



Thomas Matthias Pierce Jr.

March 16, 1989 - February 2, 2021

Thomas Matthias Pierce, Jr. was called to his eternal home on Tuesday, February 2nd, 2021 at the age of 31. Although he was only with us a short time, the memory of his gracious heart and gentle spirit will remain with us all forever.

Thomas was born on March 16, 1989 in Conroe, Texas. A lifelong resident of Huntsville, Thomas graduated from Huntsville High School in 2007. He was a proud member of the Huntsville Hornets band and was an extremely talented trombonist. After high school he started a family and began a career with the Texas Department of Criminal Justice where he worked for over 10 years. He recently decided to pursue his dreams of owning his own business and was working hard toward fulfilling that dream by opening his own gunsmithing shop.

Although at 6'6" he towered over most people, nothing was bigger than the size of Thomas's heart. He was a very kindhearted person, and when you met him you would instantly be drawn to him and feel like you've been friends forever. He was always there for his family and friends and would go to the ends of the earth for them. Thomas had a brilliant and inquisitive mind and loved to learn and take on new hobbies, was a student of history and politics and had a strong love for music. The biggest love in Thomas' life in which he dedicated all his heart and soul to were his two children, Noah and Avery.

Thomas is survived by his Son Noah Pierce, Daughter Avery Grace Pierce, Father Thomas Pierce Sr, Mother Ruby Cowan and Husband Richard, Sister

Tori Gattis and Husband Casey, Brother Troy Pierce, Grandmother Gay Wolverton, Aunt Christa Wood and Husband William, Aunt Laura Lea and Husband Kelly, Aunt Kathy Pierce, Uncle Andrew Wolverton and numerous nieces, nephews and cousins.

Thomas is preceded in death by his Grandparents Kenneth and Margarete Pierce, Eldon Wolverton and Uncle Konrad Pierce.

Funeral services will be at Sam Houston Memorial Funeral Home on Thursday, February 11th with visitation at 9:30 am and the service at 10:00 am. Memorial condolences to the family may be made to www.shmfh.com.

Cemetery Details

Black Jack Cemetery

Black Jack Rd
Huntsville, TX 77340

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 11. 9:30 AM - 10:00 AM (CT)

Sam Houston Memorial Funeral Home - Huntsville
1700 Normal Park Dr.
Huntsville, TX 77340
(936) 291-7300
belinda@shmfmh.com

Funeral Service

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“ *Thomas Matthias Pierce Jr.*

November 15, 2022 at 08:33 PM

AP

he is my daddy i am avery grace pierce and i love him so so so so so much

Avery Pierce - February 17 at 03:27 PM

AP

i am his daughter

Avery Pierce - February 17 at 03:46 PM

AV

I love him so so much

avery - February 19 at 10:13 PM

BT

“ *We are so sorry for you losing Thomas. Our thoughts and prayers are with you. May God bless and comfort all of you.*

Bruce and Mary Thaler

Bruce Thaler - February 11, 2021 at 02:45 PM

TR

“ *Thomas was a great friend and he shall be missed. .Our thoughts and prayers to the Pierce family.*

Timothy Reddin - February 10, 2021 at 11:13 PM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Thomas Matthias Pierce Jr..*



February 10, 2021 at 11:06 PM



“ *Cindy Guajardo lit a candle in memory of Thomas Matthias Pierce Jr.*



Cindy Guajardo - February 10, 2021 at 12:31 PM



“ *Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of Thomas Matthias Pierce Jr..*



February 10, 2021 at 10:42 AM



“ *Basket Full of Wishes was purchased for the family of Thomas Matthias Pierce Jr..*



February 10, 2021 at 10:31 AM

TF

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with the Pierce Family at this time. God Be With You.

The Venette Family - February 10, 2021 at 09:21 AM

EM

“ Gay Wolverton so sorry for the loss of your Grandson he loved you so much. Uncle Andy I am so sorry for your loss also it will be a big loss in your life. Love Eunice

Eunice Myers - February 09, 2021 at 09:08 PM

EM

“ Ruby and Tom We are so sorry for the loss of your son Thomas. We love you both and sorry we are unable to be there with you. Tori and Troy so sorry for your loss of your brother he loved both of you so much as you both knew. All of your families are in our prayers and may time help heal your pain. Love Eunice and Jennifer

Eunice Myers - February 09, 2021 at 08:58 PM

EA

“ Tom, Ruby, Gay and family our deepest sympathy on your loss of Thomas, May God comfort you all during this difficult time. Hold on tight to the sweet memory's he left you. Love you all!!



Edd & Terry Artherholt - February 09, 2021 at 07:43 PM



“ *Enduring Grace was purchased for the family of Thomas Matthias Pierce Jr..*



February 09, 2021 at 06:04 PM



“ *Prayers go out to the family. I worked with officer Pierce during my time at the Goree unit. He was always respectful and was an amazing officer. He will definitely be missed*



Officer L.Banks - February 09, 2021 at 04:11 PM



“ *Michael, Cheryl(Paluka)Acosta and Frances Paluka purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Thomas Matthias Pierce Jr..*



Michael,Cheryl(Paluka)Acosta and Frances Paluka - February 09, 2021 at 03:08 PM



“ *Charlotte Efird lit a candle in memory of Thomas Matthias Pierce Jr.*



Charlotte Efird - February 09, 2021 at 03:06 PM

Becky
Martin
Spelce

“ *Our deepest sympathy on the loss of Thomas. May God comfort you all during this difficult time. We love you all.*



