



Seth Todd Owen

June 5, 1967 - February 26, 2017

Mr. Seth Todd Owen, age 49 of Conyers, died Sunday, February 26, 2017. He is survived by his wife, Linda Owen; children, Raegan and Grant Owen; parents, William C. and Susan Owen, Becky and Charles Cox; father-in-law and mother-in-law, Leonard and Nancy Bythewood; brothers and sisters-in-law, Andrew and Lynn Owen, Tim and Angela Owen; brothers-in-law and sisters-in-law, David and Christine Bythewood, Rick Bythewood; Beth and Chris Morgan, Meredith and Richard Stelling. Mr. Owen worked for Acuity Brands for over 15 years. His passions included mountain biking, hiking, kayaking, NASCAR and classic car restoration. Most of all he loved spending time with his family. Memorial Services will be held Saturday, March 4, 2017 at 4 p.m. at Scot Ward's Green Meadow Chapel with Rev. Ed Cook officiating; the family will receive friends and celebrate his life from 2 until 4 p.m. prior to the service at the funeral home. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to the American Heart Association www.heart.org. Condolences may be submitted on-line at www.scotward.com. Scot Ward Funeral Services, 699 American Legion Rd., Conyers, GA, 770-483-7216.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 4. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Scot Ward Funeral Services at Green Meadow Memorial Gardens
699 American Legion Road
Conyers, GA 30012

Memorial

MAR 4. 4:00 PM (ET)

Scot Ward's Green Meadow Chapel
699 American Legion Rd
Conyers, GA

Tribute Wall



“ Today I will honor the life of such an incredible human being. Someone who touched everyone he crossed paths with in such a beautiful way. I had the pleasure of working with him over the last two years. To his beautiful family, may you all find peace and healing by leaning on each other and the lord during this immensely difficult time. The whole family and Sunoptics Team is in my heart today and prayers go out to all of you.
-Audrey Bilbrey

Audrey Bilbrey - March 04, 2017 at 12:00 PM

JH

“ Linda, Reagan, and Grant we are saddened by Seth's passing, he will be dearly missed on Hardslate Rd. He was a great man, father and real friend. He always had a smile when he came around or we met at your cabin. Your family is in our hearts and prayers and please remember if at anytime that you need help up here on the mountain please call or holler.

Deepest Sympathies!
John and Brenda Hamilton

John Hamilton - March 04, 2017 at 11:51 AM

JH

“ There are no words for this loss. Seth was one of the kindest, most thoughtful people I have ever met. His humor and smile will be dearly missed. Linda and family, we pray for you and your loss.

John and Andrea

John Haartje - March 04, 2017 at 11:01 AM

“ I went to school with Seth from grade school, through middle school, and into high school, until he moved away. He was always kind and easy going, I never heard him say an unkind word to anyone. Growing up, he and Tim Coble were always such devoted friends. Tim usually did the talking for the two of them while Seth would nod in agreement. They were a lot like Phineas and Ferb on the cartoon by the same name. They both were sweet boys who never caused trouble and were fun to be around.

There was a little boy who lived in their neighborhood who was several years younger than we were. Apparently there were some kids at school who were being mean to the little boy. Seth and Tim walked the little boy around the playground one day and told all the kids on the playground that he was their friend, and that anyone who messed with him had to answer to them. (Of course, Tim was doing the talking while Seth nodded.) Now Tim and Seth weren't ones to pick fights, so their announcement made everyone take notice. I don't know if anyone ever bothered the little boy after that, but I have often thought how much better playgrounds would be if there were more Seth's and Tim's.

In sixth grade, we had a rather grumpy teacher. In fact, she had been my mother's grade school teacher and her disposition had not changed over the years. One day, Seth, Tim and another boy (probably James Matheny) walked up to her desk and Tim said, "Did you know that the three of us are twins?" She asked, "How's that?" They were all wearing their nylon baseball jackets, so they all turned around to show their team name. Yes, they were the Twins. To everyone's surprise, Miss Anderton actually smiled.

That same year, we had some sort of class party. I don't remember if it were Christmas or Valentines, but the rumor got started that Tim and Seth's moms spiked the punch. I don't know if anyone actually believed that, but the thought of it still makes me laugh out loud. Like mothers would want to deal with a room full of drunk kids. (Not to mention other issues that might come up.)

