



# Bradley A. Adkins

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**L**OVINGTON- Bradley A. Adkins, 37 of Lovington, passed away at 11:20 am Friday, November 27, 2009 in rural Lovington as the result of a car accident. Services to celebrate Brad's life will be held at 11 am Tuesday, December 1, 2009 in the Lovington First Church of God conducted by Pastor Rodney Houser. Visitation will be held one hour prior to the services. Interment will be in Macon County Memorial Park in Harristown. Memorials are suggested to the family. Online condolences and memories can be shared with the family at [www.gracelandfairlawn.com](http://www.gracelandfairlawn.com).

Brad was born on October 7, 1972 in Decatur a son of Jackie L. and June (Debord) Adkins. He had worked at ADM and was currently working at Sol Tick. Brad was an avid sports fan and loved football and being with his friends.

Surviving are his son- Holden Turner of Lovington, father- Jack Adkins of Mattoon, sister- Jackie Adkins-Fonner of Macon, brother- Charles Bryan Adkins of Decatur, niece- Megan Fonner and nephew Blake Fonner both of Macon, and his extended family- Jackie Davis, Jessica Mercer and her husband Brian all of Lovington. He was preceded in death by his mother June and brother Boyd "Bo" Adkins.



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DC

**Daniel Creek** posted:

Brad, Im sry i wasnt there brother.u know i would have been if i could. we have been brothers for 25 years!we went through alot of crazy stuff together, and we always remained brothers,and we always will! I will miss u man.Everyone will miss u brother! my condolences to all family and friends,he will be missed.

January 4 at 2:38 PM

TC

**Tracy Claypool** posted:

I will always miss all of you I remember changing your dipers, I Love You Always an forever  
————-TRACY CLAYPOOLlove You

December 3 at 7:54 PM

SK

**Stella Dull, Kinney** posted:

Brad was a friend of mine, Im sorry for the loss, and I had to inform Danny Creek, Brads close friend. On behalf of Danny I want to say We share the gief, I am also from Macon and friends to the Fonner Family, from growing up there. Brad was always a good person who cared about people, everyone loves him.

December 3 at 6:17 PM

NY

**Nichole Larson (Yonker)** posted:

uncle baddy,I love you and miss you.sorry i couldn't be there,you know i would if i could.will you please watch over me and my family.tell my siter and dad and favorite grandma june i love her dearly and miss her very much(i am venting to you this way cuz i cant be there for youre funeral)i really want to be in contact with my and youre family i just wished they looked at it that way? could you do me a favor and try and make that possible?:)i would love to meet youre son my cousin even pictures of everyone i really would like to have pictures of dad,you,andgrandma,and of course the rest of the family. im taking the niece and nefew (my cousins)in the article are jackies i havent seen her since forever i would just love to have my family back i dont have much left i just want contact with everyone.ashlee would love to meet her great aunt and see her great uncle bryan,and her second cousins.some one please contact me PLEASE love nichole

December 1 at 7:31 AM



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LS

**Lisa Seeman** posted:

I am so sorry to hear about Baddy. When I think of him I remember his sweet smile. I will keep all of you in my prayers.

December 1 at 4:47 AM

LT

**Lara Reedy And Jimmy Trenholm** posted:

You are all in our thoughts and prayers. We are just in shock that this has happened. If there is anything we can do for any of you...please don't hesitate to let us know! He will be greatly missed.

November 30 at 6:43 PM

TS

**Tonja Stovall** posted:

Dear Family, I want you to know how sorry I am for your loss. Brad was a very special person and I was very lucky to have been his friend and have my life touched by his. Words can't express my heart ache for you guys. Brad I will forever miss you. Love you Tonja

November 30 at 5:31 PM

JC

**John And Nicole Cannon** posted:

Our hearts and our prays are with your family. sincerely The Cannons

November 30 at 3:25 PM

MT

**Michael Tussing** posted:

SORRY I COULD NOT BE THERE, MY THOUGHTS & SORROWS ARE WITH YOUR FAMILY.

