



Elizabeth Marie "Lizzy" Hoppe-Colantuono

November 17, 2000 - March 5, 2012

Elizabeth Marie (Lizzy) Hoppe was granted her angel wings on February 29, 2012 due to complications from a sudden asthma attack that occurred on February 20, 2012. Her final days were spent surrounded by family and friends that she had touched over her very brief life.

Lizzy was a vibrant girl with a brilliant smile and an infectious laugh. Although her life was tragically short, she managed to touch many people and fill them with joy, if even for a moment. She had a way of brightening the gloomiest day with her cheerful personality and goofy sense of humor. She truly wore her heart on her sleeve and loved everyone that she met. She loved and was loved by many and will be greatly missed.

With Lizzy's passing we remind others that her life is one to be celebrated, although we will miss her everyday, she will forever be in our hearts and in our thoughts. Loss of a child is absolutely the worst thing that a parent can endure, so please hug your kids and tell them that you love them everyday.

Lizzy is survived by parents; Dana Ritchie, Matthew Ritchie, Eddie Hoppe and Mary Phillips, as well as her five brothers; Christian Newey, Eric Riegel, Shawn Riegel, Braedyn Ritchie and Payton Ritchie.

Visitation to be held at Sam Houston Memorial Funeral Home, 20850 Eva St.,

Montgomery, Texas on Sunday, March 4, 2012 from 4pm to 6pm. Funeral service to be held at St. Timothy's Anglican Church, 6819 Louetta Road, Spring Texas 77379 on Monday, March 5, 2012 at 11am. Flowers can be sent to Sam Houston Memorial Funeral Home in Montgomery.

Donations may be made to Ronald McDonald House Charities, Attention, Charitable Accounting, One Kroc Drive, Oak Brook, Illinois 60523 – Telephone 630-623-7048. Email: donations@rmhc.org , or to the family via “Praying for Lizzy” account at Woodforest National Bank.

You are invited to leave a memorial condolence to the family at www.shmfh.com

Tribute Wall



“ Elizabeth Marie "Lizzy" Hoppe-Colantuono

November 15, 2022 at 08:33 PM



“ Dana, I'm so sorry for your loss and could never imagine your pain. You and your family will stay in our thoughts and prayers. We beleive that God will cover you in peace, comfort, and give you the stregnth as well as healing that you will need to face each passing day. I know she now has her angel wings and that she will always look over you and your family. You will all meet again one glorious day and I know that doesn't take away your pain either but I'm praying that it will give you some comfort in knowing that you will see her again.

The Woolsey Family - March 06, 2012 at 11:24 AM



“ Dana, you and your family are in my thoughts and prayers. I have been best friends with Lisa Newey and family for 15 years. I will be keeping you and your loved ones on my prayer list everyday. I pray constantly for your family..For peace,comfort, strength, understanding and healing. She will live forever in your hearts and memories

Ann Semien - March 05, 2012 at 11:51 AM



“ We are so sorry for your loss, May God grant you and your Family Peace, Comfort and Support during this difficult time.

Angel & KK Hildebrand - March 05, 2012 at 11:37 AM

DA

“ Dana, you and your family is in your prayers. Your little Angel Lizzy has touch so many people in the short time she was here. God Bless you and your family. Dina Page and Marie Altizen

Dina Page & Marie Altizen - March 04, 2012 at 07:26 PM

JS

“ Mrs. Dana, I am so sorry for the loss of beautiful Lizzy. She was a very strong and beautiful little girl. Her smile lives on in the people she touched. I prayed for Lizzy everyday, and I continue to pray for you and your family. I know that Lizzy is showing her beautiful smile to God every moment that she can. Sending hugs and love to you and your family.

Jessica Snow - March 04, 2012 at 05:00 PM

AC

“ You are in my thoughts and prayers. Lizzy will forever be in my memory as one of the most happy young people that I have had the opportunity to teach. She always brought a smile and love of life that brightened my day. Thank you for allowing me to be blessed by her. I will be praying for your comfort and peace during this season of life. Keep looking up, that's where the answers are. God bless you.

Angela Cheatham - March 04, 2012 at 04:44 PM

RO

“ Dana, Christian, Eddie and family...I'm so heartbroken for you and your family. My many memories of Elizabeth will stay forever in my heart. She was a joy to be around and I know she will be missed by many. She is gone too soon but God has another Angel by his side. I will think of her whenever I see a "snapdragon" as that was MY little memory with her. God bless you and give you strength. My deepest, deepest sympathy!

Rosemarie - March 03, 2012 at 04:13 PM

BW

“ so sorry for your loss, God bless and grant you peace.

Brenda Welborn - March 03, 2012 at 12:20 PM

BP

“ Your loss is unimaginable and our hearts and prayers are with you. May our Lord Jesus cradle you in His arms as His own heart aches for your sadness. She sings and plays before Him now and she happily anticipates the day you'll be with her again.

Britney's Granny and Poppy - March 03, 2012 at 09:34 AM

SM

“ Dana & family - words can not express the sorrow I feel for you all. Take pride knowing that your daughter touched so many people's hearts. Her spirit lives on in all of our hearts. May God wrap his comforting arms around you. XO

Sean, Tracy & Madison McCarty - March 02, 2012 at 03:13 PM

DH

“ Days like this make me realize how fragile and precious life really is and of how quickly it can be taken away. Those we have held in our arms for only a little while are still held in our hearts forever... I love you guys dearly and send prayers for the whole family.

Danny Harling - March 02, 2012 at 01:24 PM

SR

“ Dana,
I am so sorry to hear about your little girl Lizzy! My prayers go out to you and your family. God Bless.

Shannon Reinke-Baldwin - March 02, 2012 at 01:07 PM

CD

“ We are sorry to hear about the loss of your love one. May God continue to give you and your family comfort during this time.

*Co-workers of Hazel Doniphan
Charleston, SC*

City of Charleston, Revenue Collections Dept. - March 02, 2012 at 12:42 PM

SB

“ Our hearts are so filled with sadness for the loss of your Lizzy. We pray constantly for your family..For peace,comfort, strength, understanding and healing. She will live forever in your hearts and memories. Such a wonderfully perfect little angel she has made!

Scott & Dawn Hill/Becca Batterson - March 01, 2012 at 10:43 PM

DJ

“ Dana,

*Our prayers are with you and your family.
God Bless You.*

Deborah and Dale Johnston

Deborah and Dale Johnston - March 01, 2012 at 09:01 PM

SV

“ Dana, you and your family are in our prayers. May God wrap His arms around you to give you the strength that you will need to heal from your loss. Love you, girl.

Sherry and Danny Vaughn - March 01, 2012 at 05:25 PM