



## Jeremy Philip Flanders

July 25, 2008

Jeremy P. Flanders, 27, of New Tampa died Friday at home. Born in Richmond VA, he has lived in Tampa for the last 12 years. He recently graduated from the International Academy of Design and Technology with degrees in Interactive Media and Graphic Design. He was a talented artist and photographer.

Jeremy is survived by his fiancée Jessica Locke; his parents John & Kathleen Flanders of Camillus, NY; his maternal grandparents Bob & Doris Keane of Camillus; two brothers Jacob of Tampa and Aaron of Camillus; a sister Lehana Doctor of Rochester, NY; several aunts, uncles, cousins, and nieces. "Love is immortal because it creates something that wasn't there before."

Visitation will be 6 to 8 pm Tuesday at Victorious Life Church, Central Campus, 6224 Old Pasco Rd Wesley Chapel, FL 33544.

Visitation will also be held 6 to 8 Friday at B.L. Bush & Sons Funeral Home, 10 Genesee Street, Camillus, NY. Funeral services will be 10 am Saturday at funeral home followed by burial in Greenlawn Memorial Park, Warners, NY.

Contributions in lieu of flowers may be made to New Hope Family Services, 3519 James Street, Syracuse, New York 13206.

Please sign his guestbook at [www.BLBUSH.com](http://www.BLBUSH.com)

# Tribute Wall



“ *B.L. Bush & Sons Funeral Home / Monuments created a Tribute Video in memory of Jeremy Philip Flanders*



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**B.L. Bush & Sons Funeral Home / Monuments** - December 02, 2014 at 10:50 AM

RS

“ *If I still miss you so much after all this time, not haven't seen you for many years before your passing, I can only imagine how Jessica and your parent's feel. You were so special, and I will always have an ache in my heart because you aren't on this plane.*  
*-Bekah*

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**Rebekah Street** - December 11, 2014 at 12:16 PM

IM

“ *Please accept my condolences for your loss. While I did not know your loved one personally, we have all been affected by the grief death causes. Revelation 21:3-5 promises that soon death will be eliminated. John 11:28,29 further assures us that we can look forward to seeing our loved ones again. How we look forward to that day! I hope these scriptures serve as a comfort to you and your family as they have me.*

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**Iris McNeal** - October 29, 2008 at 12:00 AM

LH

“ I felt it necessary to fix a typo I made on my message I left previously. When I spoke of Jeremy's favorite things I mentioned his kinex toys. Those toys are in fact his construx toys. It was important to voice my error knowing that Jeremy became sarcastically disturbed when anyone mis-titled his things. Love to you all, God Bless!

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**Laura Hensleigh** - August 30, 2008 at 12:00 AM

KR

“ Please accept my deepest sympathy. I met Jeremy and Jessica on a photo shoot in Tampa. That meeting made a deep and lasting impression - I am so sorry for your loss. Jeremy was a kind and talented person that knew exactly how to make others look and feel like superstars. His light will be missed. You are in my prayers.

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**K R** - August 21, 2008 at 12:00 AM

JL

“ Jessica, I'm so sorry this happened. I was so looking forward to your future with Jeremy. I'm sure he would want you and all of us to be at peace over this someday. I know its hard for you to see past this right now but I also know he would want you to be happy and feel loved. We all love you very much too. Dad

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**James Locke** - August 09, 2008 at 12:00 AM

MW

“ *Kathy and John, My name is Mary Lee Walawender and I attend Grace Assembly of God. I had the privilege of sharing in Jeremy's Funeral. What a fine young man; God certainly gave him many gifts and you, as parents, must have encouraged him to develop those gifts. What a tribute to you! I am writing because both my parents committed suicide. They were devoted Christians and also very artistic; giving much to their community and church. Suicide is a painful journey for families that does not end but we have hope and the Lord to be our refuge and strength when no one understands. As your journey begins, I am offering an ear and daily prayers. Love, Mary Lee (436-5951)*

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**Mary Lee Walawender** - August 05, 2008 at 12:00 AM

