



Jonathan Richardson

March 9, 2010

Sgt. Jonathan J. Richardson (Dunigan) age 24 was born Dec. 24, 1985. He died on March 9, 2010 in Afghanistan in the line of duty with the U.S. Army. Jonathan will receive the Purple Heart and Bronze Star for his actions while serving in Afghanistan.

He is survived by his loving wife and companion Rachel; his parents Sharon and James Dunigan; his brother Jason and sister Jasmine; by his father Jeffery Richardson; his grandparents Edna and Ken Martin and grandmothers Patsy Dunigan and Lucille Richardson. He is preceded in death by his grandfathers Jared Cobb and Linuel Dunigan. Jonathan has many loved ones that include his aunts, uncles, cousins and friends who will miss him greatly.

There will be a family only viewing at Powell Funeral Home in Searcy, from 5-6 p.m. on Monday, March 22, and public visitation from 6-8 p.m.. His funeral will be held 10:00 a.m. Tuesday with interment at the Arkansas Veterans Cemetery in North Little Rock. His dad, James Dunigan, will officiate the funeral services. www.powellfuneralhome.net

Tribute Wall



“ Rachel, you do not know me but I too served with the Regiment your Jonathan was so proud of and that was sixty years ago in a place called Korea. The 187th Rakkasans continue to prove worthy of the title, Right of the Line. My wife and I will be attending your husbands services as a representative of the Rakkasan Association known at Ft. Campbell as the Golden Rakkasans. We send our condolences and want you to know if there is anything we can do for you please do not hesitate to call on us. Remember; GOD speaks to us every day. We must have faith to hear HIM!

May 04, 2016 at 07:44 PM



“ On be half all of 101st ariborne moms we are with you in spirit and prayer,101ST 1-187 Christopher Shaul says a band of the brothers will never be broken you will always be by our side Brother ,Thank you Richardson family for letting us all fight for what we believe in freedom for our family..Jonathan,HOOAH

February 10, 2016 at 05:30 PM



“ To the entire family, we are praying for you all. I have a son that served in the 189th National Guard Unit in South Arkansas. I cannot imagine what you are going thru but I would like to say Thank You for his service and his bravery. May God Place His Loving Arms around each of you and help you to find peace during this difficult time. God is the All Knowing and only He can heal your pain. He will always be a TRUE HERO

March 24, 2010 at 12:00 AM



“ Rachel, I never really thought this day would ever come. It still shocks me to know this. I want you to know that Jonathan will forever live in my heart for his service for our country. Thank you for being one of the best friends I have ever had girl and I love you and You will get through this for God in watching over you and so is Jonathan. I pray every night for you girl. R.I.P. Sgt. Jonathan J. Richardson. I love you, Rich.

March 23, 2010 at 12:00 AM



“ I do not know you all, but feel your pain, knowing God is your Refuge a help and strength. we had a son in the Navy over 20 years and are so thankful he came back to us. God only knows why He took this young man Home so soon, but Rest In His Promise that He will never leave nor forsake you, Ever!!!One day, soon, we hope, we will all gather together in that heavenly Home and Rejoice! Til then....Keep Pressing on! Bless each of you and may the sweet Holy Spirit comfort you, in Jesus' name. Yours in The Faith

March 23, 2010 at 12:00 AM



“ Dear Richardson family, you do not know me but I feel your pain. I lost my brother February 3, 2010, when his helicopter crashed in Mannheim,Germany. I am so sorry to hear about your loss. I know you are struggling with the reality of all this right now but take comfort in the overwhelming support from your friends, family, and even strangers. Our heros are together in heaven and are watching over us. Even though we cannot understand why this happened, please know they will live on through us every day until we meet them again. Peace be with you.

March 23, 2010 at 12:00 AM



“ You do not know me but my heart has cried for your loss many times. I find myself thinking of your son and what this must be like for you to endure. My prayers are with you all.

March 22, 2010 at 12:00 AM



“ Rachel,

We're praying for you during this time. We love you cuz.

March 22, 2010 at 12:00 AM



“ My thoughts are with your family. From the bottom of my heart, "thank you" for the sacrifice that Jonathan made for my freedom! May you have comfort in knowing that he died with such great honor for his country.

March 22, 2010 at 12:00 AM



“ May you find comfort and peace through the many thoughts, prayers, deeds and inadequate words lovingly offered up for you. God had a plan for Jonathan to be the hero he is. Thank you for supporting his service to us all. We love you.

March 22, 2010 at 12:00 AM



“ *To the Richardson family,
Even though I have never met you or your family, your son has
been in my prayers. My nephew is in Afganistan now and I pray for
him and all the soldiers that are fighting to protect our freedom. My
heart goes out to you for your loss.
Respectfully,
Judy Roberts*

March 22, 2010 at 12:00 AM



“ *James Riley and family,

Thinking of you and family during this difficult time. God bless.
Denise*

March 21, 2010 at 12:00 AM