



## Daniel D. Dieter

May 10, 1987 - October 11, 2010

Daniel was born into a loving Christian family on Mother's Day, May 10, 1987. He lived with his family in Rhodesdale, Maryland, from 1987 until 2002 when they moved to Trappe, Maryland. He attended Christ Church Pre-School, Wesleyan Christian School through secondary and graduated from Easton High School in 2006. He attended two years at Wesley College in Dover, Delaware, and transferred to University of Maryland in 2008. He was scheduled to graduate in 2010 with a degree in Kinesiology.

Daniel enjoyed football and lacrosse at Easton High School. He went on to play football for two years at Wesley College. After transferring to UMD, he started playing club rugby and enjoyed it immensely. As many who knew him, he was passionate about his fitness and nutrition. In the summers and on school breaks he enjoyed working and training with his father at Close Quarters Defense and was planning to work there after graduation. He was an avid outdoorsman and enjoyed hunting and fishing and most sports. He also took great pride in his vehicles.

He attended First Wesleyan Church in Easton, MD, and most recently Stone's Throw Church, in Middletown, DE with his fiancée.

In addition to his mother, Barbara Bodycot Dieter, and father, Duane Paul Dieter, he is survived by his brother, Devin and sister, Diana, who he loved

and who both loved him very much. He is also survived by his loving paternal grandparents, Jane and Paul Dieter of Rhodesdale, Maryland and his loving maternal grandparents, Claire and Robert Bodycot of Newark, Delaware. He is also survived by his Uncle David Dieter, his Auntie Dawn Steward, her husband, Gregg, and cousins Jaki and Graham, and Uncle Bill Bodycot, his wife Ginna, and cousins Will and Katie and many distant relatives. He is also survived by his fiancée, Brooke Tadlock, whom he had planned to marry next summer after graduation. He had many, many close friends.

Services will be held on Saturday, October 16 at St. Mark's United Methodist Church in Easton at 2:00 pm, where friends may call from 12:00 – 2:00 pm.

Burial will be at Oxford Cemetery, Oxford, MD.

Donations can be made in Daniel's name to First Wesleyan Church, 620 Goldsborough Street, Easton, MD 21601 or Support our Sports - Football Adopt a Sport (for Easton High) and mailed to 29298 Woodridge Drive, Easton, MD 21601.

Arrangements by Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home, P.A. in Easton.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT **16**. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

St. Mark's United Methodist Church  
100 Peach Blossom Road  
Easton, MD

## Service

OCT **16**. 2:00 PM (ET)

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Easton, MD

# Tribute Wall



“ *Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Daniel D. Dieter*



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**Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home** - October 11, 2010 at 12:00 AM



“ *Daniel D. Dieter*

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October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ *Daniel D. Dieter*

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January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ *Daniel D. Dieter*

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January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM



“ *Dear Dieter Family,  
I was so sorry to hear of the loss of your son. Please know that all my prayers are with you at this very sad time.  
Sincerely,  
Charlene##imported-begin##Charlene Costello##imported-end##*

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October 18, 2010 at 11:03 AM



“ Dear Dieter Family,

*We are very sorry for your pain and lost of your son*

*My son Jonathan had classes at Wesley with Dan and he became fast friends with him and related wonderful stories of their times together.*

*I wanted you to know that in the short time that Jon knew Dan he had a great impact on his life. Jon is remembering him now and will always.*

*God be with you during this difficult time.*

*Fran and Ed Salacuse##imported-begin##Fran and Ed Salacuse##imported-end##*

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October 17, 2010 at 11:40 PM



“ Duane and family: I'm sure that words are meaningless to you now. Know that we will hold your family in prayer - for God's comfort, grace and peace. Praise God that we don't live as others that have no hope. I am so grateful for God's awesome promise to bring us home to Him in splendor. Look forward to the day when you will all be together again##imported-begin##Chuck and Joy Dayton##imported-end##

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October 17, 2010 at 11:15 PM