November 30 at 3:13 PM



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**Nichole Larson (Yonker)** posted:

grandpa,uncle bryan,and aunt jackie, This is nichole boyd's oldest daughter,i'm really upset and having issues dealing with this.I love my uncle baddy very much.i now live in burlington,iowa will someone please contact me i would love to speak to all of you,aunt jackie i know we haven't spoke in years but i would really love to hear from you,grandpa i miss you dearly i really would like you all to keep in touch with me you all are all i have left besides my mom and brother's,i really need some family support.i can't be there at the funeral i wish i could so bad cuz he was my blood uncle and i loved him very much.you guy's all know that.aunt jackie you have a great neice she is going to be six in december me and ashlee would love to be involved in youre lives all of you !(uncle baddy, i love you and you will never be forgotten in my heart or your great neice ashlee. well atleast you are up there will youre mom, brother,and my sister ashley ann gray im so upset i dont know what to say but i love you very much (i know i keep repeating myself sorry)Please email me @ larson6139@yahoo.com, I LOVE YOU UNCLE BADDY!!

November 30 at 11:31 AM

LO

**Lisa Osborn** posted:

Jackie, you and your family are in my thoughts and prayers.

November 30 at 3:21 AM

CB

**Christine Black** posted:

WOW I can't beleive he is gone!! Well he was a one of a kind and will truely be missed! I am very sorry for your loss..

November 29 at 12:28 PM

TF

**Tamera Willis & Family** posted:

Jack,Jacque & Bryan Im so very sorry to hear about this tragedy. I want you to all know I love you all!and if you need me Im a phone call way! May God bless you & comfort you at this time of such loss..

November 29 at 10:24 AM



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TW

**Tamera S. Willis** posted:

Ive known Brad or(Baddy)since 1985.We dated back in highscool in 1988.We were together approximately 3 years.But,unfortanetly we went our seperate ways for quite a few years.But, we always seemed to stay in touch.When he came to Decatur he most of the time would stop by just to say "hello" or stop by and visit my mom Alice.I have so very many memories of Baddy.I wish i could share them all.A few years back in 2005 we had gotten back together.He was goin through alot of tough times.I let him stay with me and i really tried to be there for him. I was there many nights of the conversations of him missing his son Holden and the tears would just roll.I cried with him as well.Its funny how when Your so close to someone you share alot of their pain and anguish?Jackie Davis, i know you know as well as I do what Im talking about.He always shared alot of times when you were togehter. He spoke always highly of you.I was blessed to know Brad.He held an over flowing Love for his friends.Id like to mention one of his best friends Dan Creek because he was there alot when Brad was going through those rough times as well. On Januraury of this year,He lost a good friend which he was living with at the time.I helped him move across the street from my moms.He lived there until mid July of this year. He moved back to Lovington shortly after. He would call me a few times a week to see if I could take him to lovington from sol-tick and I would take him whenever he asked.I may have been real tired.But, I always end up taking him. The last time I took him to Lovington.The trip there we had got into deep conversation about what Im going to do when hes gone? I told him to stop. I didnt want to hear it! & then when stopped at the East End and had a few.Then I took him and dropped him off at Jackies apartment.I went back home.The odd thing is that I wont forget what he had said that night! but, in the years before he would on occasion ask that question.This was only in September.So,when I heard about the accident,I was on the phone with my son Trent and he was crying out of control.I was at Walmart I felt like someone had hit me in the stomach.I couldnt take in a breath. I just left the cart where i was and left.Every since I heard the news everything seems to be in slow motion. I just want everyone to know that I will miss him so..and cant be measured how much! My Love for him the same!My Friendship carries on as well.Im still having a hard time grasping hes really gone?? The sadness and emptiness I feel I cant explain,Im sure alot of us cant. Baddy above all things he would always be there.I knew that& he knew that of me as well.He was such a loving wonderful friend I know one can deny that!Im so very blessed just know him even one minute of my life let alone 24 years!?

November 29 at 7:03 AM

VL

**Velvet Urban (Lowe)** posted:

My deepest sympathy to the Adkins family, and Jackie Davis & Jessica Mercer. May God be with you during this trying time.

November 29 at 8:34 AM



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**Chris Brown & Valerie Tisdale** posted:

Jackie & Jess, We are so sorry to hear about Brad AKA "Badie".

November 29 at 7:03 AM



## **Memories only last if you share them**

Join us in honoring Bradley by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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