In middle school, I accidently broke Seth's glasses. (Long story) I didn't even know that I had. A few days later, I said to Seth, "Hey, you got new glasses." Tim chimed in, "He had to since you broke

his other ones." Of course, Seth hadn't said anything and didn't act upset about it. I've always felt terrible about that. I kept thinking if I ever saw him again I would get him to go pick out a new pair of glasses "on the house". I'm so sorry that I never got the chance. It was a pleasure knowing Seth and words cannot express how sad I am to hear that he is gone. He was such a sweet and kind boy. I'm sure that growing up did not change that.

*God bless,
Karen Siler Veazey*

Karen Siler Veazey - March 04, 2017 at 09:35 AM

 Ron
Poskevich

“ *Had a lot of good times and these are just a few pics we found. He always had a smile on his face, even when the camera was off.*



Ron Poskevich - March 04, 2017 at 12:43 AM

JM

“ There are no words. Linda, Reagan and Grant - may God and your family and all of us provide the love and compassion you need to navigate the waters ahead without your wonderful husband and father. So many wonderful, fun memories with you at the Mangy Moose. We are heartbroken at this loss. Whey my dad died an early death, people said to me, "God needed more angels in Heaven". I choose to believe this as it just does not make sense. He will always be with you, watching from above. We love you and are so very sorry. Here is one of my favorite pictures. Love, Jennifer & Fran



Jennifer & Fran McGranaghan - March 03, 2017 at 10:52 PM

JS

“ 1 file added to the album *LifeTributes*



Jacque Stevens - March 03, 2017 at 09:55 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet* was purchased for the family of Seth Todd Owen.



March 03, 2017 at 07:17 PM

DB

“ Linda,
I am so sorry to hear of Seth's passing. I worked with Seth at Controls when he first started at Lithonia. He always added laughter to every conversation, no matter what the situation. His smile and wit were contagious. Please know that you and your children are in my prayers.
Take care,
Diane Brodalski

Diane Brodalski - March 03, 2017 at 06:34 PM

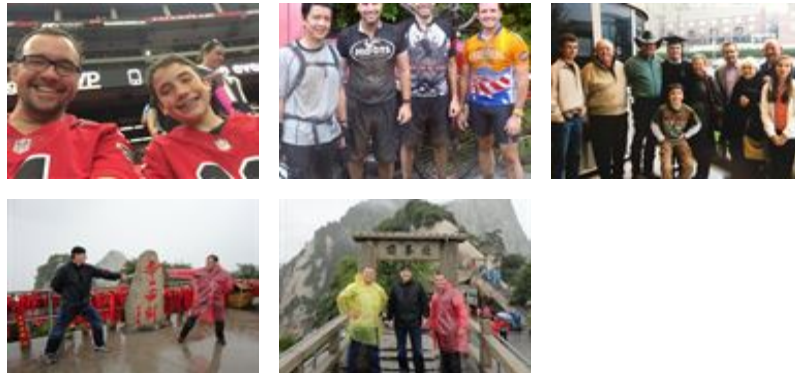


“ My families hearts are with you and your family. Our sincere condolences to the Owen Family. The Mitchell Family (Azia) -Davis Middle School.

Paula Mitchell - March 03, 2017 at 02:30 PM



“ 77 files added to the album Life Tributes



Scot Ward Funeral Services - March 03, 2017 at 01:24 PM

JC

“ Seth was One of a Kind on the Cutter Softball Team. He was smiling and playing all the time. He was a true friend and a good man. Linda, i wish the best to you and your family. Our prayers go to you.

Jay, Emily, Natalie and John Casabonne

Jay Casabonne - March 03, 2017 at 01:18 PM



“ Vivid Recollections was purchased for the family of Seth Todd Owen.



March 03, 2017 at 12:54 PM



“ Crystal Cross Bouquet was purchased for the family of Seth Todd Owen.



March 03, 2017 at 11:28 AM

CD

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Chuck Davis - March 03, 2017 at 11:11 AM

MT

“ 3 files added to the album *New Album Name*



Mario Tripari - March 03, 2017 at 09:51 AM

CA

“ *Linda, my heart is breaking for you and your children at losing Seth so early. He was a great man and had so many fun years ahead of him - he will be missed by many! Prayers for you and all of the family during this sad time.*



Carolyn Israel

Carolyn - March 03, 2017 at 07:48 AM

PP

“ *Dear Linda and Family,
You don't know me, but my best friend Sandee Tarlton told me about what happened to your husband last night when we spoke on the phone. I am so sorry for this terrible and sudden loss to your family. Please accept my heartfelt sympathies at this difficult time.
God Bless*

*Sincerely,
Phyllis Price*

Phyllis Price - March 02, 2017 at 10:41 PM

CW

“ Linda,
My heart goes out to you and your family. Seth was a positive influence in our company and in our world. He was always happy to lend support to whatever efforts would benefit from his talents. We will miss him. God bless you all!
Fondly,
Chris Walsh

Chris Walsh - March 02, 2017 at 09:31 PM



“ Magnificent Life Spray was purchased for the family of Seth Todd Owen.