Becky Martin Spelce - February 09, 2021 at 02:56 PM

CA

“ *Tommy, we are so very sorry to hear about the loss of your loving son. We are praying for you and your family. May God help you through this sad time. God bless you. We love you! Love Michael and Cheryl (Paluka) Acosta, Randy and Brad Johnson and Frances Paluka*

cheryl acosta - February 09, 2021 at 02:48 PM

JJ

“ *Jonna Jeter lit a candle in memory of Thomas Matthias Pierce Jr.*



Jonna Jeter - February 09, 2021 at 02:27 PM

JJ

“ *Sweet, sweet memories - we pray that these will sustain each of you until you are all together again in heaven.*

Jonna & Glen Jeter - February 09, 2021 at 02:26 PM

TC

“ *Teresa and Gene Theobald and Serena Castillo purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Thomas Matthias Pierce Jr..*



Teresa and Gene Theobald and Serena Castillo - February 09, 2021 at 01:32 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Thomas Matthias Pierce Jr..*



February 09, 2021 at 01:22 PM

DP

“ *Tom,*

We are so sorry to hear about your son. If there is anything we can do for you please let us know, please send our condolences to Tori and Troy. Our prayers are with you.

Dudley, Kathy, Garrett, and Julie ❤️



Dudley and Kathy Park - February 09, 2021 at 12:02 PM

MH

“ *M. Hyvl sent a virtual gift in memory of Thomas Matthias Pierce Jr.*



M. Hyvl - February 09, 2021 at 11:38 AM

SG

“ *Sheila Gaskins lit a candle in memory of Thomas Matthias Pierce Jr.*



Sheila Gaskins - February 09, 2021 at 11:24 AM

RP

“ *Tommy (Tom) Pierce and Ruby Cowan, David and I are very saddened to hear of you of your loss. Hugs and Prayers to you both. God Bless. Love David, Rose Paluka and William Paluka*



Rose Paluka - February 09, 2021 at 11:08 AM

DP

“ *I am so sorry for your loss. May God comfort you in this very sad time. I am praying for you. Donna Tyler Paschall*



Donna Paschall - February 09, 2021 at 10:09 AM

VT

“ *Ruby & Richard,
Our thoughts and prayers are with you all at
this difficult time. May the love of family and
friends comfort & strengthen you in the days
ahead. Luv you all, The Taylors (Robert,
Vanessa & Hunter)*



Vanessa Taylor - February 09, 2021 at 09:43 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the
family of Thomas Matthias Pierce Jr..*



February 09, 2021 at 09:42 AM

MP

“ *Deepest sympathy.*



Melanie Prause - February 08, 2021 at 09:50 PM

JW

“ I have known this young man since he was a baby. One of my fondest memories of him is when he and his family were living in Dayton Texas. Tom and I were working together at the Hightower unit. For some reason I had stopped by Tom's house one evening and little Thomas came out the back door in diapers! I asked Tom if he was talking yet and Tom encouraged him to say something to me. He promptly said "pizza pizza"! That's about all I got out of him that evening. He forever will be little "pizza pizza" to me. To all of his family please know that we love you all and will keep you in our prayers. Rest in peace "pizza pizza"!!!

Johnny Willis - February 08, 2021 at 09:45 PM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Thomas Matthias Pierce Jr..



February 08, 2021 at 09:40 PM

LP

“ My guy Thomas Pierce going stopping at the desk talking about the Astros always had a smile and stayed positive i will truly miss my brother... The whole goree family will miss you

Lester Perry - February 08, 2021 at 09:18 PM

SR

“ This is such disheartening news...My condolences goes out to his entire family. My boy Pierce was definitely a gentle giant. He was such a super funny guy when you got a chance to him. We shared a lot of inside jokes and laughs at Goree...He used to say Ross if you bring an empty egg crate to work ill fill em up with eggs....and thats exactly what he did. He will be truly missed..Heaven has truly gained and angel. love you my brother.

Sondra Ross
Goree Family
TDCJ...

SONDRA ROSS - February 08, 2021 at 07:44 PM

MW

“ Soo sorry to hear of Thomas' passing...We worked together on Goree.

I loved Thomas and considered him a brother...He will be sorely missed but live forever in my heart.



Mickey (Swag) Wagner - February 08, 2021 at 07:33 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Thomas Matthias Pierce Jr..



February 08, 2021 at 06:58 PM

BN

“ *Ruby, Richard and Thomas. So sorry for your loss. May God comfort you during your time of grief.* ”

Beverly Conner Niederhofer - February 08, 2021 at 05:42 PM

WW

“ *Prayers with the family as they celebrate the life of Thomas. He was a great friend. He will be greatly missed.* ”



Wayne Winkler - February 08, 2021 at 05:31 PM

HC

“ *Haley Coburn purchased the Simply Elegant Spa thiphyllum for the family of Thomas Matthias Pierce Jr..* ”



Haley Coburn - February 08, 2021 at 05:19 PM

GG

“ *Gary, Angie, Dianna, & Rainey Goines purchased the Bountiful Rose Basket for the family of Thomas Matthias Pierce Jr..* ”



Gary, Angie, Dianna, & Rainey Goines - February 08, 2021 at 04:52 PM

JR

“ We are so sorry for your loss Ruby and Cracker. We love both of you and will be praying for you guys. James and Jessica Robertson

Jessica Robertson - February 08, 2021 at 04:05 PM