

## **Brian Jennings O’Cull**

Brian Jennings O’Cull, 36, of Springfield, Ky. met our Heavenly Father on Monday, Nov. 8, 2010 at his residence.

Brian was a native of Grindstone City. He graduated from North Huron High School in Kinde in 1993. He attended Ferris State University pursuing a degree in manufacturing tooling technology in Big Rapids.

He moved to Kentucky in 1995 and began his career as a tool and die maker at Dana Corporation in Elizabethtown, Ky. Since 1999, he has been an employee of Tower Automotive in Bardstown, Ky. He was a licensed real estate agent at Sell with Hale Realty and Auction Company. Brian was a former member of the Springfield Lions Club and the Thumb Two Cylinder Club in Michigan. Brian was a faithful member of St. Dominic Catholic Church in Springfield, Ky.

A devoted husband and father, Brian is survived by his wife, Alicia Hale O’Cull and his two children, Meredith Ann O’Cull and Carter Jennings O’Cull, both at home. He also is survived by his parents, Chester Jennings and Sharon O’Cull of Grindstone City; a sister, Shamrock Kelly O’Cull of Bardstown; and a grandmother, Bernice Bean of Port Austin. Other survivors include his in-laws who loved him like a son, Steve and Mary Ann Hale and their children, Stephen and Amy Hale, Greg and Charissa Greathouse, Michael Hale, Matthew Hale and William Hale; his nieces, Elyssa Hodgens and Lily Hale; and a nephew, Nathan Hodgens.

Brian was preceded in death by his grandparents, Edna Sellers, Manford O’Cull and Albert Hewitt, as well as an uncle, Dennis Hewitt.

The funeral Mass was conducted Thursday, Nov. 11, 2010 at St. Dominic Catholic Church in Springfield, Ky., with Fr. Culpepper Elliott officiating.

Pallbearers were the men he loved like brothers, Charles Downs, Stephen Hale II, Michael Hale, Matthew Hale, William Hale and Gregory Greathouse.

Honorary pallbearers were the tool and die co-workers of Tower Automotive.

Memorial contributions may be made to St. Dominic Church Capitol Campaign or the Fuller Center for Housing of Springfield.

Hale-Polin-Robinson Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.