



Dustin Hunter Knoblauch

March 23, 1982 - March 15, 2009

KNOBLAUCH

Dustin Hunter Knoblauch went to be with the Lord on March 15, 2009 in San Antonio, Texas. He was born on March 23, 1982 in Corpus Christi, Texas to Roland Knoblauch and Julie Ramirez Knoblauch. He enjoyed baseball, golf, fishing, basketball, muddin kidding...and liked all kinds of activities. Dustin was interested in politics & economy believe it or not. He said that finally beginning to run his own life, he felt that it may be worth while to know how it all works, whether he agreed with it or not. One of his favorite things to do was listening to music. Dustin's favorite TV shows included, Californication, Entourage, Real Time with Bill Maher, Weeds, and anything that was a documentary on the history of our nation, mainstream, or off the path. If he was not listening to music, he was watching movies...he thought that The Dark Knight was a masterpiece, and that it was the best movie he had seen lately, and that Heath Ledger was incredible. Dustin didn't read much, he felt that maybe he should have more often, but he did read one book though, called The Giving Tree... heard of it? He said he had a few regrets, but not enough to remember. Dustin was currently living in San Antonio, Texas, and had been here since he graduated high school from Cal Allen in 2000. He worked for a great web networking company called Rackspace. Outside of work he stayed pretty busy with his girlfriend and close friends, always wanting to spend time with the people he cared about most. Dustin will be

dearly missed by all of his family and friends. He is survived by his parents; sister, Ashley Estelle Knoblauch; aunt, Cindy Franco; great-grandmother, Estella Ramirez; maternal grandparents, Ruby & Eradio Franco; uncle, Ronnie Franco; cousins, Peyton & Paige Franco; paternal grandparents, Dusty & Hugo Knoblauch; aunts, Donna & Kathy; uncles, Rick, Ronald & Rance; ten cousins; his girlfriend, Valerie; and many dear friends

SERVICES

Visitation will be held on Friday-March 20, 2009 from 5:00PM until 9:00PM, with a Rosary recited at 7:00PM at Mission Park Funeral Chapels North. A chapel service is scheduled for Saturday-March 21, 2009 at 12:00 Noon at Mission Park North. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Parkinson's Disease Foundation in honor of his great-grandpa, "Pop" , 1359 Broadway, Suite 1509, New York, New York 10018.

You may sign the on-line guestbook at www.missionparks.com under the obituary section.

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Tribute Wall

JS

“*Roland, Julie, and Family. I am just now learning of your loss in 2009. I feel so much sympathy for all of you and will keep you in my prayers and thoughts as time goes by.*

Joel Starkey - July 04, 2011 at 12:00 AM

JM

“*I am sad to only find out now about Dustin's passing....Dustin was a great friend of mine that I had met at summer camp the summer of our jr. year in highschool to only find out that we were headed to the same college in fall of 2000....we maintained our*

Jeremy Martin - January 13, 2011 at 12:00 AM

AB

“*I just heard of Dustin's passing, and would like to send my prayers to his family and friends..I met Dustin when I lived in Corpus back in 2000 and he was a wonderful man..I will miss him dearly.*

Ashley Bozarth - May 04, 2009 at 12:00 AM

GB

“*I am so sorry to have learned of Dustin's passing. I am a former Calallen Wildcat Classmate of Dustin, class of 2000 and wish to extend my deepest sympathy to his family and friends. May God continue keep you in His arms of love and comfort.*

Gwen Berry - April 25, 2009 at 12:00 AM

DF

“ Roland, Julie and Ashley, My thoughts and prayers will be with with your during this difficult time.

God will Bless and Keep your family.

Denise

Denise Pollan Faulkenberry - March 31, 2009 at 12:00 AM

RM

“ Dear Roland, Julie and Ashley,

You are in our thoughts and prayers. Please accept our heartfelt condolences. We have so many happy memories of the boys growing up together. We will always remember Dustin's vibrant smile, outgoing personality and zes

Russ, Juliann, Ray, Elizabeth and Danny McPadden - March 29, 2009 at 12:00 AM

TM

“ Dustin and I grew up together. We partied some, fought some, harrassed a few teachers, haha. We were the class clowns. After High School, I saw him a few times, and he was the same old Dustin cracking jokes and non-stop-livin-it-up. It was good to see

Taylor Mahaffey - March 27, 2009 at 12:00 AM

LD

“ As a former teacher of Dustin at CHS, my heart goes out to his parents, sister, and extended family. The loss of a child is overwhelming at any age. He lived life to the fullest! My prayers are with you--God bless--