March 02, 2017 at 07:47 PM

KV

“ Seth brightened up every room he walked into. I truly can't recall a conversation I had with him that didn't involve a smile and a laugh, no matter how "serious" the issue was. Seth's enthusiasm and joy was infectious, and I will miss him greatly.
Linda, all of our thoughts and prayers are with you and the kids.
With love, The Vogel family

Kurt Vogel - March 02, 2017 at 04:42 PM

SW

“ Hi Linda, I was so upset when I got the call. You know how much I loved Seth. We all had so much fun together playing softball, soccer and swimming afterwards at your home. Those were the best days..... I will always miss him.....

Love you,
Sulinda Walker

Sulinda Walker - March 02, 2017 at 01:46 PM

TR

“ I am so devastated of this news. I worked with Seth at Home Depot. He was always fun to work with was always joking and having a good time and it was very obvious how much his kids and family meant to him. He was a kind and gentle soul and will be truly missed. Prayers for his family during this very tough time..

Tina Howard Rhamy - March 02, 2017 at 12:52 PM

NW

“ I am so sad to hear of Seth's passing. I worked with him at Home Depot for a few years. He always had a smile on his face and would crack jokes. He definitely made working fun. Many prayers for his family.

Nancy Wall Wood

Nancy Wall Wood - March 02, 2017 at 12:15 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Seth Todd Owen.



March 02, 2017 at 11:39 AM



“ Please accept our deepest sympathies on the passing of Seth. Linda, many of us up here in Ellijay were so sad to here of his passing. Seth will be missed. You and your family are in our prayers. RIP Seth.

Todd & Gail Lyons - March 02, 2017 at 10:16 AM



“ Kevin Offutt and Lynda Offutt Sanders purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Seth Todd Owen.



Kevin Offutt and Lynda Offutt Sanders - March 02, 2017 at 10:08 AM

BA

“ My deepest sympathies to Linda and the Owen family, please know that we are praying for your comfort and strength in this difficult time.

While I did not have the pleasure of knowing Seth well outside of professional interactions, I always admired his positive attitude and love of life and family. He always had a smile on his face and a genuine handshake. He will be missed but not forgotten.

*Deepest sympathy,
Marile & Bill Astary*

Bill Astary - March 02, 2017 at 09:53 AM

FM

“ Seth was a wonderful person and a dear friend. He was a proud father that often talked and bragged about his lovely wife Linda and his 2 beautiful kids Reagan & Grant. His infectious energy and positive attitude made it easy for people to gravitate toward him. He was fun to be around, and I have so many fond memories of spending time with him and his family. He was a UT fan and it was always a good time watching and talking Tennessee football with him.

Seth left this world way too early, but he left it a much better place with all of the people he has touched. I feel blessed to have known him. He will be greatly missed. Linda, words can not express how sorry I am for Seth's passing.

Thoughts and prayers are with the Owen family.

We love ya Sethro!!

Fran McGranaghan - March 01, 2017 at 09:05 PM

EB

“ 2 files added to the album *New Album Name*



Ed Boyd - March 01, 2017 at 08:31 PM

TM

“ *Our hearts go out to the entire family. Sethro will be missed, but we pray that his spirit for enjoying life and the love for family brings us all closer together.*

Tim McKinney - March 01, 2017 at 08:08 PM

GM

“ *Your time amongst us will be missed. May the legacy of your family feel supported by so very many of us and may memories of you be filled with hope and love. We wish you peace. All at Smart Lighting Solutions*

Geoffrey Marlow - March 01, 2017 at 06:04 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Seth Todd Owen.*



March 01, 2017 at 04:21 PM

AH

“ Seth was an awesome boss, a mentor and a great friend. I'll certainly miss him stopping by to chat as he was always such a happy and positive person which seemed to rub off on the people he was around. There was never a doubt of how much he loved his family and how proud he was of his kids. I loved looking at pictures of his kids or hearing about Grant's science fair project & wrestling/Jiu Jitsu, Raegan's art and whatever other exciting projects they had going on. Seth was full of adventure and lived life to the fullest. There will never be another Seth...he will be deeply missed. Rest in peace, dear friend.

