



John Todd Vance

July 8, 1964 - December 17, 2006

Todd Vance, 42, beloved husband, father, son, brother and friend, departed this life on Sunday, December 17, 2006. Todd was a graduate of the University of Maryland and an avid Maryland Terrapins fan.

Todd is survived by his loving wife Corinne, daughter Shawna Lynne, the apple of his eye, father and step-mother John & Debbie, brother Kevin & sister-in-law Bonnie, father-in-law and mother-in-law Ken & Janet Daley, sisters-in-law Robin Wrenn and Suzanne Damron, brother-in-law Bill Damron, nieces & nephews: Erin & Josh, Christian & Caitlyn Wrenn, Katie, Kenny & Jake Damron, along with a host of other relatives and friends. Todd was pre-deceased by his mother Lynne Smallen.

The family will receive friends Thursday from 7-8pm in Loving Funeral Home, Churchland. A memorial service will be held Friday at 1:00 pm at Wave Church in Virginia Beach. Burial will be private. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in memory of Todd to Special Olympics of Va, 1 Columbus Center, Ste 600, Virginia Beach 23462.

You are so loved and will be so missed - we love you baby

Tribute Wall



“ Kevin, and Johnnie ...just now discovered your loss. We are stunned and saddened by the news. We have many unanswered questions . Many years have passed since we have had contact with you, but you and your family will always be a part of ours. You all along with Corrine and Shawna will be in our thoughts and prayers. We still miss Lynn not being in our world, and now Todd. It would have been an honor to have known him as an adult. If he was like his mother he had a very kind giving nature. God bless you and your family Kevin.. love pat and Larry, Mitch, Troy and Jana.##imported-begin##Larry and Patricia Maxson Mitch, Troy and Jana ##imported-end##

February 02, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ You will be missed. May God Bless your family who survives you.##imported-begin##Veronica King##imported-end##

December 26, 2006 at 12:00 AM



“ Please accept our deepest regrets over the loss of Todd. We were all shocked at the news. You and the family are in our prayers. We'll see you at the reunion.
Love, CJ, Karen, Scott and Michele

Todd, GO TERPS!##imported-begin##Cliff Cousin C.J. Falcon##imported-end##

December 26, 2006 at 12:00 AM



“ Todd was a wonderful friend and person. We started at COX together. Through the years we have gone different ways but the memory of how kind he was stays with me. God Bless##imported-begin##Argeon Kelly##imported-end##

December 26, 2006 at 12:00 AM



“ Dear Mrs. Vance,
I was stunned today when you told me about the sudden death of your husband. Part of the joy of being a Pharmacist is getting to know the families that I care for. I am profoundly saddened by your terrible loss. Mr. Vance was always so friendly and personable. While in church this Christmas Eve I said a special prayer just for you and your family. I hope it will bring you comfort in some small way. Sincerely, Sue Gibson, Farm Fresh Pharmacy##imported-begin##Sue Gibson##imported-end##

December 24, 2006 at 12:00 AM



“ Todd was a wonderful friend. He was always ready to laugh. He made working at Cox a bit easier by just being him. He will be missed.##imported-begin##Joleen Y Melanovich##imported-end##

December 23, 2006 at 12:00 AM



“ I had the pleasure of working with Todd at Cox Communications. Todd shown through as a terrific person as well as a dependable co-worker.

Our missing him cannot compare with yours. Because of God's grace and promises, I will always think of Todd as with us. May God's grace and spirit touch you and your family.##imported-begin##Robert & Vicki Kemble##imported-end##

December 22, 2006 at 12:00 AM



“ Corinne, Shawna, Johnnie and family,

Todd will always hold a special place in my heart. I grew up as a teenager enjoying him as a baby. The many times we had family gatherings and one of the greatest kids to babysit. he is especially remembered to me for being my ringbearer at our wedding. I'll always remember the Christmas you and the family dropped by on Christmas day and Corinne was due in 5-6 weeks. We had just had Leyda and we had her all of 30 minutes that Christmas when you came. How special for us to share that time together. We love you all and will pray for you at this difficult time. Shawna will always be reminded by all of us what an important member of our family that Todd was. May God Bless you all. Love, Annie & Clif##imported-begin##Annie & Clif Vertz##imported-end##

December 22, 2006 at 12:00 AM



“ Please accept my deepest and heartfelt sympathy for your loss. Even though time and distance came between the “Crowd” from Churchland High School, we all are connected by a special bond and feel the gratitude and honor to have had Todd in our lives! God bless you and your family.
Karen Cooper Gauthier
Class of '83
Karen Cooper Gauthier

December 22, 2006 at 12:00 AM



“ To the Vance and Daley families:

I am so sorry for your loss, and I know the holidays will be hard for you. I have not seen Todd in quite a while, but I always enjoyed his company. My family and I will keep you in our prayers.

