



Greg M. Tilton

November 26, 2009

Gregory M. Tilton, PFC, US Army, age 20 of Worthington, Thursday, November 26, 2009 in Fort Riley, KS. He was born in Columbus, OH on December 15, 1988. He graduated from Thomas Worthington High School and attended Columbus State Community College. He graduated Army Basic Training in Fort Benning in June 2008. Greg served on tour in Operation Iraqi Freedom returning in October 2009. His awards from the Army were the Army Commendation Medal, National Defense Service Medal, Iraqi Campaign Medal with the Bronze Star, Army Service Ribbon and the Overseas Service Ribbon. He was preceded in death by grandparents, Glenda Tilton and Lee Perry. Survived by wife, Molly; parents, Tim and Brenda Tilton; brothers, Jeff (Kelli) and Bradlee; grandparents, Ward (Pat) Tilton and Marlyn Perry. He is also survived by Molly's parents, Darrell and Beth Baird; brothers, Ben and Ryan; sisters, Emilie and Eva; grandfather, Dr. Jon Pensyl; numerous beloved uncles, aunts, cousins, nieces and friends. Visitation will be from 5-9 p.m. Wednesday, December 9, 2009 at RUTHERFORD-CORBIN FUNERAL HOME, 515 High Street, Worthington, Ohio. Funeral Service will be at 1 p.m. Thursday, December 10, 2009 at Worthington United Methodist Church, 600 High Street, Worthington, OH with interment to follow at Blendon Central Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to: Fisher House Foundation, Inc., 111 Rockville Pike, Suite 420, Rockville, MD 20850-5168 to assist soldiers with PTSD.

Tribute Wall



“ Greg M. Tilton

January 28, 2023 at 10:24 AM



“ Last time I saw Greg , we were foot patrolling along the Euphrates River together with the team. He switched positions like some of us, often finding himself in the turret or as the driver. His generosity and positive energy will always be remembered. Tilton's, I hope you have found some peace all these years. Sad to see him gone still but I know he's in a good place.

Timothy Maynard - April 01, 2020 at 01:09 AM



I just saw this. Thank you so very much for sharing & caring. I know he's in a "better place " but miss him every minute of the day. We hope that you're doing okay! Tough times but your thoughtfulness means the world to all of us! Take care & stay safe. Brenda Tilton

Brenda Tilton - May 04, 2020 at 06:10 PM



“ Rest in Peace Gregory and my heart go out to his family

spc. Bazile, Harry - September 01, 2010 at 12:00 AM



Hope you're well Harry. Take care of yourself.

Tim

Timothy Maynard - April 01, 2020 at 01:11 AM

BH

“ Our heartfelt thoughts and prayers are with Tim, Brenda, Molly and the entire Tilton/Baird family during this most difficult time.

Brent, Ronda and Brandon Howard - December 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM

TF

“ Dear Tilton Family, We greatly appreciate Greg's service to our country. We're thinking of you during this difficult time and wish you strength and peace in the days to come. Dan, Jennifer, Douglas, and Family

The Button Family - December 09, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JR

“ Brenda, Tim, and family, Prayers. I am in Michigan to see Jackie in a play at Hope College. I wish I could be there to give you all hugs. I can see Greg with his big smile being silly in the 6th grade lip sync. Tim, remember that hair cut he didn't get that day at First Choice? He was such a character. He will be missed! Hugs to Molly. Love from me and the Richards family on Morning Street. Jen

Jen Richards - December 09, 2009 at 12:00 AM

J1

“ Tilton Family ~ our deepest condolences to you as you grieve the death of your husband, son, grandson, and brother, Greg. Greg served his country with honor, and it is with pride and respect that we will remember him. Our thoughts prayers are with you in this time of sadness.

