



David J. McClure

January 22, 1968 - November 13, 2009

David J. McClure, 41, the son of Patricia F. McClure and the late J. Raymond McClure, died Friday Nov. 13, 2009 at St. Francis Hospital in Hartford. David lived his whole life in West Hartford. He was a graduate of Hall High School, "86" and attended Trinity College in Hartford. He was an avid Pittsburgh Steelers and Red Sox fan. He will be remembered as a very generous uncle to his many nieces and nephews, and a true friend to many. Besides his mother, he is survived by brothers and sisters; John R. McClure, Jr. of West Hartford, Ellen McClure and her husband William Scaggs of Somers, Shelagh McClure and her husband Thomas Fiorentino of West Hartford, Julie Binhack and her husband Peter of Indianapolis, IN, Peter B. McClure and his wife Linda Szabo of West Hartford, Timothy F. McClure and his wife Jeanne of Nantucket, MA, and Betsy Quist and her husband Carl of Woodbridge, CT. His nieces and nephews; Matthew and Lauren McClure, Daniel Fiorentino, John, Katie, and Emily Binhack, Hayley and Brendan McClure, Chris and Oliver Schrope, Allan Travaglione, Raymond McClure, Carl Quist, Jr. and Jack Nolan. He also leaves his aunt Barbara Flynn, cousins James and Susan Flynn and his sister-in-law Kathy McClure. He was predeceased by his brother J.C. McClure. Calling hours will be Monday Nov. 16 at the Molloy Funeral Home 906 Farmington Ave. West Hartford from 4-7 p.m. Friends are invited to join David's family at the celebration of his Mass of Christian Burial on Tuesday Nov. 17th at 10:00 a.m. in St. Thomas the Apostle Church, 872 Farmington Ave. West Hartford. Private burial will be in Fairview Cemetery at

a later date. Donations in his memory may be made to a charity of the donor's choice.

Tribute Wall



“ Dearest McClure Family,
I am so saddened for your loss..Dave was such a wonderful man with such a contagious personality, he always had everyone laughing around him. He will be missed in this world. You are all in my thoughts and prayers.
Sincerely Mary Hebert Haegele###imported-begin###Mary Hebert Haegele###imported-end##

November 23, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ Mrs. McClure and Family,
I am so sorry for your loss. Dave's dimples and endless smile would brighten any day. What a wonderful person! Please know that Dave is in good hands resting with my brother Glenn...well, I am sure they are not, "resting" ; but they are keeping eachother well entertained.
Much Love to you and the family.
Gina Catania LoPresti
###imported-begin###Gina Catania LoPresti###imported-end##

November 19, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ Ellen and Family - I would like to extend my deepest sympathy and condolences for your loss. May your family find comfort in the Lord and with the many wonderful memories he has left you with.
God Bless,
Clare Oliver###imported-begin###Clare Oliver###imported-end##

November 18, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ Dear John, Betsy, and Family,

We are so sorry to hear of this loss to your family. Please know we are thinking of you.

Johnny, Josh, Kathy & John Kuckens##imported-begin##Katherine Kuckens##imported-end##

November 18, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *Our thoughts are with you and your family. If there is anything we can do please let us know. Ellen, I'll be there whenever you need someone to talk to just give me a ring. Love, Lorraine##imported-begin##Lorraine & Brian Burbach##imported-end##*

November 17, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *Dear Betsy,*
Thinking of you during this difficult time. We hope the passage of time will ease your sorrow and leave you and yours with many beautiful memories.##imported-begin##Ivana Crudele##imported-end##

November 17, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ Dear Betsy, Carl and Family,
I extend my sincere condolences to you and your family in the loss of your brother. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family at this difficult time.

With deepest sympathy,
Mary Ellen LaRocca##imported-begin##Mary Ellen
LaRocca##imported-end##

November 17, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ Dear McClure Family,
My deepest sympathies to you all. David has been a friend of mine since we started school at Whiting Lane. Along with many fond memories, David's huge dimples and contagious smile will never be forgotten. David was a wonderful person and will be missed by many. May he now rest in peace.
##imported-begin##Liz Allen Green##imported-end##

November 17, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ Dearest McClure family, I am so sorry to hear of David's passing. He has been a friend of mine since the second grade, and we have shared many wonderful memories together. He will truly be missed. May the lord comfort your family through these difficult times. With Love, Hallie Ronld Maupin
##imported-begin##Hallie Stephenson/Ronald Maupin##imported-end##

November 17, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ Dear McClure Family,
I am so sorry to hear about David. I remember David as a young boy when I was in High School with Tim, Peter and Betsy. My thoughts and prayers are with you all in this very difficult time.
Nancy Abrahams Shefrin###imported-begin###Nancy Abrahams Shefrin###imported-end##

November 17, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ Very sorry to read of David's passing this morning. The McClure family has been important to Hall High and West Hartford. My thoughts are with you.###imported-begin###Jerry Trecker###imported-end##

November 16, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ Dear Betsy and Family, I am so sorry for your loss. God's peace be with you all.###imported-begin###Geraldine S. Shaw###imported-end##

November 16, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ David will be missed by all. Even though I was not part of his close circle of friends he always made me feel welcome when I visited home, and I will never forget that about him.###imported-begin###Jay McLucas###imported-end##

