



## Joey Burgin

December 23, 1958 - October 15, 2011

Joey Champ Burgin, 52, of 337 Pistol Club Road, died October 15, 2011 at his home.

A native of Greenville County, son of Brenda Stokes Burgin of Piedmont and the late Champ Hampton Burgin.

Surviving in addition to his mother, are his daughter Amber Burgin Hoyle and husband Kerry of Soddy-Daisy, TN and a brother, Jeff Burgin of Piedmont.

Memorial services will be held 4:00 p.m. Friday at Wood Mortuary conducted by Rev. Keith Kelly.

Visitation will be held 3:00-4:00 p.m. Friday at Wood Mortuary.

Memorials may be made to Miracle Hill Ministries, P.O. Box 2546, Greenville, S.C. 29602.

Online condolences may be made to [www.thewoodmortuary.com](http://www.thewoodmortuary.com)

# Previous Events

## Service

OCT **21**. 4:00 PM (ET)

THE WOOD MORTUARY CHAPEL

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Greer, SC 29650

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# Tribute Wall



JB

“ *Joey was- no not was- is my best friend. He was the most selfless person I have ever known. I am a better person because of my time with him . Never realized how much I learned about life from him until now. Funny there is always so much publicity when we lose a Steve Jobs ,Marlon Brando or John f Kennedy. I never knew any of these people but I can say from the bottom of my heart it was a privilege to call Joey my friend and his passing is a loss the whole world should mourn. I am writing this on 5/27/2024 as like most days I think of him.*

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**Jeff Brackins** - May 27, 2024 at 02:13 PM



“ *Dear Amber,*

*We were very sorry to hear of your daddy's passing and grieve with you during this time of significant loss, having the shared bond of losing our dads when they were too young. We will keep you in our prayers, asking God to bring you comfort in this difficult season.*

*Love, Scot and Suzy Steinheiser###imported-begin##Scot and Suzy Steinheiser###imported-end##*

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October 22, 2011 at 02:01 PM



“ My cousin Joey was born about 3 months before my youngest brother Wayne. I baby sit him once when Brenda was looking for a job. He was a sweet baby and a nice man. John and I were so impressed by the beautiful memorial service. We are so thankful that Amber got to come and she did such a sweet talk about him. The world has lost a great man and I have lost a good cousin.##imported-begin##Trudy Stokes Frost##imported-end##

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October 22, 2011 at 01:52 PM



“ Amber,  
We were so sorry when we heard about your loss. Even though Carrie and my family only met your daddy one time, he made such a joyful impression. His playing and singing were so much fun. There is more music - and laughter - with Joey in heaven. Brian and Carrie Holland##imported-begin##Brian and Carrie Holland##imported-end##

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October 21, 2011 at 07:56 AM



“ Amber, I am so sorry for your loss. I know how important and special your daddy was to you. I am blessed that I was able to meet him, even for a short period of time. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. Love you! Colleen##imported-begin##Colleen Holland##imported-end##

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October 20, 2011 at 05:35 PM



“ Amber, I was never fortunate enough to meet your father. However, I've heard enough stories from brothers and sisters to know that Joey was a wonderful man who was a joy to be around. Proof of that can still be found each day in the daughter he raised. I wish I'd had the chance to listen to him play his guitar and tell his stories. I know you will cherish those memories just as all those who have met him do. Our thoughts are with you and your family.##imported-begin##John Holland##imported-end##

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October 20, 2011 at 03:16 PM



“ Amber, Your dad was a really good man. I am so glad I had the chance to meet him and spend some time with him. You could see in his eyes how proud he was of you! When he walked you down the aisle at your wedding he was beaming as much as you were! I know how much you will miss him. My thoughts and prayers are with you.  
All my love, Anne##imported-begin##Anne Holland##imported-end##

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October 19, 2011 at 10:09 PM

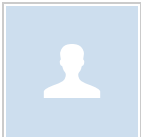


“ Hello,  
My brother Stan & I lived down the street from The Burgins on Nottingham Rd.. We rode to school with Joey. I mentioned to Stan Sunday night about a couple of times I came home when Mother & Dad were gone and there sat, Joey, Donnie Nelson, Jeff Bracken singing & playing guitars. Stan said that happened often. They loved to sing and play and were very good. Stan said Joey came by in the last year and played Stans guitar out in the back yard. We all laughed & laughed when we were young.  
I remember when Joey got his drivers license and drove around the big red & white car. We played the radio as loud as we could and sang and sang. May God Bless y'all in this time in sorrow but rejoice in the fact that you will be with him in heaven one day .

*Claudia Smith##imported-begin##Claudia Smith##imported-end##*

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October 19, 2011 at 04:00 PM



“ Amber, Brenda & Jeff, I want all of you to know how sad we are about Joe. Joe loved all of you so much. Amber you were his life!! I don't know of a Dad that was anymore proud of a daughter than he was of you. I remember looking at your graduation pictures more than once and listening to him brag about his sweet, smart and beautiful baby girl. I was lucky enough to get to come to Nashville and meet you for myself and sure enough you were everything he said you were. I've enjoyed crying and laughing with you over the last few days and I want you to remember what I told you, I'm always here when you need to talk. Rest assured that your Dads with Champ singing in Heaven. Love and prayers to all of you. Cindi & Hunter##imported-begin##Cindi Wilson##imported-end##

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October 19, 2011 at 03:51 PM



“ I will be praying for the family during this difficult time. Joey was my neighbor for the past several years. He was kind and compassionate and the best neighbor anyone could ever ask for. We had several conversations during the past few years. He always talked about his family and friends and put himself last. I think we all can take a page out of Joey's life, and learn that being humble is truly the way we need to live. I will miss you temporarily, but we shall meet again one day soon!

Sincerely,

Paul Posey###imported-begin###Paul Posey###imported-end##

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October 19, 2011 at 02:06 PM



“ Dear Amber and family,

Our deepest sympathy and warmest thoughts are with you during this difficult time. Please let us know of any way we can ever be of help to you. We're glad to have made a contribution to Miracle Hill in memory of Joey. I know it'll be put to good use.

In our thoughts and prayers, much love.

Scott & Michelle###imported-begin###Scott and Michelle  
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October 19, 2011 at 12:11 PM



“ Amber,  
*I am Donnie's sister. I am so sorry to hear about your dad. I have known him almost all my life and have many fond and funny memories of Donnie and Joey when we were children. Joey was one of the most handsome men I have ever known! I also know how proud he was of you and he loved you more than anything in this world. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. If there is anything I can do, please call me at 864-915-4755.*  
*Love, Kelley##imported-begin##Kelley King Sibley##imported-end##*

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October 19, 2011 at 10:06 AM



“ Amber, *I never met your father but I know how proud he must have been to have such a sweet and kind daughter. I want you to know I'm thinking about you during this time.*  
*Much love,*  
*Mary##imported-begin##Mary Coleman Palmer##imported-end##*

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October 18, 2011 at 10:13 PM