Lori Darst - March 24, 2009 at 12:00 AM

MH

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with Julie and Roland. I have great memories of Dustin. I babysat Dustin and Ashley while I was in high school. May God comfort you and guide you always.*

Matilda Herrero - March 23, 2009 at 12:00 AM

AP

“ *Roland, Julie & Ashley:*

I am so sorry for your loss. I pray that the Lord will give each of you the strength to get through this difficult time in your lives. Please know that my thoughts and prayers are with you. May the Lord give you comfort and e

Ann Marie Price - March 23, 2009 at 12:00 AM

SM

“ *I am deeply sorry to hear of the tragic loss of your son. May the love of your family and friends, precious memories, and your faith in God carry you through this most difficult time. Please know that my family and I will continue to keep you and your f*

Steve Moody - March 23, 2009 at 12:00 AM

TS

“ *Rest in Peace Dustin. You will surely be missed down here. The people of heaven are lucky to have you there to make them smile. We'll all see you sooner or later. Till then, you remain in our hearts.*

Tami Smithwick - March 22, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JS

“Dustin was a great friend of mine since we were little kids. I will truly miss him. My heart goes out to his mom, dad, and the rest of his family and friends.

Josh, Harmony, and Tatym Salinas

Josh Salinas - March 22, 2009 at 12:00 AM

SC

“To Dustin's family, we are so sorry for your loss. We were one of the many friends of Dustin's and he will definitely be missed. He made us laugh, and we always had a great time in his presence. He was definitely a rad dude whose legend will never die.

Scott & Aimee Coleman - March 22, 2009 at 12:00 AM

SL

“I am deeply sorry to hear about your loss. Dustin's time here was limited but I believe he has gone on to a better place to do greater things. I will always cherish our childhood memories and feel blessed to have shared them with him. My thoughts and pray

Shane Lowman - March 21, 2009 at 12:00 AM

CC

“I look back on the time when we were neighbors on Siesta Loop. Dustin and Ashley were just part of our family as well. He always made us laugh, crazy and cheerful, full of mischief and fun. Your family was always helpful to me when times were difficult

Cathy L. Chabot - March 21, 2009 at 12:00 AM

BC

“ *May you rest in peace and God be with your family. You have been a blessing to all you had the honor of knowing you. You lit up a room with your outgoing personality since you were in elementary school.*

Brent Cole - March 21, 2009 at 12:00 AM

KW

“ *D... I love you and will miss you so very much. I know you will be there with the Lord to help comfort your Mom, Dad, and Ash.*

Katrina Knoblauch Williams - March 21, 2009 at 12:00 AM

AM

“ *Your family and friends are in my prayers. May God help them find peace during this tragic time.*

amanda - March 20, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JW

“ *Having virtually grown up on the baseball fields in our home town with Dustin, I was shocked to learn of his passing. I was not all that close to Dustin after our school days were over, but those childhood memories will never fade. Dustin was truly a soul*

Justin Weaver - March 20, 2009 at 12:00 AM

RH

“ *With fond memories*

*Sincerely,
The Ross Hirschfield Family*

Ross Hirschfield - March 20, 2009 at 12:00 AM

SG

“ Roland, Julie and Family, You are in our prayers. Our condolences to you and your family. God Bless

Sam Garcia - March 20, 2009 at 12:00 AM

AO

“ Roland, Julie, Franco and Knoblauch family. I am soooo sorry to hear about Dustin. My thoughts and prayers go out to you. May God Bless each and every one of you and all Dustin's friends.

Alva Rosas Oliver - March 20, 2009 at 12:00 AM

LY

“ Julie and Roland, I've known you since our days in high school and though I didn't know Dustin, I remember meeting him at our 20th reunion and was so impressed with his great personality and good looks. I am so deeply saddened by your loss and my heart go

Liz Mundine Yenzer - March 20, 2009 at 12:00 AM

MS

“ My deepest sympathy to the Knoblauch Family. My thoughts and prayers are with you all.

Melody Saldivar - March 20, 2009 at 12:00 AM

CC

“ Dear Julie, Roland and Ashley,

I'm so saddened by the news of Dustin's passing...and so sorry for the unimaginable pain and loss you must be feeling. Life isn't fair, and often things in life can't be explained. I am certain many of us wish we could

Carina Ramirez Cahan - March 20, 2009 at 12:00 AM

SM

“Dustin was one the friendlist, outgoing, and caring people we've ever met. He was always a blast to be around and made every event even better with his presence. There was never a dull moment with Dustin and his smiling face. We will miss him very dear

Shaun and Leah McCulloch - March 20, 2009 at 12:00 AM

DD

“Our thoughts and prays are with you

David and Lorraine

David Duffek - March 20, 2009 at 12:00 AM

RM

“Dearest Julie and family,

On behalf of the Molina family we wanted to express our condolences for your loss. We are unable to attend funeral services. You and your family are in our thoughts and prayers.