DF

“ *john, kathy and jessica: i am so sorry for your loss. let me express my deepest sympathy at jeremy's passing. my prayers and thoughts are with you in this sad moment. dave & karen fahey*

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**dave fahey** - August 03, 2008 at 12:00 AM

BC

“ *John, Kathy and family. There aren't words to express such sorrow but I hope you can find some solace in the belief that Hilda and Ralph are looking after Jeremy now. My thoughts and prayers are with you all.*

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**Brian Cunningham** - August 03, 2008 at 12:00 AM

LL

“ Jessica, I,too,loved him. He was my 'grandson'. I remember his smile when his mouth made a little heart shape and how very much he loved you. There are no words or hugs that can ease you pain but know that you are loved and Angels surround you to help you through this unbelievably tragic time..Jeremy's at peace now. We're ALL here to support you and help you forever.. All My Love to you, Beauty, G-ma xoxoxoxoxoxoxoxoxo

Llewellyn Locke - August 01, 2008 at 12:00 AM

LL

“ John and Kathy, My prayers are with you and yours during this tragic time. I just don't have the words to say that can comfort you. I admired him and loved him as my own. I was always bragging on his talent. He was smart, funny, very intellegent and had a heart of gold.. It's very easy to see why my granddaughter loved him so much.. My God comfort you and your family.. You are in my prayers.. God Bless You, Llewellyn

Llewellyn Locke - August 01, 2008 at 12:00 AM

RB

“ John, Kathy and family Our sympathies for your sad lost of Jeremy. Our thoughts and prayers are with you in this most difficult of times.

Rick & Denise Bova - August 01, 2008 at 12:00 AM

JA

“ Dear John and Kathy, You are in my thoughts and prayers. I am so sorry for your loss. Please know that the Holy Spirit will comfort you in the days to come. With much love, Jeanie

Jeanie Allen - August 01, 2008 at 12:00 AM

MC

“ John & Kathy Linda and I are so sorry for your loss. Although we had not seen Jeremy in quite a while we enjoyed seeing pictures and listening to your updates on his life. We know you have your faith, family and friends to support you. Our deepest sympathy  
Linda & Mark

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**Mark & Linda Cole** - August 01, 2008 at 12:00 AM

CS

“ My Dear Jessica, I was on the coast of Maine when the death of Jeremy finally reached me. My heart is broken for you and Jeremy's family. I hope you know that I would have been by your side to give you comfort... in Tampa and in New York if I had gotten the news of his passing in time. Jeremy was a wonderful young man and Uncle John and I will miss him. He was always a lively addition to all our family holiday get togethers. You are greatly loved. Uncle John and I are here for you. Let us know if you need anything. Love, Aunt  
Candy

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**Candy Smith** - July 31, 2008 at 12:00 AM

LM

“ Dear John & Kathy ~ Dennis and I were heartsick when we heard this tragic news. I know there are no words. While we didn't know Jeremy, it's easy to see what a beautiful young man he was, with such a full life. Be proud as parents of this blessing of a son you created. May our Heavenly Father, in His grace and mercy, bring you all through this day by day. Remember that the Hands that created Jeremy are the Hands that now hold him. With much love,  
The Miesners

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**Lorrie Miesner** - July 31, 2008 at 12:00 AM

BB

“ To the family i am so sorry to hear about your lost it is always hard to lose the ones you love i didnt know jeremy that well but when i saw him he was always smileing he was really laid back kind of guy i wish i could have got to know him better but all the wishes to you guys god bless

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**Billy Bendo** - July 31, 2008 at 12:00 AM

CH

“ Hey Jess, I hate having to even be writing this, I wish it was just a bad dream. I can't think of more to say that hasn't already been said. My heart is with you, and jeremy's family. Wish I was back there right now. As much Love as I can give from the west coast, Casey.