November 16, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ Dear Betsy and Family -
Jim and I send our deepest sympathy to you and your family at this very sad time. Our thoughts and prayers are with you. Love,
Annette Carofano & Jim Williams###imported-begin##Annette Carofano###imported-end##

November 16, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ Dear McClure Family
Our sincere and deepest sympathies to you and your family. Our thoughts and prayers are with all of you and your loved ones.
Theresa & Jerid Ahrens###imported-begin##Theresa Ahrens###imported-end##

November 16, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ Betsy I am so sorry for your sudden loss. My prayers are with you and your family. If there is anything we can do for you please do not hesitate to call. Again I am truly sorry.
Gene###imported-begin##Gene Marcucci###imported-end##

November 16, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ I am very sorry for your loss. David and I went to school together Kindergarten-4 and then Hall High and shared the same birthday, I have thought of him throughout the years. May your faith help you throughout this trying time.

Patti Sheehan Albee###imported-begin##Patti Sheehan Albee###imported-end##

November 16, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *Dear McClure Family,*

I am very sorry for your loss. I knew David since I was 5 years old. Dave was a good man, with a good heart. He was loyal, had integrity and my respect. He changed the way I look at my own life and I'll never forget him, ever.

I was told that people who have had the hardest lives are closest to God when they pass. David is closer than I can imagine. I love you Dave!!!! I love you too Ms. McClure!!

Love Always,

Joe Beram

##imported-begin##Joseph Beram##imported-end##

November 16, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *A wonderful soul who will be dearly missed! My deepest sympathies to you all.*

##imported-begin##Janna Berger##imported-end##

November 16, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ to the McClure family,my deepest sadness came upon me when i heard the news about davids passing. david was one of the first young boys i met when i joined the browns coaching staff . he was always a leader and helped players who were new to the team get acclimated to the game of football. he will be missed by all who new him. rest in peace dave. you were always special to me. coach casway##imported-begin##malcolm r. casway##imported-end##

November 16, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ We are so sorry to hear of your loss. David had to struggle with so many obstacles during his life and still he was a good, kind-hearted man. We hope that you will take comfort in knowing that he is no longer suffering and resting in peace. Rob and Danielle Herbert##imported-begin##Rob and Danielle Herbert##imported-end##

November 16, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *I was so sorry to hear of David's passing. David sat in front of me in Mr. Foster's English class at Hall. I will always remember him leaning back in his chair onto my desk and just hanging out making funny remarks that even Mr. Foster would crack up about. David was always smiling and kept the whole class coming back for more.*

I was also a Hall swimmer with Betsy and on John's team. I'm so sorry for their loss. David will be remembered fondly from the Raisner family.

##imported-begin##Beth Raisner Glass##imported-end##

November 16, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *Dear McClure Family,*

My memories of David are wonderful and many. We sat next to each other in home room at Hall and he always made me laugh. He had such a winning personality and was always fun to be around. My deepest sympathies to all of you. As we all know, life is sometimes too short but I believe that David is at peace and finally resting.

Fondly, Maribeth McKay Grandpre##imported-begin##Maribeth McKay Grandpre##imported-end##

November 16, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ Dear McClure family, I am so sorry to hear the news of Dave's passing. While we had lost touch in recent years, Dave was my first best friend when we were kids, and that connection proved to still be strong when he was in Boston after his accident. My thoughts and prayers are with you all.##imported-begin##Adam Herzlich##imported-end##

November 16, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ Pat, my deep sympathy to you and your family.##imported-begin##Dave Unsworth##imported-end##

November 15, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ My wife and I are truly sorry for your loss. Dave and Glenn were close friends and I'm sure they will be reunited and celebrating a better life.
Glenn & Patricia Catania##imported-begin##Glenn Catania Sr##imported-end##

November 15, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ Julie,
So sorry to hear about your loss. May you find peace knowing he's now in a better place.
Deepest Sympathy,
Jennifer Price##imported-begin##Jennifer Price##imported-end##

November 15, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ Dear Pat and family,
Our deepest sympathy to you and your family.
David was a wonderful young man.
Sincerely,
Helen and Joseph Szabo##imported-begin##Helen & Joseph
Szabo##imported-end##

November 15, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ Our sincere sympathy is extended to your family. We will remember
him in our prayers.##imported-begin##Dolly and Nunzio
Chelli##imported-end##

November 15, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ Dearest Betsy and family,
We send our sincere and deepest sympathies to you and your
family at this time of loss of your brother. Our prayers, thoughts and
love are with you. Allen & Beth##imported-begin##Beth and Allen
Heller##imported-end##

November 15, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ Dearest McClure Family,
I hold some very fond memories of David growing up. My heart is
broken. My condolences to you all.
respectfully,
Shannon Williams Krieger##imported-begin##shannon williams
krieger##imported-end##

November 15, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ As a friend of Peter's all through school and Ted's sister Dave's good friend I want to let you know that I'm so sorry to hear about Dave passing. Your family has had more than its share of heartache.
My thoughts and prayers are with you all.##imported-begin##Susan Pease Gadoua##imported-end##

November 15, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ My deepest condolences to the McClure family. I did not know David very well. But I did attend Hall High school with his sister Betsy. As well as his mother Patricia whom worked at Hall High while was attending. My prayers are with your entire family.
Deepest Sympathy
Linda
##imported-begin##Linda Pouliot##imported-end##

November 14, 2009 at 12:00 AM