*Our deepest sympathy,
Roberto and Sylvia Mo*

Roberto and Sylvia Molina - March 20, 2009 at 12:00 AM

TF

“Dustin was a great friend and made a lonely new workplace feel like home for me at Rackspace. He was always helping and making me laugh in the process. I will truly miss him. My condolences for your loss.

Travis Finley - March 20, 2009 at 12:00 AM

LM

“ Dear Roland and Julie, Words cannot express my sorrow for you and your family. You must rely on God to get through this time, there is no other way. I pray that Christ's arms will enfold you and you will feel Him by the love your family and friends giv

Leslee Harris Moats - March 20, 2009 at 12:00 AM

TS

“ I've known Dustin since elementary school. After not seeing him since high school we happened upon each other at a party in San Antonio. He seemed so happy with his life going in a great direction. He'll be missed.

Travis C. Stalcup - March 20, 2009 at 12:00 AM

DS

“ Julie - YOU and your family are in my thoughts and prayers. I have always believed that the hardest thing for a parent to endure is the loss of a child and there is no reason "why". To say that I am "so sorry" seems inadequate. I know your strength and

Deborah Shamel - March 20, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JF

“ Roland, Julie and Ashley, We want you to know how deeply, deeply sorry we are for your loss. May God bless you and may you feel the comfort of his love.

James & Dottie Fortner - March 19, 2009 at 12:00 AM

SH

“ Our hearts and prayers go out to you all on the loss of your precious son. May God send a multitude of ministering angels, wrap His loving arms around you, and bring you peace in the days ahead. We love you. sheryl and james, Calallen, Class of '77 and '7

Sheryl Smith-Rodgers & James Hearn - March 19, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JC

“ Ever since i met Dustin there has been nothing but laughter, even the times i didnt feel like laughing he made me laugh. There are so many memories i will not forget Dustin. Your spirit is going to be remembered forever with me. May God bless your family

Jeffrey Coy - March 19, 2009 at 12:00 AM

MG

“ Knoblach I miss you so much! When I first met you I was taken back by all of the joy and laughter you brought to a room. You watched after everyone on our team to make sure we were all happy and smiling. You made me smile and laugh even when I was havi

Missy Guajardo - March 19, 2009 at 12:00 AM

MR

“ Roland and Julie

Our prayers go out to you during this difficult time.

Mike and Debra Ruiz - March 19, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JV

“ *Dustin,
From the short amount of time i got to know you, you made
everyday interesting. There was never a dull moment and you were
always going above and beyond for your friends. The laughter that
we shared will be missed but never forgotten. May you re*

Justin Villarreal - March 19, 2009 at 12:00 AM

RF

“ *I had the pleasure of working with Dustin's mom Julie and know
how much she adored her children, as did the rest of her family. I
am deeply, deeply saddened as a mother and friend, and can only
express my deepest sympathy to all. Julie I love you with a*

Rose P Flores - March 19, 2009 at 12:00 AM

CD

“ *I barely knew Dustin but, I know his mom Julie well and love her as
well as any friend could. I know how awesome Dustin must have
been being her child. My heart goes out to Julie and her family. You
all must be overwhelmed with grief. I pray our heave*

Cheryl Deer - March 19, 2009 at 12:00 AM

BW

“ *Dear Julie, Roland & Ashley,*

*I was so sorry to hear about Dustin. My heart goes out to you all.
Julie, I felt like I knew him because we talked about our children so
much. My prayers are with you & May God Bless You and comfort
you at this diff*

brenda white - March 19, 2009 at 12:00 AM

AT

“ Rest In Peace Dustin! I miss you like crazy...I believe our friendship was on fast forward for a reason. I'm glad that we were able to fit so many unforgettable moments together in the short time that you were here. You and I kicked it off immediately and

Ashley Tennis - March 19, 2009 at 12:00 AM

TZ

“ Although it has been many years since I have seen Dustin, Julie, Roland & Ashley, I have always had fond memories of all of you. My heart goes out to you at this difficult time, and if there is anything that I can do for you please allow me to.

Terri Zepeda - March 19, 2009 at 12:00 AM

TC

“ I love and miss you Julie and can't even imagine your terrible pain in losing Dustin. I am in pain for you and praying for you and your family continuously. Take care Julie.

