



Patrick Terry Norris

June 10, 1973 - November 7, 2010

Patrick Terry Norris, 37 of Houston passed away November 7, 2010. Patrick was born June 10, 1973 to Windell Derwood Norris, Jr. and Carolyn Ruth Norris of Houston. He is survived by his parents; his brother, Windell Derwood Norris III and wife Lisa Elson Norris; his sister, Carolyn Elizabeth "Beth" Stavinoha; aunt, Nancy Lea Moore; nieces and nephews, Austin Derwood Norris, Hunter Connally Norris, John Barry Stavinoha II, Katherine Elizabeth "Kate" Stavinoha, William James "Will" Stavinoha and cousin, Samuel Kurt Newman, as well as great aunts, a great uncle and other cousins.

Patrick attended Loyola University of New Orleans and Tulane University. He was a member of St. John Vianney Catholic Church in Houston and was a member of the Knights of Columbus, Council 6527 and Social Ministries at his church. Patrick was a gentle, loving person who endured much suffering in this life and kept his faith in God to the end.

The Norris family will receive friends Wednesday, November 10, from 5:00 pm until 8:00 pm at D.M. Dettling Funeral Directors, 14094 Memorial Dr., Houston. A Rosary will begin at 6:00 pm recited by Deacon Dale Steffes. The funeral mass will commence Thursday, November 11 at 1:00 pm at St. John Vianney Catholic Church, 625 Nottingham Oaks Trail, Houston, with Father R. Troy Gately Celebrant. Pallbearers include Salvatore Anthony Gutilla, Daniel Simmons Lingo, Samuel Kurt Newman, Windell Derwood Norris III, Bradley James Stavinoha and Michael Anthony Viteri. Visitation will be held Friday, November 12 at Wade Funeral Home, 201 Northwest 3rd St., Hubbard, TX

76648 from 1:00 pm until 2:00 pm with graveside services immediately following at Fairview Cemetery in Hubbard. In lieu of customary remembrances please consider donations to the Fairview Cemetery Association, P.O. Box 427, Hubbard, TX 76648 or the National Alliance on Mental Illness at www.NAMI.org.

Cemetery Details

Fairview Cemetery

West 2nd Street
Hubbard, TX 76648

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 10. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Dettling Funeral Home
14094 Memorial Drive
Houston, TX 77079
(281) 497-2121
david@dettlingfuneral.com

Service

NOV 11. 1:00 PM (CT)

St. John Vianney Catholic Church
625 Nottingham Oaks Trail
Houston, TX 77079

Tribute Wall



“ *Patrick Terry Norris*

October 08, 2023 at 10:52 AM



“ *Patrick Terry Norris*

October 06, 2023 at 01:12 AM



“ *Patrick Terry Norris*

October 05, 2023 at 09:45 AM



“ *Patrick Terry Norris*

October 05, 2023 at 01:54 AM

JM

“ Norris family-

I was so sorry to learn of Patrick's passing and my prayers are with all of you. I do not know if you remember me, but Patrick and I were very good friends in elementary school. You knew me as JD Grauer, but since, I have changed my name to JD McBryde. Even though I have not seen Patrick since the 5th grade, I think of him often, I will never forget the memories of playing baseball with Patrick. I will also never forget the time when there was a TV show about him and he was able to go skiing as part of the make a wish program. I remember that after filming the TV show, you all took us out to lunch to the Taste of Texas... as a second grader, I fell in love with that restaurant! Although I live in Virginia, I try to come home to Houston to visit my parents as often as possible. My sister passed in 1996 and is buried in the cemetery very close to St. John Vianney. When I go visit her, I always take a spin through the "old neighborhood". I have a standard route... I drive by Wilchester, I drive by my old house off of Britoak Ln, and I drive by Patrick's house. I've been doing that for 20 years... always wondering how Patrick is doing. I wish I had stopped by one of those times. On several occasions, I took my son on these nostalgic trips and I told him about Patrick. I told him how Patrick succeeded despite being born without legs and its your heart and mind that matters... not your body. Patrick has been an inspiration to me and my son and I will never forget him. I am so sorry for your loss and if I can do anything, please do not hesitate to ask. My email address is JDMcBryde44@gmail.com

JD McBryde - November 12, 2010 at 08:08 AM

SS

“ I'm so very sorry to hear about the loss of Patrick.

Your entire family is in my thoughts and prayers during this difficult time.

*Much love to you all,
Suzanne Skipton Shelton*

Suzanne Shelton - November 11, 2010 at 12:41 AM

SK

“ Our memories of Patrick are at Wichester Elementary, Spring Forest Middle School and Stratford High. Our son Hayes had many good times with Patrick and admired his determination, perseverance and attitude regardless of his limitations.

God bless the Norris family and may the peace of the Lord be with you today and always,

Fondly,

Sylvia and Kyle Kirkland

Sylvia Kyle Kirkland - November 10, 2010 at 04:24 PM

RW

“ Wyn,
Our thoughts and prayers are with you, Carolyn, Patrick's wife, Lisa, and for Patrick.

With deepest sympathy,

Rick and all of us at Bowles, Womack & Company, PC

Rick Womack - November 10, 2010 at 01:02 PM

CL

“ I met Pat when he was just 2 years old. He was a firey kid with a great heart and strong arms like a wrestler. He grew into a boy who did not want to let his handicap slow him down. In fact, he wanted to go out for baseball and he proved to be a star. It landed him on a TV show for his extordinary heart and will to excel. I am proud to have helped him learn how to play baseball and proud to have been his friend.

With love,

Clint

(From the old neighborhood)

Clint - November 10, 2010 at 12:29 PM