



Chad Robert Martin

July 12, 1982 - March 15, 2017

Orangeville - Chad Robert Martin, age 34, passed away unexpectedly in Freeport on March 15, 2017. Chad was born on July 12, 1982 in Freeport, the son of Bob and Tina (MacKenzie) Martin. Chad married April Eiseman on October 23, 2004 in Elizabeth, IL. Chad worked for over 5 years at Woodward in Rockford in the metal plating department. Chad was an avid Dallas Cowboys fan and Chicago Cubs fan. Chad enjoyed playing softball as well as coaching his daughters in softball and basketball, going golfing and always looked forward to playing in the annual Orangeville Alumni Football game. Chad was also a member of the Eastgate Christian Center in Freeport. Chad is survived by his wife, April; two daughters, Mersadez and Kamrynn; his parents, Bob (Tina) Martin; two sisters, Tania (Jarod) Williams and Erika (Shawn) Johnson; maternal grandfather, Ronald MacKenzie; paternal grandfather, Gene Knoll; mother-in-law, Kerri (Scott) Gerke and father-in-law, Duane Eiseman. Chad is also survived by several aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews and many other relatives. Chad was preceded in death by his maternal grandmother, Barb MacKenzie and his paternal grandmother, Bernice Knoll. In lieu of flowers, memorials can be directed to the family. Per Chad's wishes, we ask that everyone that attends the visitation or funeral service to be dressed in your favorite sports team attire. A visitation will be held at the Eastgate Christian Center, 1650 South Armstrong Avenue, Freeport IL on Sunday, March 19, 2017 from 3:00 to 6:00 PM. Funeral services will also be held at the church on Monday, March 20, 2017 at 11:00

AM with a visitation from 10:00 AM until the time of service. Burial will conclude at the Afolkey United Methodist Church.

Tribute Wall

TS

“ April so sorry for ur loss prayers to u and ur family during this difficult time

Tabatha sherrer - May 10, 2021 at 11:03 AM

AA

“ A candle was lit by Amber Akers

on March 15, 2017 6:19 PM

Amber Akers - May 10, 2021 at 11:03 AM

RF

“ A candle was lit by Randel Gutzmer family

on March 15, 2017 6:19 PM

Randel Gutzmer family - May 10, 2021 at 11:03 AM

DL

“ A candle was lit by Dennis & Lori Love

on March 15, 2017 6:20 PM

Dennis & Lori Love - May 10, 2021 at 11:03 AM

AA

“ A candle was lit by Amber Akers

on March 15, 2017 6:21 PM

April I am sorry for your loss. You and your children will be in my prayers.

Post a reply

Amber Akers - May 10, 2021 at 11:03 AM

RF

“ In our Prayers during your loss. So sorry!

Randel Gutzmer family - May 10, 2021 at 11:03 AM

JC

“ A candle was lit by Jo Lyn Crofton-kRUSE

on March 15, 2017 6:48 PM

Jo Lyn Crofton-kRUSE - May 10, 2021 at 11:03 AM

BM

“ A candle was lit by Brian-sheila sherrer will be missed!!!

on March 15, 2017 6:52 PM

Brian-sheila sherrer will be missed!!! - May 10, 2021 at 11:03 AM

JD

“ A candle was lit by Joe & Deb Doyle

on March 15, 2017 6:55 PM

Joe & Deb Doyle - May 10, 2021 at 11:03 AM

JD

“ A candle was lit by Joe & Deb Doyle

on March 15, 2017 6:59 PM

Our love, thoughts and prayers are with you all.

Post a reply

Joe & Deb Doyle - May 10, 2021 at 11:03 AM

DW

“ A candle was lit by Donna Woodleu

on March 15, 2017 7:13 PM

Donna Woodleu - May 10, 2021 at 11:03 AM

DW

“ *I am so very sorry to hear of your's and the girls loss. He was such a good guy and loved you all so much. Prayers to you and your families as you go through this and for your future days as you have to adjust. God's blessings upon you and your family.*

Donna Woodley - May 10, 2021 at 11:03 AM

JD

“ I am sooooo sorry April, Mercedes, Cameron, and Mr & Mrs Martin I can't even imagine what you all are going through. My heart feels like it has exploded and I'm sorry I couldn't have done more to help him. I feel I have failed him and wish that I would have gone out and seen him when he wouldn't answer me back lastnight. My prayers and love are with you, the girls and Mr & Mrs Martin and the rest of your family. Your husband, Dad, and son ment the world to me and he will forever be in my heart.

Jamie Dew - May 10, 2021 at 11:03 AM

JH

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. We are so sorry for your loss.

Jl'm & Wendy Heiler - May 10, 2021 at 11:03 AM

KH

“ Prayers for everyone during this difficult time!

Katrina Hummer - May 10, 2021 at 11:03 AM

DW

“ I am so sorry for your loss! Chad was a great co-worker and friend! Prayers to you all!