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**Casey Hendrix** - July 30, 2008 at 12:00 AM

LD

“ Jessica I am so very sorry for your loss and can't find the words to express my sadness about what you must be experiencing at this time. It is unimaginable to loose someone so vital and young with whom you were building a future. Being loved is the most precious thing of all and Jeremy loved you very much. You are precious to so many people so hold tight to those who are surrounding you with their love. Linda Davies

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**Linda Davies** - July 30, 2008 at 12:00 AM

DI

“ John & Kathy, We were deeply saddened to hear of your loss. There can be few greater sorrows than having a child leave before us but we pray that God's peace, presence and comfort will be with you in a mighty way. He is a good God and we know that your faith in Him will sustain you during this difficult time. Blessings, Don & Corinne Ibbitson

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**Don Ibbitson** - July 30, 2008 at 12:00 AM

CH

“ We are praying that God will be very real to you now and in the days to follow. Know that this church is holding your family up in prayer. We love you and miss you.

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**Claire Hollis** - July 30, 2008 at 12:00 AM

BC

“ Dear Kathy, John, and Aaron, Our thoughts and prayers are with you now. We're praying that the grace of our good Lord will carry you. We love you and we're thinking of you so much.

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**Bill and Patty Camloh** - July 30, 2008 at 12:00 AM

SM

“ John, Kathy, and Jessica I am very sorry for your loss of Jeremy. As you work through the grieving process, maybe you can take a little solace in the fact that all of us are wishing you the best, and that we all will treasure the moments a little more with our family members, going forward. Scott Myers

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**scott myers** - July 30, 2008 at 12:00 AM

WK

“ John, Kathy, Jacob, and Aaron, We love you all and are praying for God's grace, comfort and peace at this time. PLEASE let us know if there is ANYTHING we can do. Wendy Kerlin

Wendy Kerlin - July 30, 2008 at 12:00 AM

PA

“ Kathy, John, Jacob, and Arron, I am truley sorry for your loss. My heart goes out to you all. i wish this was all a bad dream. if there is anything i can do please do not hesitate to call All my love, P.J.

Patty Allen - July 30, 2008 at 12:00 AM

JF

“ Dear John, Kathleen and Jessica, You have my heartfelt sympathies on the loss of your beloved Jeremy. My thoughts and prayers are with you. Jane Fanning

Jane Fanning - July 29, 2008 at 12:00 AM

RP

“ John & Kathy, Please accept out sympathies during your time of loss. Our thought are with you and your family during this time of sorrow. Robert & Verna

Robert Parrish - July 29, 2008 at 12:00 AM

AD

“ I am so sorry for your loss. I didn't know Jeremy well but I remember seeing him in the halls at IADT...he was always smiling. My prayers to you all.

Amanda Diaz - July 29, 2008 at 12:00 AM

JE

“ John and Kathy....I am so sorry for your loss. We will be praying for you. If there is anything we can do, let us know.

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**John and Gwen Elmer** - July 29, 2008 at 12:00 AM

AW

“ Dear Jessica, We were deeply saddened to hear of your loss. Our deepest sympathy goes out to you and of course to Jeremy's family. May all the good times you had together give you comfort and peace. We will keep you and Jeremy's family in our prayers. Jessica if you need us for anything just let us know. Aunt Sissie & Uncle Dale

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**Aunt Sissie & Uncle Dale Whitt** - July 29, 2008 at 12:00 AM

TF

“ To Kathy, John, and family, From all of us on Scattered Pines (old neighbors), you are all in our thoughts and prayers during this time. We hope that you can gather strength from God and everyone around you to help you through this. Terri and Michael Flannery ,Billy and Julie Still, Rob and Judy Stiftinger, Debbie Conley, Rick and Susan Mull, Carole Snow

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**TERRI FLANNERY** - July 29, 2008 at 12:00 AM

SR

“ John and family, I am so very sorry to hear of your loss of Jeremy! From your video, Jeremy seemed to really enjoy life and had much to look forward to, a loving family and his wedding in particular. My thoughts and prayers reach out to you. Scott Ramsay

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**Scott Ramsay** - July 29, 2008 at 12:00 AM

CC

“ Jessica, I am so sorry to hear of your tremendous loss. You are in my thoughts and prayers. My deepest sympathy, Crawford Clancy