JEFFERSON TWP FIRE DEPT 140 - December 09, 2009 at 12:00 AM

KC

“ *The Tilton Family - My deepest sympathy to you. Please know that you are being lifted up daily in my prayers. My God grant you comfort and strength.*

Kathy Clark - December 09, 2009 at 12:00 AM

SD

“ *We wish to express our thanks for Greg's service to our country. Your family is in our thoughts and prayers.*

Scioto Township Fire Department - December 09, 2009 at 12:00 AM

NB

“ *My heartfelt sympathy goes out to the Perry and Tilton families. I pray your memories of the good times with Greg imprint in your hearts throughout your lives. Sincerely, Nina (friend of grandmother Marlyn Perry)*

Nina M. Bruns - December 09, 2009 at 12:00 AM

DC

“ *Dear Tim, Brenda, and family, My thoughts and prayers are with you at this time. I know the pain of losing a son--please contact me if you would like to talk--I am a good listener. In deepest sympathy, Debbie Charles*

Debbie Charles - December 09, 2009 at 12:00 AM

TF

“ *Chief, We are so sorry for your loss. You and your family are in our thoughts.*

The Wass Family - December 09, 2009 at 12:00 AM

MP

“ *Tim, Brenda, Jeff and Bradley: My deepest sympathies for your loss. There aren't meaningful enough words to convey so I will just tell you you are in my thoughts and prayers. Melissa*

Melissa Pierson - December 09, 2009 at 12:00 AM

SF

“ *Tim and Brenda, Words cannot begin to express our heartfelt sympathy to you at this time. We will always remember Greg's happy, smiling face and treasure those memories of him. You are in our thoughts and prayers. With sympathy, Steve and Sharon Ford*

Steve and Sharon Ford - December 09, 2009 at 12:00 AM

LZ

“ *Dear Tim, Brenda, and family, I am so sorry to hear about your loss. There is nothing I can say to help ease your pain, but please know that you are in my thoughts and prayers during this tremendously difficult time. Sincerely, Linda Zorich*

Linda Thole Zorich - December 09, 2009 at 12:00 AM

TM

“ *Dear Brenda and Tim, Peg Seelig brought to my attention the obituary about your son. So sorry to hear of your loss. I can not imagine your grief. Your son was a fine soldier and I'm sure you are very proud of him. I and my family will keep all of you in our thoughts and prayers. Tish*

Tish (Weisenberger) Miller - December 08, 2009 at 12:00 AM

BK

“ My thoughts and prayers go to the Tilton family as they recover from such a tragic loss. Ill never forget the energy and excitement that Greg brought to the table. Over the past 17 years that I've known Greg, I have come to gain such high respect for him. To me, Greg was everything that I could ask for in a friend and more. Greg will truly be missed by everyone.

Brett Killian - December 08, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JO

“ Chief.... you and your family are in my thoughts and prayers at this most difficult time.

Julie Ogg - December 08, 2009 at 12:00 AM

BG

“ Tilton Family - my wife Annie and I are very sorry for your loss. You are in our prayers. God Bless you

Bob Grimm - December 08, 2009 at 12:00 AM

KM

“ Tim and Brenda, Our thoughts and prayers are with you. We have such fond memories of Greg. What a wonderful young man. Don't hesitate to contact us if we can provide a listening ear. We love you. Kathy and Gary

Kathy and Gary Moore - December 08, 2009 at 12:00 AM

NR

“ Brenda, Tim & Family, Our hearts are heavy with great saddenss.. Our thoughts and prayers are with your all..... Love Nancy & Ali

Nancy & Ali Reagan - December 07, 2009 at 12:00 AM

MH

“ Tim and Brenda... My heart is heavy knowing the sorrow that you are going through.. Greg was someone I never had the pleasure to meet, but prayed for him often and felt like I knew him from brendas pictures and stories of him that we shared. Im sure he was a wonderful person and am so proud of him for serving to protect all of us back home. Please know I am thinking of you and have you in my prayers.., Memory Howell

MEMORY HOWELL - December 07, 2009 at 12:00 AM

LM

“ Our deepest sympathies. You are in our prayers during this difficult time.

