



Jacob D. Southerland

March 10, 2006

Jacob D. SOUTHERLAND. Jesus has called another angel home. Jacob was born on January 14, 1993 in Cincinnati, Ohio. On March 10, 2006 he went home to heaven from Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh, PA. Jacob endured a lifelong battle with Cystic Fibrosis. Jacob lived his life to the fullest during his 13 years. He was educated at St. Peter in Chains and Adams Elementary, both in Hamilton. He enjoyed swimming, football, video games and spending many holidays at his Aunt Tammy's with his cousins. He was a lifelong member of St. Peter in Chains Church in Hamilton. He leaves behind his mother, Terri Southerland; maternal brother, Matthew Lawrence; grandmother Myrtle Taylor; father Joseph Southerland; half-brothers Justin, Joe and Andrew Southerland; grandparents, Charles and Virginia Southerland; adopted grandmother, Pauline Kidd; godmother, Rita Fontaine. He also leaves his Uncle Frank and his son, Frank; a special friend, Billy Campbell; and many other aunts, uncles, cousins and friends. He is preceded in death by his grandfather, Frank Taylor. Special thanks to the nurses, doctors, respiratory therapists and technicians at his second home, Children's Hospitals in Cincinnati and Pittsburgh for their care. Heartfelt thanks to Drs. Barbara Chini, Geoffrey Kurland, and Peter Michaelson, transplant coordinator, Kathy Urlando, social workers Karen and Jenny, nurses Gerry and Jeannie and all other nurses on 6th North and 6th South of Children's in Cincinnati and the respiratory therapist, Mark and Ryan, also of Cincinnati and the nurses of 7th North and PICU at Children's of Pittsburgh. Visitation will be held on Monday,

March 13, 2006 at Weigel Funeral Home, 980 NW Washington Blvd. from 5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. Mass of Christian Burial will be held at St. Peter in Chains, 382 Liberty Ave., Hamilton at 10:00 a.m., Tuesday, March 14, 2006 with interment at Greenwood Cemetery. The family suggests the memorials to be made to Children's Hospital Cystic Fibrosis Clinic, 3333 Burnet Ave., Cincinnati OH 45229, or St. Peter in Chains in Jacob's memory.