Crawford Clancy - July 29, 2008 at 12:00 AM

MB

“ My dearest Jessica, I can't even begin to understand what you must be going through. I know you are surrounded with love but just know if there is anyway I can be there for you I will. Leonard and I will keep you in our prayers. I love you! Marvette

Marvette Bethea - July 29, 2008 at 12:00 AM

BA

“ I would like to express my deepest sympathy in the loss of Jeremy. I never met him personally but felt we had many things in common. I learned of Jeremy's many interests through Jessica, whom I shared several classes. Jessica spoke so highly of Jeremy. I offer my expression of sadness for her as well. Once again, I am very sorry for your loss

Bob Albury - July 28, 2008 at 12:00 AM

SH

“ Kathy, I am so sorry to hear about Jeramy. Please know that the girls and I are praying for all of you., Sue

Sue Hutchison - July 28, 2008 at 12:00 AM

JL

“ Jess, I don't even know what to say except I am so sorry and if you want to talk, cry, laugh or whatever; I'm here!!!!!! There is nothing anyone can say at a time like this but remember, you are loved and so is Jeremy! Jan

Jan Lowe - July 28, 2008 at 12:00 AM

JC

“ I am so sorry for your loss. I know that he was a wonderful person from the few times I met him. Please let me know if there is anything that I do for you. I am so sorry.

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**Jeanine Clark** - July 28, 2008 at 12:00 AM

HP

“ Jessica, I am so sorry to hear about Jeremy. I know you loved him deeply. Please know we are here for you and if you need anything please just let us know. You are in our thoughts and prayers. Love Hilary and Michael

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**Hilary Pedrick** - July 28, 2008 at 12:00 AM

JE

“ Jess, I am so sorry for your loss. Please accept my deepest heartfelt sympathies and condolences. Jeremy will be greatly missed. Do take some comfort in knowing that he loved you and I'm sure he'll be looking over you. If you need someone to talk to or if there is anything you need. You can call me anytime.

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**January Edwards** - July 28, 2008 at 12:00 AM

JB

“ Dear Jessica, I am so sorry to hear of your loss and my heart goes out to you and Jeremy's family. I will keep you in my prayers.

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**Judy Bilek** - July 28, 2008 at 12:00 AM

RV

“ I am so sorry to hear about your loss. My husband and I both knew Jeremy. The world has definitely lost an amazing person. If you ever need one more shoulder please call.

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**Rachel Voll** - July 28, 2008 at 12:00 AM

GL

“ To the Family, I didn't know Jeremy too well. I saw the article in the paper. On behalf of the Academy, I'm trully sorry for your loss. I've heard nothing but great things about Jeremy. You are all in our thoughts and prayers.

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**Goseline Luc** - July 28, 2008 at 12:00 AM

AR

“ To my big sis & jeremy's family ... I know jeremy for the past 5 1/2 years & in that time he was a great friend who i have shared meny laugh's & even some tears with .He will be missed more then words can say. jess if you need me i am always here for you dont forget that we all love you dearly

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**Amber Rodgers** - July 28, 2008 at 12:00 AM

JS

“ To Jess, Jeremy's family, and all his friends: I am so sorry for your loss. Jeremy was a wonderful, talented man, he will be greatly missed. My deepest prayers are with you in this time.

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**Jessie Slater** - July 28, 2008 at 12:00 AM

JK

“ Jeremy was a wonderful, beautiful individual. I feel blessed to have known him, and the world is better for him having been in it. My thoughts are with you Jess, and with the Flanders family, may you find peace during this difficult time.

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**Jen Kelley** - July 28, 2008 at 12:00 AM

ML

“ Our Hearts and Prayers go out to you Jessica and the entire Flanders family from his other family 2020 Companies. He was a good guy and will be missed. Please contact us if there's anything we can do to help support you all in this time of grief.

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**Mike LeMay** - July 28, 2008 at 12:00 AM

DC

“ Jeremy was one of my students at the International Academy of Design and Technology. I had the opportunity to teach courses for Jeremy and his talent was impressive. His ability to create art, design and photography was inspiring to me and also to his fellow classmates. On behalf of the Academy family, please accept my deepest sympathy for your loss. Jeremy was an amazing source of talent. He will be truly missed.

