

In Loving Memories

**In Loving Memory of
Benny L. Phillips**
My way of grieving for a person who was good.

- Lord, I miss you more than I ever thought possible.
- And now I am left to cherish all the memories you left me over and over again every day and night.
- I will always remember how you helped me get started in life.
- How our hardships in life brought us even closer together.
- Our boyhood times together with all the secrets we shared.
- I always looked to you as "my big brother".
- Those years of trial I saw you working hard and trying to live the right life with family.
- The many trips we took together and the great fun we had.
- The times we lived together and the fun and parties we enjoyed.
- All those times you would make me laugh until I cried.
- How deeply believing your thoughts were.
- Our houseboat trips on the lake, gosh we were happy, in good health and having a ball, and you loved being the captain.
- You were a person I could talk to when I needed you to listen.
- The many nights we talked together and you missed your children.
- The times you made me sad because you were lonely when we talked.
- That certain smile you had I will never forget.
- A person you could rely on.
- Your voice so soft and so deep.
- A person who loved family and his Mother and Dad.
- The moments when we smiled together and also when we shed tears.
- And I really miss especially this past year always before we hang up

you would sign off saying "I love you brother". I just want you to know that this made my night happy but I also sensed you maybe leaving.

- I always envied you looking so handsome and making all the ladies swoon.
- A person who had a voice for music.
- I was always proud to call you "my brother".
- Looking back you told many of us you were leaving in your very own way.
- I only wanted your handmade wallet and I read those words you pressed inside "God walk with me". I will treasure it always as well as keep.
- In closing brother Bart you left me too many memories too huge to either count or print.
- I don't think so much about the things that could have been different because no man lives that does not need improvement.
- The good thing about you is what I remember because I see the goodness you left behind.
- How could I ask for more?

Your Brother Bradley

In Memory of Christ's Birthday
By Lora W. Hamilton
I do not know the month our Lord was born.

But I do know He came to die for all our sins.

So as we celebrate his Birthday, I'm so proud that He was born. My family have all gone to meet Him.

On that great resurrection day, They will see each other. When the trumpet sounds. And every one meets. All will lay their burden at his feet. And there I will be.

He was born in a lonely manger
There we will stand by the master
with his hands.
He holds this golden book with the
names written with blood.
No one with sin can enter in.

Dressed in white I knew my name
is written in gold in that Big
Book.
The Lord is the only one the can
remove it.
In all His glory I will be waiting for
the Lord to come for me.

both in Winchester.
Thanks to all of you for support-
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time.

The Family of John Rader,
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grandchildren

So Greatly Appreciated
Robert Allen

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The Family of Robert Allen

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for the church on December 14th. We
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a Merry Christmas.
The Mt. Vernon Church of God

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