December 22, 2006 at 12:00 AM



“ My buddy Todd, We had so many good times joking, laughing, working on numerous telephone troubles, kicking field goals at the football field, calling each other for either music trivia, while on a ride at an amusement park ride, during a concert. I will especially miss our weekly college football talks. You will be missed.

December 22, 2006 at 12:00 AM



“ I am so saddened by the sudden passing of Todd. My thoughts and prayers go out to his family and may you find peace over this holiday season knowing he is looking down on you from heaven.##imported-begin##Jessica Baeten##imported-end##

December 22, 2006 at 12:00 AM



“ To the family: I was deeply sadden to hear of Todd's passing away. He was so young and loved by all of the family. To think we saw him & you and Uncle Jimmie's services and the kind words Johnnie said about Jimmie and my father. And again at the reunion. Our thoughts are with you during your loss.##imported-begin##Yvonne his cousin##imported-end##

December 22, 2006 at 12:00 AM



“ Corinne, we will see you at the Memorial Service. We cannot express how sorry we are loosing your beloved Todd.

Psalm 71:3 "Be to me a rock of refuge, a strong fortress, to save me, for you are my rock and my fortress" This psalm 71:1-6 will guide you through this time in your life. I have you and your family in my prayers.##imported-begin##Carmen, Dan, Pam Lee##imported-end##

December 21, 2006 at 12:00 AM



“ *What can I say about Todd Vance; other than him being a fun loving person who I could always count on to answer all my voice mail questions.*

Other than him being able to really toss a football!! Man he could really throw!!

Other than both of us being Maryland Terrapin fans, and please, never call it a turtle.

Other than him knowing every hip-hop song and artist from the 80?s on up?.

Other than him seeing me in a foul mood and saying ?Hey dude a quick game of PIG?, and we would shoot NERF basketball hoops in his cube.

Other than him saying, ?Hey lets go to lunch?, and I would say ? nah maybe next time?, and of course he would say, ?Man come on I, its on me.?

Other than him bopping over to my cube and making me, draw a tattoo on his leg with a magic-marker, just to see how it would look.

Other than him always challenging me in some way with, ?Hey, bet you can?t hit that shot!?!?, or ?You?ll never be able to do that.?

Other than him letting me hit from the women?s T when we played golf or ignoring a stroke or 2 or 3 or 4.

Other than him teaching me, at 30-something years old, how to throw a curve ball, at the job?.inside the building.?

Other than him truly being able to empathize with, understand and share my personal triumphs and failures as a man.

So again I pose the question, what can I say about Todd Vance? I would have to say, not much.

Simply because mere words will never capture the love and professional respect that he and I shared over the years.

We will all miss you Todd Vance.

I will miss you Todd Vance.

Eric L. Dickerson

Switch Department

Cox Communications###imported-begin##Eric Dickerson###imported-end##

December 21, 2006 at 12:00 AM



“ I worked with Todd at the Cox Test Desk a few years ago and will always remember his laugh and quick wit.

Please accept my deepest sympathy on Todd's passing; I will keep you and your family in my thoughts and prays.

Yours truly, Joe Craven###imported-begin##Joe Craven###imported-end##

December 21, 2006 at 12:00 AM



“ To say I was shocked and saddened to hear of Todd's passing would be an understatement. He was one of the truly good people you come across in life and my life is better for knowing him. My condolences to his family for your loss..###imported-begin##Andy Radcliffe###imported-end##

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“ Corinne and Shawna, we love you and will be praying for you. Even when things settle, we will be here for you. With great love from Marlon, Latonya, Victoria and Taylor Sterling.###imported-begin##Sterling Family###imported-end##

December 21, 2006 at 12:00 AM



“ Corrine, Shawna and family of Todd Vance, my deepest sympathies go out to you all. Todd was a great person, co-worker, and my friend. I miss him dearly.##imported-begin##Kimberly Wright##imported-end##

December 21, 2006 at 12:00 AM



“ Corinne, Shawna & Family:
We are so sorry about your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with you. Corinne, please know how much we care about you. Love, Petra & Bob##imported-begin##Petra & Bob Armour##imported-end##

December 21, 2006 at 12:00 AM



“ Corrine, Shawna and Family,

I am saddened to hear of your loss. I wish I were able to be there with you. You are in my heart, thoughts and prayers.

Love you,
Sandy##imported-begin##Sandy Cate##imported-end##

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“ Todd was one of the great ones. He will be missed in the switch and by all of the people who knew him at Cox. My deepest sympathy to Todd's family and friend.##imported-begin##Don Wilson##imported-end##

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“ Words cannot express how shocked and how sorry I am for the loss of your best friend, Corinne. Endless prayers surround you and Shawna by people you do not even know. You are so loved and adored.

