our side in Heaven. Always smiling, always beautiful, always kind, and going to be greatly missed. God bless her sweet girls, husband, family and friends. Our prayers are with you at this time. God be with you and keep you in his loving arms. Our Deepest Sympathy and Love, Bubba and Kim Biederman*

Bubba and Kim Biederman - May 02, 2012 at 10:48 AM

RS

“ *I am so sorry for your loss Mary Beth was a good person and friend she will be missed.I will really miss that smile she always had on her face.The family will be in my prayers.*

Rosella Smythe - May 02, 2012 at 10:28 AM

LC

“ *So very sorry for your loss. I have many school memories of Mary Beth. May God wrap his loving arms around you all and hold you tight during this time.*

Lisa Doll Cates - May 02, 2012 at 09:25 AM

KC

“ I had the privilege of meeting Mary Beth through my daughter and granddaughter-Jennifer and Kayla Webb. It was as if I was talking to an old friend. My thoughts and prayers are with Russell and the girls and her family and friends. May these words give you some comfort.

In our hearts she will always be; Her smile we will see; Her laughter we can hear; Her touch we can feel; Her kindness and love towards everyone we remember. The love she had for her daughters and husband is surreal and something to always cherish. She would want a day of celebration-not sadness. Know that she will always be with you.

Karen Carver - May 02, 2012 at 08:54 AM

JN

“ My prayers go out to everyone in the family. Im so sorry for your loss.

Jaymee Neal - May 02, 2012 at 08:09 AM

JS

“ To Mary Beth's family: My heart is broken, not only for you, but for me, also. I feel like I've lost a daughter. I remember telling her she was like family to me. It's amazing that one so young touched so many people. She was truly a gift from God. I saw her on April 11th when she did my hair, and she was her spirited, tell it like it is self. What a passion for life and a love of family and friends and the town of Greenbrier. She will be missed - I believe the good Lord must have needed a good haircut and called her home. She will always be an angel looking over our shoulders.

Jennifer Stacey - May 01, 2012 at 08:02 PM

DD

“ *RIP Mary Beth. Fond memories of our time together at GHS.*

Derek Dowdell - May 01, 2012 at 07:35 PM

TP

“ *Mary Beth was a wonderful loving mother and friend. she was never a stranger to anyone. You could not see her for months then see her in the store and spark up a conversation like you never left off. To Hannah, Aymie, Ali and Russell....you were the loves of her life! Always remember that. May God hold each of you in his arms today and the days to come. You have a whole town to lean on, for a whole town loved her!*

Tammy Biggs Pierce - May 01, 2012 at 06:09 PM

LH

“ *I'm so very sorry to hear about the loss of Mary Beth. It's been years since I have seen her. However, it's as if it was yesterday I can remember her kindness and such a beautiful genuine smile. I will keep all of you in my prayers. Know that Heaven has a beautiful Angel and she will be watching over all of you.*

Lynda Hendricks-Givens - May 01, 2012 at 05:14 PM

BP

“ *I will never forget you! This world will never have another Angel on earth like you! Your girls,husband and mother was everything to you. you made life worth living you good brighten up any cloudy day just with your smile. Greenbrier has lost a very special person no doubt.*

Billy and Tena Phillips - May 01, 2012 at 02:54 PM

R(

“ My family and I grew up in Greenbrier. My mother, sister, and I would always go to the beauty shop-Mary Beth had a wonderful sense of humor and I always enjoyed listening to her and talking with her. Everyone there always made you feel welcome-she was a sweetheart. R.I.P. Mary Beth-you will be greatly missed.

Rachel Hogan (Lee) - May 01, 2012 at 01:54 PM

DH

“ What a terrible loss to so many people. She loved her girls more than anything in the world. I hope that they and Russell will be able to cope. Her sense of humor was priceless. I had the good fortune to have her "do my hair" for over 15 years and she was the best at making you feel like a million bucks by the time you walked out. I will truly miss her and be thankful for the memories I have.

Darlene Henley-Baldwin - May 01, 2012 at 01:30 PM

CW

“ So sorry for your lost. I am Tabitha's grandmother, and know how close you are with her. I will be here for you if you need to talk. Tabby knows I keep good secrets. Love Nana

Charlotte Wheeler - May 01, 2012 at 11:14 AM

JR

“ To Mary Beth and Family I feel I watched my friend grow and be the person she will always be in my heart. I really don't have the words to express the sadness we all will feel. Love be with you my "FRIEND" Judy Ray

Judy Ray - May 01, 2012 at 09:54 AM