

**ALLIANCE AGAINST INTOXICATED MOTORISTS**

# Victim Stories



## **The Jenni Anderson Tribute**

March 30, 1981 – October 17, 1997

On October 17, 1997, Jenni and her best friends, Ali Matzdorf and Jennifer Roberts were killed in a horrible crash. Our lives have been altered and forever changed. The memories of our Jenni will be in our hearts and minds forever. It is not natural to bury your child. With Jenni's death, we were given a life sentence to live without her.

We feel Jenni's presence often, especially when we see a butterfly or hear a song that was special to her. This year marks twenty years since Jenni passed, but still it seems like yesterday that she was here with us. I can still hear her laughing voice and see her smiling eyes. She will always be with us, even though our tears.

The vision of her pretty face that passing time cannot erase; what we wouldn't give if, one more time, we could hear, "Hi Mom, Hi Dad."; a sign to know that she is okay and close at hand, just happy and living in another land.

We now have two beautiful grandchildren, Austin 10 and Emma 6. We often wonder if Jenni were still here how many more grandchildren we would have. We will never know, because of the selfish choice drunk driver.

Your loving Mom, Dad and Sister