“ Duane, Although I havent seen you in many years, my thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. Sometimes in our lives things just dont make sense. Friends can help and you have many, my friend. Bill Elliott###imported-begin##Bill Elliott###imported-end##

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October 16, 2010 at 07:13 AM



“ Duane and Barbara Dieter -

*I know of the loss of your precious son because he touched the lives of my precious son and daughter and their friends. I didn't know Dan personally, except through the many accounts of others, accounts that usually sounded something like this: "When he was in the room, everyone was smiling," and "What a great, great person. A truly good person," or "He always had a smile on his face."*

*I felt compelled to post here to let you know that others hurt for you, cry with you. And while we watch your grief, paralyzed and unable to actually do anything for you, we are here in spirit with you, uplifting you.*

*Others cannot begin to fathom your pain. We remember our own distant griefs, remember the relief that sleep could finally bring, only to be jarred back to reality upon awakening.*

*Now our prayer for you is that you cling to the beautiful memories that Dan -- with his passion for life and his extraordinarily kind heart -- helped to create. In this way, Dan truly is forever with you. This is the spirit, the essence that can never be erased. And I can just bet from all that I have heard about your Sun, that he would have wanted you to quickly reach a place where you can smile once again.*

*Sent with the Love of a Mother's Heart...*

*God Bless You.##imported-begin##Jessica Silva##imported-end##*

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October 16, 2010 at 01:43 AM



“ We are so sorry for your loss. Our son, Daniel is in Iraq, and could not be here. You are in our prayers and will continue to be.  
Sincerely,  
Dan Robin & Daniel Spielman##imported-begin##Dan & Robin  
Spielman##imported-end##

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October 15, 2010 at 05:36 PM



“ Oh how we will miss that beautiful smile, that infectious laugh, that kind heart, the priceless friendship.  
Bobby wishes he could be here to say goodbye. But your soul can hear him, feel his sorrow.  
You will be missed much.##imported-begin##Cusworth  
family##imported-end##

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October 15, 2010 at 04:27 PM



“ Dearest Dieter Family,

*Please accept our most sincere condolences in your time of great sorrow.*

*Our son Christopher (EHS 08) played lacrosse with Dan.*

*As you probably know, Dan was an incredible inspiration and role model for his fellow players-especially for our son Chris, who was always in awe of his playing style, strength and terrific all around character. We are so grateful our son has had the great fortune to be so positively influenced by such a wonderful young man as your beloved son, Dan.*

*May the Lord continue to comfort your family. Our prayers are with you. always.*

*The Mathis Family*

*Trappe, MD##imported-begin##Mathis Family##imported-end##*

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October 15, 2010 at 01:05 PM



“ *To the Dieter Family: My son, Bart Phillips, was a student of Duane's many years ago. I remember seeing your children when they were very young. My heart is so heavy thinking about the pain you must feel. God is holding you in His hands.##imported-begin##Sheila Wainwright##imported-end##*

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October 14, 2010 at 02:49 PM



“ I'm so sorry for your loss. You and your family are in my thoughts and prayers.

Sincerely,  
Angela Handley  
The Boychuk's little sister.##imported-begin##Angela Handley##imported-end##

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October 14, 2010 at 09:48 AM



“ Dear Barbie and Duane & family,

Our love and prayers are with you and we share your pain for the loss of a precious son. We will keep you in our prayers.##imported-begin##Glenn and Judy Wright & family##imported-end##

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October 14, 2010 at 08:41 AM



“ Duane,  
My heart goes out to you, your wife and family. I can not imagine being in your shoes right now! This is something no parent should ever have to go through, and it sounds like he was a wonderful son. You are all in my thoughts, hold each memory of your son in your heart forever.

