



Wayne W. Colbert

October 9, 1959 - April 3, 2011

Wayne W. Colbert, 51, of Tamarac, Florida, passed away on Monday April 4, 2011 at his residence.

This is the story of our father Wayne Walter Colbert, born on October 9, 1959 in Yonkers, New York. He died April 4th 2011. Our daddy was and still is the best father anyone could EVER ask for. He had such a warm heart and was always willing to help anybody out no matter what the circumstances were. He taught me to love reading because he would always read to me when I was a little girl. When we used to live in hidden harbor, where I live now, our father would take me to the gas station everyday to get candy. He used to take me and my best friend Crystal to big lots and buy us goody bags. We used to walk to the Dennys by our house and pick up our lunch in which he brought for us. Wayne always loved his mother to pieces and he would always make sure she was okay. He was always so worried about his mother and what do you know, she out lived him. The day he passed, he took us out to the dollar store and big lots. He brought me frozen yogurt at the new ice cream place by our house. I will never forget how that night he told me to pick out whatever I wanted for the barbeque that we had that night at Publix. He said this was the last time we were ever going to use our barbeque grill because it was broken and we needed a new one. It was so strange how he said that would be the last time we used our barbeque grill. I know he would be so happy that the night after he passed, me Crystal and Alexis were together again as we were

when we grew up. He loved his grandchildren to pieces. He was getting so close to my oldest daughter Faith. She loved her pop pop and he loved her. He told my mother that even if he was in the worst mood, she just made him melt. My father always wanted a tattoo of mother Mary with me and my brother's name on it. Now I will get that same tattoo just because he always wanted it. He loved his family and his two best friends, Uncle Ed and Franco, my god father. He always wanted to come back to New York and now we are here in New York. My poor father was so stressed from his job and worried about his mother. He always was afraid to die so I am glad he went in his sleep. He didn't even know it happened. Now my daddy is not stressed anymore and he won't have any more panic attacks. He is with us right now as we speak. He loved his Castillo and cigarettes. He always made the holidays so special for our family. He would help me watch my kids when I was sick or even just last week when I wanted to go to the beach for my spring break. Even though he is gone, I feel like he made me be the strong one since I was so close to him. I have to hold our family together just like he would do. I will finish my school this December because I know that is what he would want. I'm glad we spent Faith's first birthday together at the Rainforest Café. I knew my father was so happy that night. I would always laugh around my father and feel so happy and better around him. My mother will never love any other man or be with any other man. They may have their fights like any couple but they both love each other with all of their heart. My brother always took care of my father and he was literally there to the end. We will always love my father and even though it will kill us every day, we have to try for him to be successful. One day soon we WILL meet again and I will be in my father's arms always in forever.

A Celebration of Life Visitation will take place from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. on Friday, April 8th, 2011 at Savino Weissman Funeral Home & Cremation Services where a wake service will take place at 7:00 P.M. with Deacon Woody officiating.

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Savino Weissman Funeral Home & Cremation Services is entrusted with funeral arrangements. We are located directly across the street from Northwest Medical Center on 441 south of Sample Road, 2950 North State Road 7 Margate, Fl 33063, 954.977.5244, www.savinofuneralhome.com, www.weissmanfuneralhome.com.

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“ My brother, Wayne, was the finest brother anyone could ever ask for. He was a very kind and gentle soul who would never harm anyone. I will always have very fond memories of our time growing up in Mt. Vernon, New York. He founded the “Knollwood Gift Shop” in the basement of my parent’s home where he sold nick-nacks to the folks who would pass on their way home from work. He was a very successful businessman, and he made good money for his young age.

Wayne had a very big and caring heart. He loved animals, and they loved him. He loved his family very much and would do anything for them. Wayne had a special love for gardening, and a special talent for it.

I will always consider myself very lucky to have had Wayne as my brother, and he will always hold a special place in my heart. God bless you, Wayne. You will be sorely missed.##imported-begin##Jerry Colbert##imported-end##

August 21, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ I LOVE YOU DADDY AND MISS YOU SO MUCH !!!! YOUR THE BEST FATHER IN THIS ENTIRE UNIVERSE <3 I LOST A HUGE PIECE OF MY LIFE AND I WILL NEVER SMILE THE SAME AGAIN OR EVER FEEL AS HAPPY AS I DID WHEN YOU WERE IN THE WORLD. MOMMY LOVES YOU FOREVER AND WILL NEVER DATE ANOTHER MAN. WAYNE LOVES YOU TO PIECES WITH ALL OF HIS HEART. WE LOVE YOU DADDY <3 (THINKING OF YOU AT SCHOOL) MUWAH <3 P.S. WE AER TAKING CARE OF YOUR TOMATO PLANTS STILL =j##imported-begin##Kaitlin Colbert##imported-end##

May 12, 2011 at 05:07 PM



“ I grew up on Knollwood and Wayne and I were close friends as kids. I lost track of him at age 14 when I moved to Eastchester. My most vivid memory of Wayne was he always had a "store" in the basement of his house. It was preety elaborate and he got a lot of the stuff from the Salvation Army. I hope and pray for peace for his family.

Scott Waller###imported-begin##Scott Waller###imported-end##

April 19, 2011 at 04:12 PM



“ Wayne was a peaceful man. People at his work did take advantage of his kindness and it is unfortunate that they did not appreciate his contribution to HOme Depot. My husband got him the job there and they worked together in the same store and Scott stuck up for Wayne when the management there started to play games like they do with all the long time workers. My husband was let go from there after 14 yrs and i believe they did the same to Wayne.

There is no justice for what they have done to this man. I am sorry that he was so unhappy at the job but he is at peace now, and doesnt have to deal with any of it. He used to come down to our house and tell us about what was happeneing. He had a real art for gardening and everything he planted grew. He had a green thumb. He was timid and shy at times, and wouldn't hurt anyone. I am so sorry he is gone so young. It was a pleasure knowing Wayne and he will not be forgotten.###imported-begin##Eileen###imported-end##

April 19, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ Wayne, I love you pops! We are going to miss you. But better news we will be united with you soon. I'm glad I got to see you one last time. Your "favorite" will live on. & I promise to care for your family. & Your 2 Grand youngin's. [You know, my 2 god children.] :) I'll continue to visit the family as much as I can. & the memories you helped me create as a child will forever be with me. & All the recent memories too. Ive said it a million times. & I will continue saying it as much as I can. I love you!! & I cant wait to see you again!##imported-begin##Crystal Page##imported-end##

April 17, 2011 at 04:40 PM



“ I don't know what happened to my 1st post but, Wayne I know you now have the Peace you so desired...I will miss you.##imported-begin##Edith Weaver##imported-end##

April 13, 2011 at 04:49 PM



“ What a wonderful person that I had an opportunity to know and meet. I own a metro PCS store in Big Lot Plaza where I met him, his wife and his daughter. He was such a caring father and husband. Recently had an accident at work and only saw him a week ago at the store. When Mrs. Colbert told me yesterday about his passing away, I could not believe it. I am sure the family and all of us will miss him but he is at a better place and in peace.##imported-begin##Mohammad I Lakhani##imported-end##

April 08, 2011 at 01:48 PM



“ I am so very sorry for your loss! Cecelia, you and your family are in my thoughts.##imported-begin##Pam##imported-end##

April 07, 2011 at 09:10 AM