Terri Catlett - March 19, 2009 at 12:00 AM

DM

“ We want to extend our deepest sympathy to Dustin's family. My daughter, Jennifer Evans, graduated with Dustin from Calallen. She lives in California now but when I told her about him, she was shocked. She remembers him with such fondness! He came over

Dawn & Jon Manjarris - March 19, 2009 at 12:00 AM

KM

“ *Roland & Julie,
You both are wonderful people who raised an unique son. We
always enjoyed being around Dustin. He had such a fun-loving
personality. This is the hardest thing you will ever have to go
through, but I know that you can get through this hard*

Kim K. McCool - March 19, 2009 at 12:00 AM

IM

“ *Dustin Hunter Knoblauch*

Irma Morin - March 19, 2009 at 12:00 AM

CS

“ *Roland, Julie and family, my thoughts and my prayers are with you
all. Have faith in the Lord and know that Dustin is in a great place.
May the Lord send his angels down to help you through this hard
time. love always,*

Cissy Smith - March 19, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JJ

“ *Mr. & Mrs. Knoblauch, Uncle Ronnie, Paige & Peyton, & Family*

Our thoughts & prayers are with all of you.

Jennifer McFatter Jones - March 19, 2009 at 12:00 AM

SL

“ *My heart goes out to you. Your in my thoughts and Prayers. Love in
Christ.*

Sharon Lowman-Bodine - March 19, 2009 at 12:00 AM

BH

“ our prayers are with you to ease the pain and grief. dustin was a great part of our family. robbie and dustin were always having laughs. the skit they did their senior year was both of their personalities to a tee. robbie is stationed in missouri and can't

bill and debi horne - March 19, 2009 at 12:00 AM

TN

“ my prayers and love go to the all your family.

tony nerios - March 19, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JM

“ Roland and Julie I am so sorry for your loss. My prayers are with you.

Jimmy McMeans - March 19, 2009 at 12:00 AM

KG

“ I used to babysit Dustin and Ashley when we lived across the street in Corpus Christi. He was also a very good friend of my youngest brother, Ryan. My heart goes out to Dustin's family and friends. You are in my thoughts and prayers.

Kristen Curtis Gutierrez - March 19, 2009 at 12:00 AM

MR

“ Dustin was one of the very few good guys in this world. My heart and prayers go out to his family and friends. He will be missed dearly.

Missy Schanen Rokohl - March 19, 2009 at 12:00 AM

PG

“ Our sincerest sympathy for all of your family. We know how much your children have always meant to you and what a tragic loss this is. We will pray for your hearts to heal and for the reposed soul of your beloved son, Dustin.

Pat & Cathy Geary - March 19, 2009 at 12:00 AM

TM

“ Roland, Julie, and Ashley-there are no words that we can say at this time that express our deep sorrow. May you have some comfort in knowing that Dustin is with the Lord. Dustin brought a smile to everyone's face-we feel so lucky to have had the chance to

Tim and Jennifer McWha - March 19, 2009 at 12:00 AM

NS

“ Julie and family, we are so sorry to hear of Dustin's death. Although we know you, the grandparents and great grandparents, our memories of Dustin are his going past our house on the way to his great grandparents' home. Such a loving family. God bless

Nancy and Henry Smith - March 19, 2009 at 12:00 AM

TJ

“ Growing up with Dustin, he felt like more than a friend, he felt like a brother. And his family like my second family. No words can express the loss we all feel now. He was the funniest and nicest guy I ever knew and I'm really thankful that I could know

Tim McWha Jr - March 18, 2009 at 12:00 AM

WT

“ Our greatest condolences go out to the Knoblauch family. Dustin you were always great to have around and helped Tabitha and I greatly by checking on our home that was being built for us over 1,000 miles away. You will never be forgotten.

Billy, Tabith

William Taylor - March 18, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JJ

“ My Condolences go out to Dustin's family, friends, and co-workers. Dustin no matter what mood you were in you always made my day. I had the pleasure of sitting next to you at work and for that I am grateful. You were as real and down to earth as a human c

John Jubela - March 18, 2009 at 12:00 AM

DP

“ When I look back at my school years, from first grade on, almost all of my memories included Dustin. I will never forget him, and how much fun we had together. I truley could not have asked for a better friend. He was a stand-up, honest, and caring per

Derek & Alana Payne - March 18, 2009 at 12:00 AM

SM

“ My heart is so heavy with grief. Timmy and Devary grew up with Dustin and Ashley. I love you Roland, Julie & Ashley. D... may you rest in peace.