Lynn McNabb - December 07, 2009 at 12:00 AM

BB

“ To all of Gregs loved ones- I don't believe I ever got to meet Greg, but my children Jeremy and Brianne knew him from Thomas. I have met Molly and her parents through my friend Danielle. As a mother of a Marine with PTSD and a soldier heading back to Iraq in ten days, I want you to know my heart goes out to all of you. I appreciate Gregs service for our country and I will keep all of you in my thoughts and prayers.

Becky Branch - December 07, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JK

“ Anyone who has a child fears the unspeakable loss of that child. I never met your family or Greg, but am a longtime friend of Andy's. With Greg's death, comes a deep personal and community grief. It's almost an unspeakable loss. We try to give it words and meaning, an understanding that will ease the pain. I can only hope and pray that your entire family will let the people who love you and Greg share your loss and that you find the healing that time will bring. There is sorrow and love all around you. It is ours and yours to share. I want to believe Greg is cradled back in the arms of his Maker. What other thought makes sense? Still, my heart breaks for you. Joel Kalson

Joel Kalson - December 06, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JW

“ My heart goes out to all of you...the whole Tilton family. I cannot even imagine your anguish. Please accept my deepest sympathy. Jan Wade

Jan Wade - December 06, 2009 at 12:00 AM

CM

“ You are all in our prayers. Our hearts are heavy and filled with sadness for your loss.

Christine and David Miller - December 06, 2009 at 12:00 AM

RB

“ Very little can ease the pain of your loss. Several things come to mind as I reflect on your grief. It is for the living to resurrect in the spirit, not those who passed. Greg was both strong and human. In knowing both these qualities about Greg I pray your family can find strength and healing in God's grace, for it is the meek who go before us and shall inherit the earth. rebecca

rebecca boger - December 06, 2009 at 12:00 AM

DS

“ *Out thoughts and prayers are with your entire family. Thank you Greg for doing a superb job of defending our Freedom. A gift only you could have given to all of us.*

Dan, Celeste, Christopher, Stefan, Kelsey Schultz - December 05, 2009 at 12:00 AM

DS

“ *Dana*

Dana, Celeste, Christopher, Stefan, Kelsey Schultz - December 05, 2009 at 12:00 AM

DW

“ *Thinking of all the Tilttons.*

David & Sandy Wadsworth - December 05, 2009 at 12:00 AM

RW

“ *so sorry for your loss... having a daughter a little younger and two sons a little older than Greg, I can't imagine your grief. I thank and honor Greg for his service to our country. God Bless. Rick*

Rick Wadsworth - December 05, 2009 at 12:00 AM

NW

“ *Words cannot express the sadness I feel for all of you. My heart breaks for your loss. Sending love and prayer.*

Nancy Wadsworth - December 05, 2009 at 12:00 AM

RM

“ My condolences go out to the family and loved ones of Greg. Love can change form but never dies. May you hold the love of Greg in your hearts always and understand that we can never truly understand the pain of another unless we have walked in his shoes. Blessings, Rev. Judith McLean

Reverend Judith M. McLean - December 05, 2009 at 12:00 AM

DH

“ I am deeply saddened by your loss. Words cannot express my gratitude for the sacrifices soldiers and their families make every day so people like me can live in a free country. Your son is a hero and nothing can change that.

Dr. Morten Haugland - December 04, 2009 at 12:00 AM

DK

“ I'm holding your family close in prayer and will for the rest of my life. Greg will always hold a special place in my heart and I'm just heart broken and so very sorry for your loss. I cannot fathom the pain in losing a child this is something no parent should have to endure. I pray that you know how much the Killian's love you all and how much we will miss Greg.

Dianne Killian - December 04, 2009 at 12:00 AM

ED

“ Dear Tilton Family, My heart goes out to all of you during this most difficult time. You are in my thoughts and prayers. I really appreciated Greg and his laughter and his great personality. He will be missed.

Elaine I. Dentler - December 04, 2009 at 12:00 AM