Fondly,

Sylvia##imported-begin##Sylvia Behlke Trice##imported-end##

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October 13, 2010 at 03:53 PM



“ *Dieter Family: I am so sorry for your loss. I graduated with your son and was shocked to hear of this death. My sincerest sympathies and prayers go out to you.##imported-begin##Erica Horney##imported-end##*

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October 13, 2010 at 01:38 PM



“ *To the Dieter Family:*

*Your family has our deepest sympathy with your loss. Our oldest son (Wesley) graduated high school with Dieter. Know that you are in our prayers for the strength to get through this time of sorrow. Sincerely, Bobby, Vickie, Wesley, Wade & Jennifer##imported-begin##The Sharp Family##imported-end##*

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October 13, 2010 at 01:01 PM



“ *Dear Dieter Family,*  
*Words don't even begin to touch the grief you are feeling now. The loss is tremendous. Please know that our family mourns with you, but also rejoices that we have family together in the presence of Jesus, experiencing what we all hope to experience one day. Our love and prayers go out to you -- as you have done for us.##imported-begin##Marilyn Searcey##imported-end##*

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October 13, 2010 at 12:17 PM



“ Our thoughts and prayers are with the entire Dieter family, as well as the other special friends in his life. Losing someone special at such a young age is hard to understand. I hope the fond memories of Dan will help guide you through this difficult time.##imported-begin##Robin Staehli Wilson & Bradley Wilson##imported-end##

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October 13, 2010 at 11:17 AM



“ Dear Dieter family,

We are so very sorry for your loss and your entire family is in our prayers. Diana, please know that Chris wants to be with you in the worst way. I hated giving him in the news through e-mail but could not telephone him in Australia. He said to tell you how sad that he is and is praying for you and wishes he could be with you. God Bless you all,

Chris McQuay and family##imported-begin##Becky Schmidt##imported-end##

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October 13, 2010 at 11:11 AM



“ My deepest condolences to the family and friends of Dan. Dan will truly be missed. He was a kid that no matter how bad your day was going his smile just put you in a good mood. The Entire Wesley College Football Team will forever remember Dan and everything he brought into this world.

Chris Barnes '06##imported-begin##Chris Barnes##imported-end##

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October 13, 2010 at 10:53 AM



“ To the Entire Dieter Family, We are truly devastated to hear the tragic news of Daniel's passing. We can't even begin to imagine what your family is going through, but our prayers are with you. May God's abiding love continue to surround you and help ease the pain through this most difficult time.##imported-begin##Gabe, Joan, Monica, Kathy & Julie Cesarini##imported-end##

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October 13, 2010 at 10:40 AM



“ We will have so many fond memories of Dieter and watching him play football. He grew into a remarkable young man and he will truly be missed by all of his friends. There are no words that we can say that will help with your grief just know that our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family at this time.##imported-begin##Missy & Brian Creighton##imported-end##

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October 13, 2010 at 07:33 AM



“ To all of you dear dear friends-can't imagine what you are going through. Please know that we are hurting with you and are lifting you up in prayer each day.##imported-begin##Karen and Calvin Hill##imported-end##

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October 13, 2010 at 07:08 AM



“ To our neighbors in the woods. We all were devastated to hear about Dan. Know that you are in our thoughts and prayers.

Mary, Ephraim, Heather and girls.##imported-begin##Diefenderfers##imported-end##

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October 12, 2010 at 07:23 PM



“ Dear Dieter Family, Daniel was such a great person. We are truly devastated for your loss. We have such fond memories of Dan as a teenager, especially when he helped build the giant pole barn near Denton with Nevan and Bryan. Nevan thought so much of your family and his friendship with Dan. You are in our thoughts and prayers.##imported-begin##Connie##imported-end##

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October 12, 2010 at 05:24 PM



“ Deepest Sympathy to the whole Dieter Family in your great time of loss. Daniel was a wonderful boy and a tragedy to lose.##imported-begin##Jimmy, Karen, Tim and Candi Callahan##imported-end##

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October 12, 2010 at 03:30 PM



“ Oh, God bless each of you! I know your grief is so enormous even my heart is feeling your pain. I will remember his handsome face at CQD with my daughter & nephews. Praying that God's love comfort each of you through this time.##imported-begin##Rhonda Riggleman Corder##imported-end##

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October 12, 2010 at 02:31 PM