Sheri McWha - March 18, 2009 at 12:00 AM

BP

“*Roland, Julie & Ashley~
Please accept our sincere sympathy for the loss of your son &
brother.
We will continue to keep your family in prayers.*

Brad & Roxanne Peeples - March 18, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JD

“*Thank you for being a good friend to Jay and our family. We will
miss the smile, laughter, and the stories along with weekends at the
river, longoffshore fishing trips which you helped make alot shorter.
The family bird hunts were always a hoot to have yo*

Jack Dishman - March 18, 2009 at 12:00 AM

BM

“*Your family and friends are in my prayers. May God help them find
peace during this tragic time.
Bev*

Beverly Moore - March 18, 2009 at 12:00 AM

MC

“*My love and prayers go out to your entire family at this time of
sadness and great loss. I babysat for Dustin & Ashley throughout
my teen years and saw the two of them grow into beautiful young
adults. My heart is broken. I will always remember Dustin*

Melissa Campbell Chaviers - March 18, 2009 at 12:00 AM

LD

“ I would like to send my condolences to the Knoblauch and Franco families and friends. I never had the pleasure to meet Dustin, but I do know Mrs. Ruby and also his cousin Mark. While playing bingo Mrs. Ruby would tell the most wonderful stories of him an

Leslie Dreyer - March 18, 2009 at 12:00 AM

AM

“ Dustin and I started working at Rackspace at the same time, and he was so full of energy and a joy to be around. My thoughts and prayers will be with his family, as I know he will be missed.

Alicia Marullo - March 18, 2009 at 12:00 AM

EA

“ Our heart is broken for the entire Knoblauch family. We have had the pleasure of Julie being part of our Oasis family here in San Antonio. From her many conversations of her pride and love of her family, we can only imagine how tragic this loss is. Plea

Ellen Andrus - March 18, 2009 at 12:00 AM

EM

“ Words cannot express the heartache and sorrow I feel for the entire Knoblauch and Franco family. I have known both families for over 15 years and saw Dustin grow from a happy-go-lucky kid to the handsome, caring young man he became. Dustin, you will be

Elsa MacDougall - March 18, 2009 at 12:00 AM

MZ

“ Please accept my condolences to the entire Knoblauch and Franco Family. This family is such a close family that it I'm sure it is devastating for them all. Dustin worked with me at Casa Linda Homecare and he was always very polite & thoughtful of others

Malissa Zuniga - March 18, 2009 at 12:00 AM

MS

“ We want to extend our heartfelt condolences and prayers. Dustin was friends with my brother, Hunter, and we had the pleasure of meeting him. May you find strength and peace through this tragedy.

Mike & Lindsay Leever Stansberry - March 18, 2009 at 12:00 AM

SP

“ I didn't know Dustin, but know many of his family members including Mr. Franco and Ronnie Franco who I used to work for in high school, and Katrina. Please accept my condolences.
Sean Pavelka

Sean Pavelka - March 18, 2009 at 12:00 AM

BB

“ Dear Roland and Julie our prayers go out to you and your family. This is such a heart breaking tragedy. We never had the pleasure of meeting Dustin. I'm sure he was a very fine young man. To bury a child has to be the hardest thing a Mother and Father co

Bobby and Carolyn Buttram - March 18, 2009 at 12:00 AM

MA

“ Would like to give our condolences. One of my husband's employees witnessed the whole accident. She tried talking to him. She has been very upset by not having her cell phone that evening thinking that would've saved him. Our hearts and prayers are with t

Mandi - March 18, 2009 at 12:00 AM

CK

“ D...even though we fought like brother and sister at times, I will cherish the time that we spent together from the time we were little kids to moving up to San Antonio together with you, Derek, Lisa and I. Man, we had some fun times up here...seeing what

Christin Kureska - March 17, 2009 at 12:00 AM

OM

“ You'll be dearly missed Dustin as you were always there with a smile and a laugh. I'm glad to have known you. Rest in Peace...

Omar Martinez - March 17, 2009 at 12:00 AM

BB

“ Dustin was our first baby boy, as my only grandchild was Aislynn. He was so precious with his bad hair days. I am so glad I was blessed with his presence as well as Julie and Roland.
Thank you for letting me share the years with you. Mama Bradshaw

Barbara Bradshaw - March 17, 2009 at 12:00 AM

MN

“ Extending our heartfelt condolences on the loss of your loved one.

Directors & Staff at Mission Park Funeral Chapels North

Mission Park North - March 17, 2009 at 12:00 AM

NC

“ *May you Rest In Peace Dustin, you will forever be missed my friend. You always brought laughter and smiles to everyones faces. May God be with you.....*

Nick Corkill - March 17, 2009 at 12:00 AM

BT

“ *We loved you like a son. You will be greatly missed.*
Bobbi and Brad

Bobbi Taylor - March 16, 2009 at 12:00 AM