

Nugent, Jonathan

Jonathan W. Nugent, 20, died suddenly on Thursday, May 17, 2001, while playing softball at Alma College. Jonathan was born on Jan. 19, 1981, in Midland. He was the son of Warren and Mary Jane Nugent of Bath. He was a sophomore at Alma College, majoring in business administration. Jon graduated with honors from Bath High School in 1999. His accomplishments were many. In addition to being an excellent student, Jonathan was an all-around athlete. While at Bath High School, he earned 14 varsity letters. He was a member of Bath's cross country, basketball, baseball and track teams. He helped his cross country team earn three Class C regional championships, one top five in the state award and two top 10 in the state awards. In his senior season, the Bath High School basketball squad advanced to the state semifinals, in which he played a key role. In track, Jonathan's team earned two regional championships. He qualified for the Class C state track meet in two events his sophomore year and all four of his events during his junior and senior years. During Jon's sophomore year of high school, he became an Eagle Scout and did volunteer work with the Cub Scouts in Bath. He was a national Honor Society officer and earned a military scholarship for college. While at Alma College, Jon earned a varsity letter in cross country and track. He was Alma's top runner in the 400 meter and his relay teams were two of the best in the Michigan Intercollegiate Athletic Association. What he loved most was playing on his intramural football championship team and his softball team. In addition to his family, close friends and team mates, the whole community of Bath and Alma mourn their loss. Jonathan is survived by his parents, Warren and Mary Jane Nugent; sister, Kellie, all of Bath; maternal grandparents, Del Lorraine Mathers of Mount Pleasant; paternal grandparents, John and Dorothy Nugent of Weidman and formerly of Ubly; aunts and uncles, Tom Mathers of Texas, Jerry and Diane Nugent of Davison, Judy and Arn Glaza, Elrae and Jerry Herp of Ubly; cousins, Mark Nugent, Jennifer Nugent and her fiance, Steve, Melinda and Brent Whitman, Greg Kowalski and his fiancée, Tara, Scott Glaza, Chad and Christy Glaza, Amy and David Russell, Betsy and Ben Butzbaugh, Lori and Shannon Flippin, Rachel Herp and Jeralyn Herp. Funeral services will be at 1 p.m. on Monday, May 21, 2001, at the Alma College Chapel. Burial will be at Riverside Cemetery. Visitation is from 2 to 4 p.m. and 7 to 9 p.m. today at the Lux-Moody-Wolfel Funeral Home in Alma and from noon to 1 p.m. on Monday at the chapel. Memorials may be made to the family discretionary fund through the funeral home at 531 North State Street, Alma MI., 48801.