



## Ryan Levi Dearman

April 20, 1994 - August 24, 2013

Ryan Levi Dearman, age 19 passed away on August 24, 2013. Born in Georgia, Ryan attended W. Newton Elementary School in Covington, GA until he and his father moved to Plano, Texas in the summer of 2003. He attended Vines High School and graduated with honors from Plano Senior High School in May 2012. He received two Presidential Scholarships for his academic accomplishments and was accepted at Southwestern University in Georgetown, Texas. He was a Psychology Major in his sophomore year of obtaining a Bachelor of Science degree focusing on Forensics. He stated, "I want to be the guy sitting on a park bench observing human behavior and determine why we act in such varied ways" before God called him home. He was preceded in death by his grandmothers, Betty Wiggley and Elizabeth G. Dearman; grandfathers, Daniel W. "Paw Paw" Shattles, Jr. and Ronald Levi Dearman; and aunt, Nancy Darlene Shattles. He is survived by his father, Robert Levi Dearman of Plano, TX; mother, Renee Shattles Dearman of Decatur, GA; brother, John Michael O'Neal, Jr. of Atlanta, GA; grandmother, Connie Shattles of Forest Park, GA; aunts and uncles, Ray and LuAnn Hill of Covington, GA, James and Karen "Katie" Anderson of Sugarland, TX; uncle, David Dearman of Plano, TX; half-brothers, Kaleb Dearman and Kale Dearman of Plano, TX; step-father, Scott Cornett of Decatur, GA; step-sisters, Christi Cornett and Callie Cornett of Conley, GA; numerous friends, cousins, aunts and uncles. Ryan's request was to be cremated. Gabriel's Funeral Home in Georgetown, Texas honored his wish on August 30, 2013. A

Memorial Celebration of Life will be held at 1 p.m. on Saturday, March 15, 2014 at Scot Ward Funeral Services. Family will receive friends from 12 until 1 p.m. prior to the service at the funeral home. Scot Ward Funeral Services, 699 American Legion Road, Conyers, 30012, 770-483-7216.