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**Dawn Carlson** - July 28, 2008 at 12:00 AM

MK

“ To The Flanders and Keane Families, We were so sad to hear the tragic news of your loss. Our children are so precious and the loss of one is tragic. Please know that our thoughts and prayers are with you. Michael and Cathleen Kennedy and Family

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**Michael and Cathleen Kennedy** - July 28, 2008 at 12:00 AM

MK

“ We are so sorry for your loss. We will keep you in our thoughts and prayers.

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**Mark and Jessica Keane** - July 28, 2008 at 12:00 AM

LH

“ To my wonderful family... I felt it only necessary to add a few words myself. Jeremy is loved by more people then he ever thought possible, and he sees that now. I may only be Jacob's girlfriend (of 5 1/2 years) but Jeremy was more than a friend, he was my brother. To everyone that knew this beautifully talented, bright loving man, you know the world won't be the same without our Jeremy. But remember the things he loved Batman, his art, those doctor bags, his silly lil' kinex toys, the computer (and anything that is mechanical), his family, and most importantly Jessica. I never saw someone love another person as hard as he loves you. My heart and my prayers are with anyone and everyone affected by these hard times. God Bless, and today/every day make sure you let the people you hold closest that you love them.

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**Laura Hensleigh** - July 28, 2008 at 12:00 AM

MJ

“ Cathy & John, I don't know if you'll remember me. I'm Rebekah's mother. My heart goes out to you. Please know that you and your family are in my prayers. Love in the Lamb, Michele Jahn

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**Michele Jahn** - July 28, 2008 at 12:00 AM

CG

“ Flanders family and Jessica, We haven't met but in high school, Jer and I spent quite a bit of time together. He was one of the greatest guys I've ever had the privilege of knowing. Amazingly talented, incredibly sweet and with a sense of humor that was always a little left of center, it's hard to imagine that he's gone. I hope that you can take some comfort from that fact that, though his time here was much too short, he touched more lives than I think even he could have imagined. My thoughts and prayers are with you. Sincerely, Christine Gillis

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**Christine L Gillis** - July 28, 2008 at 12:00 AM

JR

“ Dear Jessica, My deepest sympathy to you, the Flanders' family and friends of Jeremy. My sincere thoughts and prayers are with you as you face this tremendous loss. If there is anything you need, please let me know. Jeannette

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**Jeannette Romero** - July 28, 2008 at 12:00 AM

BB

“ Jessica, and Jeremy's family. My Deepest and most heartfelt condolences and sympathies at this time. I was so sorry to hear and I will hold you all in my prayers.

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**Bethanee & Geff Bartrand** - July 27, 2008 at 12:00 AM

CL

“ Jessica, dear friend, words cannot begin to express our sadness. Please know that love is still, and always, around you. May your heart, which is surely broken, find peace. Thomas and I are here for you, and send our deepest sympathies to you, and to Jeremy's family as well.

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**Connie Langhorst** - July 27, 2008 at 12:00 AM

SB

“ i am so sorry. we had many many good times together and i will miss him too. i miss you jess, im not in tampa, but i am always here for you whenever you need it. all of my love sean

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**Sean Broderick** - July 27, 2008 at 12:00 AM

KK

“ My deepest sympathy to both of your families. Jessica, if you need anyone to talk to I am here.

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**Kelly Klare** - July 27, 2008 at 12:00 AM

DS

“ John, Kathy and Jessica Please accept our most heartfelt sympathies for your loss...our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family during this difficult time.. Death leaves a heartache no one can heal, love leaves a memory no one can steal.

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**Dick and Kathy Strom** - July 27, 2008 at 12:00 AM

SJ

“ Dearest Jessica and family, Dan and I are so sorry to hear of the heartbreaking news of Jeremy's passing. We know how very much you loved one another...that will never ever fade. Please know that we are always here for you and are thinking of you in this sad time. Anything we can do, please do not hesitate to call on us. Sending our love and deepest sympathies, Dan and Stacey Jenkins

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**Stacey Jenkins** - July 27, 2008 at 12:00 AM