



## Anthony Phillip Thomas

June 28, 1966 - March 3, 2011

Anthony Philip “Tony” Thomas died March 3, 2011 at his home in Ridgley, MD. He was 44.

He was born on June 28, 1966 the son of Philip N. Thomas, Jr. and his wife, Melissa Lynn and the son of Anna “Anni” Rapant Thomas all of Rock Hall, MD.

Mr. Thomas was born at Sacred Heart Hospital in Norristown, PA and raised in Rock Hall, MD. He married Dawn Coleman on July 13, 1991 they lived in Rock Hall, MD until recently moving to Ridgley, MD.

Tony loved his wife, Dawn, and his whole family. He loved looking for old bottles, arrowheads, and rocks from all over the world. He was educated in Rock Hall where he had numerous friends. Tony was an “old soul” with a kind and loving heart.

He was preceded in death by his paternal grandparents and maternal grandparents.

In addition to his parents he is survived by his sons, John Edward Elburn III and his partner, Jeffrey Cesari of Philadelphia, PA, and James “Jamie” T. Elburn and his wife, Allie of Rock Hall, MD; his brother, Christopher “Chris” Thomas of Rock Hall, MD; his sister, Emily Thomas of Rock Hall, MD;

grandchildren, Colby and Jonah Elburn; aunts and uncles, Gerry and Nora LeGendre of Spring Mt. PA, David H. Thomas and Stanley F. Thomas both of West Virginia and Steven A. Thomas of Rock Hall, MD; cousins, Leanne, Margaret, John Henry, Erick, Heather, Carissa, Stephanie, and Jenny; several brother in laws and a sister in law; a niece, Jasmine Marie Thomas and a nephew, Shane Matthew Boyle-Thomas, and very close friend Thomas D. Glenn.

Services will be held on Wednesday, March 9, 2011 at 2:00 PM at Rock Hall United Methodist Church in Rock Hall, MD where relatives and friends may call two hours prior to the service (12-2).

Interment will be in Wesley Chapel Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers contributions may be made to the Humane Society of Kent County, P.O. Box 352, Chestertown, MD 21620 or The Arthritis Foundation Maryland Chapter, 9505 Reisterstown Road, Suite 1 North, Baltimore, MD 21117.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR 9. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Rock Hall United Methodist Church  
5730 Main Street  
Rock Hall, MD

## Service

MAR 9. 2:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Anthony Phillip Thomas*



Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home - March 03, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ *Anthony Phillip Thomas*

October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ *Anthony Phillip Thomas*

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ *Anthony Phillip Thomas*

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM



“ *Tony, you were such a good friend to me years so long ago, you and Dawn and i, we all shared many laughs and good times, i pray that Jamie and John will be strong . I will always remember you...rip###imported-begin##Rhiannon Vinson##imported-end##*

March 14, 2011 at 10:31 PM



“ *Deepest Sympathy & Prayers to the family.##imported-begin##Robin Coleman Reed##imported-end##*

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March 09, 2011 at 11:58 AM



“ *Phil, Melissa and Annie, i am sorry to hear of the loss of your son. we can be comforted that Dawn and Tony are still together. i know you must all be honored to have dawn's children consider you to be their grandparents. please know that all of you will be in my prayers in the coming days, including Emily. a couple "gone too soon" will be truly missed. be blessed.##imported-begin##betty ann glenn##imported-end##*

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March 07, 2011 at 12:01 AM



“ *tony,  
you stepped into a life, with 2 young boys, and stepped up to the best of your knowledge, to raise us right! We had alot of good times, bottle huntin, walkin talkin ..n just being.....you were the one who taught me to luv mother nature, her children, animal and people alike..thank you, dad, you are in my heart n soul##imported-begin##JAMIE ELBURN##imported-end##*

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March 06, 2011 at 09:51 PM



“ *I Love you Dad. I do not know the words to put together. It would be nice to have you show me your latest discovery once more.##imported-begin##John E Elburn III##imported-end##*

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March 06, 2011 at 07:48 PM



“ *My deepest sympathy to the Thomas family and Dawn's family. I hope you find peace and comfort at this time.##imported-begin##Darlene Coking-Borggreen##imported-end##*

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March 06, 2011 at 10:31 AM



“ *So very sorry for your loss. Hope that time will heal your hearts. Susan Elburn Tauscher##imported-begin##Susan Tauscher##imported-end##*

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March 06, 2011 at 08:01 AM



“ *To the Thomas's and to Dawns family and to all of their friends and family;  
Only god has the answers for which we sometimes can never comprehend until we are in his hands.  
Two beautiful lives, two beautiful people, too young.  
Arthur Godfrey, 3606 S. Peninsula Dr. Port Orange Fl 32127##imported-begin##Arthur Godfrey##imported-end##*

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March 06, 2011 at 02:23 AM