Dawn Willard - May 10, 2021 at 11:03 AM

WM

“ A candle was lit by Wes Meeker

on March 15, 2017 10:42 PM

Wes Meeker - May 10, 2021 at 11:03 AM

DF

“ A candle was lit by Dorothy Pittsley and family

on March 16, 2017 2:22 AM

Dorothy Pittsley and family - May 10, 2021 at 11:03 AM

DF

“ A candle was lit by Dawn Frederick

on March 16, 2017 5:20 AM

Dawn Frederick - May 10, 2021 at 11:03 AM

NH

“ Your family is in our thoughts. Please let us know if there is anything we can do to help. I can't imagine how much pain you're in. I am here if you need me.

Nyckee and Nate Heyen - May 10, 2021 at 11:03 AM

VL

“ A candle was lit by Vanessa Labudde

on March 16, 2017 9:14 AM

Vanessa Labudde - May 10, 2021 at 11:03 AM

TF

“ A candle was lit by The Grilliot Family

on March 16, 2017 10:12 AM

The Grilliot Family - May 10, 2021 at 11:03 AM

SP

“ A candle was lit by Someone from the past

on March 16, 2017 10:41 AM

Someone from the past - May 10, 2021 at 11:03 AM

LS

“ My thoughts and prayers are with all of Chad's family; his wife and girls, his parents, his sisters, and his extended family. I know that you are a tight family and will support each other through this loss. I hope that you find comfort in the happy memories of his life. Peace and Sympathy to you all.

Lori and Alyssa Stewart - May 10, 2021 at 11:03 AM

TS

“ A candle was lit by The Scheider's

on March 16, 2017 12:40 PM

The Scheider's - May 10, 2021 at 11:03 AM

RL

“ A candle was lit by Rebecca Lenz

on March 16, 2017 5:26 PM

Rebecca Lenz - May 10, 2021 at 11:03 AM

CM

“ A candle was lit by Chet & DeAnne Mackiewicz

on March 16, 2017 7:24 PM

So sorry for your family's loss, we're praying for your family. Chad was a great guy & co-worker.

[Post a reply](#)

Chet & DeAnne Mackiewicz - May 10, 2021 at 11:03 AM

MK

“ A candle was lit by MARK AND TAMMY KNOLL

on March 16, 2017 7:58 PM

MARK AND TAMMY KNOLL - May 10, 2021 at 11:03 AM

JW

“ Bob and Tina,
I am extremely sorry to hear of Chad's passing. I want you to know that you are in my thoughts and prayers.

Joel Wild

Joel Wild - May 10, 2021 at 11:03 AM

JW

“ A candle was lit by Joel Wild

on March 17, 2017 11:57 AM

Joel Wild - May 10, 2021 at 11:03 AM

DF

“ *A candle was lit by Davis Family*

on March 17, 2017 2:31 PM

Davis Family - May 10, 2021 at 11:03 AM

ES

“ *A SHADES OF ELEGANCE was ordered on March 17, 2017*

Expression of Sympathy - May 10, 2021 at 11:03 AM

KR

“ *A candle was lit by Kevin and Kathy (Wienand) Rogols*

on March 17, 2017 4:25 PM

So very sorry for your loss. Sending prayers and love. Kevin and Kathy

Post a reply

Kevin and Kathy (Wienand) Rogols - May 10, 2021 at 11:03 AM

CH

“ A candle was lit by Christine Sikula and all at Faley House

on March 18, 2017 5:32 AM

The Faley House family at Hillcrest in Iowa sends its condolences to Dana Mackenzie and family. You are in our thoughts and prayers.
-Christine Sikula

Post a reply

Christine Sikula and all at Faley House - May 10, 2021 at 11:03 AM

ES

“ An INDOOR GARDEN BASKET was ordered on March 18, 2017

Expression of Sympathy - May 10, 2021 at 11:03 AM

PH

“ A candle was lit by Pete hoeltke

on March 18, 2017 1:03 PM

Pete hoeltke - May 10, 2021 at 11:03 AM

CW

“ A candle was lit by Chuck and Terry Wellman

on March 19, 2017 2:56 PM

Chuck and Terry Wellman - May 10, 2021 at 11:03 AM

MM

“ I had a chance to work with Chad and he was a kind soul and always upbeat and happy. I'm so sorry for your loss and please remember to take things one day at a time. My thoughts and prayers will be with your family.

Mary Martin - May 10, 2021 at 11:03 AM

JZ

“ So sorry to hear about Chad. He always had a smile and an appropriately sarcastic comment that helped to keep work lighter than it would have otherwise been. I'm sad that he's gone.

Joe Zanter - May 10, 2021 at 11:03 AM

DH

“ Our hearts go out to you. You are in our prayers. Love to everyone!

Dennis and DenaSue Homan - May 10, 2021 at 11:03 AM