

DeLong, Drew

Drew L. DeLong, 22, of Kingston, died suddenly on Saturday, April 24, 2004, in a car accident with his cousin, Michael Wark, in Huron County. He was born November 20, 1981 in Pigeon to Duane and Denice (Parker) DeLong. Drew graduated from Kingston High School in 2000. He attended Central Michigan University one year following high school. He worked at Northwood Modular Homes and later with Zito's Excavating Company. Drew was an outdoors enthusiast, enjoying hunting and fishing. He also enjoyed many sports, including football, basketball, baseball and wrestling. He loved his hound dogs. Drew is survived by his parents, Duane and Denice DeLong, of Kingston; siblings, Dennis DeLong and his wife, Melissa, of Kingston, Dana DeLong and his wife, Nadeene, of Kingston, Dirk DeLong and his wife, Misty, of Cass City, Denelle DeLong and her special friend, Todd Falko, of West Bloomfield, Davon DeLong, of Kingston; grandparents, Donald and Geraldine Parker, of Mio; nieces and nephews, Samantha, Allison, Kendra, Jennifer, Newt, Jade, Jake, Kelly, Ryan; aunts and uncles, Vickie Merchant and her husband, Grant, of Gagetown, Becky Obermiller and her husband, Tim, of Mio, Francis DeLong and his wife, Sharon, of Cass City, Connie Benitez and her husband, Manuel, of Cass City, Donna Lenhard, of Cass City, Robert DeLong and his wife, Kathy, of Cass City, Richard DeLong, of Cass City; several cousins, special friend, Alicia Nicol. He was preceded in death by his grandparents, Donald and Lucille DeLong; cousins, Paul DeLong and Noah Obermiller. A memorial service will be conducted at 10 a.m. on Wednesday, April 28, 2004, in Kranz Funeral Home, Cass City, with the Reverends Ron and Darlene Kuenzli of Caro Community of Christ Church. Visitation will be from 7 to 9 p.m. today and from 2 to 5 p.m. and 7 to 9 p.m. on Tuesday at the funeral home. Memorials may be made to Paul DeLong Memorial Fund.