Continued prayers for Linda, Raegan, Grant and for all of his friends that will miss him dearly.

-Ashley Henderson

Ashley Henderson - March 01, 2017 at 03:39 PM

TO

“ Words seem inadequate to express the sadness that is felt by so many. You are in the thoughts and prayers of so many people. I can only pray that God provides your heart and soul some level of comfort and peace.

Timothy OBrien - March 01, 2017 at 03:37 PM



“ Sapphire Skies Bouquet was purchased for the family of Seth Todd Owen.



March 01, 2017 at 03:36 PM

EB

“ It was a pleasure and an honor to work with Seth. He was not only one of the best bosses that I have worked for, but he was also a great mentor to so many of us at Acuity. He had a great sense of humor and such a great soul. I am going to miss him dearly. My thoughts and prayers go out to his family.

May you rest in peace Seth.

*Sincerely,
Esmeralda Barron*

Esmeralda Barron - March 01, 2017 at 03:15 PM

RJ

“ Was always great to see Seth when I traveled into Conyers. He always was smiling and always good for a few laughs.

Was very sad to hear of his passing.

Rest In Peace!

Rodney Jenkins

Rodney Jenkins - March 01, 2017 at 03:08 PM

 Devon
Baratta

“ Seth was my first manager after college and has been a great mentor to me ever since. His infectious smile, positive attitude and support will be greatly missed.

Continued prayers going up for the Owen family. Rest in peace, Seth.

Devon Baratta - March 01, 2017 at 03:06 PM

SC

“ Though it's only been about 6 months since I've seen Seth, I can feel his absence already. The best boss, mentor, and friend that I could have ever asked for. Thank you for everything, Sethro.

My thoughts and prayers are with the Owen family, may he rest in the sweetest peace!

Stephanie Cardamone - March 01, 2017 at 02:46 PM



Claudio Stornelli

“ It was always a pleasure to work with Seth on many projects and no matter what we were up against he had that smile on his face. We spoke recently about getting together for a drink as it's been too long.

Until we meet again Sethro, cheers!

Claudio Stornelli - March 01, 2017 at 12:41 PM

FO

“ I worked with Seth at Lithonia Lighting ESG back in the 90's. He was ALWAYS smiling and had a great sense of fun and humor. I am so very sorry for your devastating loss Linda. The thoughts and prayers of my family are with you.

*Sincerely,
Felicia Oglesby*

Felicia Oglesby - March 01, 2017 at 11:37 AM

LS

“ Seth and I grew up together in Tullahoma, TN in the Oak Park neighborhood. From before kindergarten, we were friends. We rode our bikes, we had picnics, we played tag and we spent hours in each other's houses. He played football and baseball in my yard with my brothers. In almost every childhood memory I have, Seth is there.

I hadn't seen Seth in over 30 years, the last time I saw him was right before he moved to Georgia. I'm glad we were able to reconnect on Facebook. He was a very proud husband and father and any time we messaged or spoke, he would always tell me about Grant's karate or Reagan's art.

Rest in peace my dear friend. Until we meet again.

Lynda Offutt Sanders

Lynda Sanders - March 01, 2017 at 11:13 AM

JS

“ Seth was my boss and an amazing one at that. He always had the ability to see the glass half full in the most challenging situations. He had all hands on deck and no job was too small for him. I loved his spirit and fortitude. He will be greatly missed! My prayers and sympathy go out to his family. Rest in peace my dear friend Sethro



Jacque Stevens - March 01, 2017 at 11:11 AM

MH

“ Seth always came into my office with a smile. A tap, tap, tap on the wall, "Are ya busy, boss?" We'd take care of business and then we'd often finish up talking about cars.... his latest project or something we'd read about.

Godspeed, dear Sethro,

Mark Huffman

Mark Huffman - March 01, 2017 at 08:27 AM

PS

My deepest sympathies to all of your family. I remember Seth come into work in the morning, always with a smile. He was so proud of you, Linda and his children.. Will keep you always in my prayers and thoughts.

Pam Smith

Pam Smith - March 03, 2017 at 06:11 AM

YC

I am so sorry to hear of the untimely passing of Seth. I am so sad about it and send my deepest condolences to Linda and his children. Seth and I met while he was in the Aculamp division of Acuity. We wrote a tremendous amount of business and he and Angie flew out here to California to take myself and my customer out to dinner. I will always remember his warmth and kindness and his love for his family.

Ride on my dear friend

Yolie Crawford

Yolie Crawford - March 03, 2017 at 12:09 PM