Much Love,
Susie###imported-begin###Susie Hawthorne###imported-end##

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“ John, Debbie we are so sorry for your loss. The boys are here for Christmas and last night we talked about the great times we had skying when the guys were young.
Our prayers will be with you and your family. Bill & Patty###imported-begin###Bill & Patty OConnor###imported-end##

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“ Todd and his family will always have a place in my heart. He was a great co-worker and a close friend. I will miss him dearly.###imported-begin###Shaw Mounce & Family###imported-end##

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“ When Todd answered the phone.I could hear the joy in his voice and i could feel the friendship. He will be missed.###imported-begin###Troy Belcher###imported-end##

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“ We extend our deepest sympathy to the Vance family. Our thoughts and prayers are with you during this very difficult time.##imported-begin##Marvin & Dorothy Brangan##imported-end##

December 20, 2006 at 12:00 AM



“ My deepest condolences go out to to Vance family and friends. We all will surely miss his wonderful loving spirit. Another angel has been called home.##imported-begin##Lamonica Smith##imported-end##

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“ My thoughts and prayers go out to you Corinne and your family. Todd was a great friend and will truly be missed by many.##imported-begin##Eric Stritzinger##imported-end##

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“ My prayers will include Corinne and Shawna in the coming days. May you find comfort in the many happy moments that you shared together.##imported-begin##Kathy Cramer##imported-end##

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“ Todd was always quick to say hello when he saw someone. He will truly be missed.##imported-begin##John Hornung##imported-end##

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“ My deepest condolence and sympathy to Corrine, Shawna and family.
Todd was more than a co-worker, he is a great friend and surely is missed.##imported-begin##George Desiderio##imported-end##

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“ Corinne, I am very sorry for your loss. My condolences and healing prayers are sent out to you, Shawna Lynne and your extended family. Spirit is guiding him forward. Todd is greatly missed by many both at Cox and in his social circles. One memory I have is watching him having a great time with friends and family at Jillian?s Waterside. Love and Peace, Dan##imported-begin##Dan Stellmach##imported-end##

December 20, 2006 at 12:00 AM



“ Corinne, I am so shocked and saddened by your loss. Todd was far too young to die, but God must have had a need for him. You and Shawna are in my prayers and I will be talking to you soon. I have missed seeing you!

Lots of love,
Amy##imported-begin##Amy Robinson##imported-end##

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“ Corinne and Shawna,

Words cannot express the sadness I feel for you and your family at this time. You are all in my thoughts and prayers.##imported-begin##Sherrie Harris##imported-end##

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“ Corinne - I am very sorry to hear about your husband's passing. My deepest sympathies to you and Shawna and the rest of your family.##imported-begin##Jennifer Nowakowski##imported-end##

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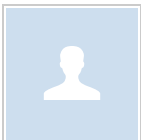
“ Corrine - you and Shawna are in my thoughts and prayers. My deepest sympathy to all the family.##imported-begin##Tina Bernstein##imported-end##

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“ We are so sorry to hear about Todd's passing. Our prayers and condolences to everyone. A special prayer for Corinne and Shawna on their loss.##imported-begin##Faye & Sid Bass##imported-end##

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“ I am so deeply saddened by this. Todd old friend I hope you find peace and watch over your beautiful wife and daughter Shawna from your heaven. You left too early in life, I pray you will find peace.##imported-begin##Jennifer Harvey##imported-end##

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“ Corinne and Shawna,
Our deepest sympathy is with you and family. Todd was a treasured friend and neighbor. We already miss him dearly.
We love you Todd.
Bob, Nancy, Kaitlyn, and Madison##imported-begin##Nancy and Bob Brunner##imported-end##

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“ Believing God to bring great comfort and peace to the Vance family as well as friends and relatives of which he was dear to.##imported-begin##Latonya Sterling##imported-end##

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“ I would like to offer my deepest condolences for your loss. Todd is going to be missed at Cox as a co-worker and a friend. Even though I did not know Todd for very long, his personality made you feel like you were old friends. Todd was a team player and a great person.

David Denton
ROC Manager##imported-begin##David Denton##imported-end##

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“ My deepest sympathy to the family. Todd was a co-worker, but he treated everyone like a friend. He will be greatly missed.##imported-begin##Terry Guy##imported-end##

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“ Todd was a good friend who was never to busy that he could not take time to help us. He is already missed. Our thoughts and prayers go out to his family.##imported-begin##Les Sorey##imported-end##

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“ Todd was such a special person and friend to everyone at Cox. Whenever you needed a favor, he was there for you. His family is in my prayers and he will be deeply missed.##imported-begin##Linda Young##imported-end##

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“ Johnny, Debbie, Kevin and Corrine - Our thoughts and prayers are you with during this difficult time. Wish we could be there with you.##imported-begin##MaryAnne & Daniel Lawrie##imported-end##

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“ I am very sorry for your loss. He will be missed by all his co workers.##imported-begin##Chuck Wilburn##imported-end##

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“ Todd was a great friend. He is missed and will be remembered by me always. My deepest sympathy and prayers to the family and friends of Todd.##imported-begin##Bob Roeser##imported-end##

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“ *My deepest condolences to the family. Todd was a very good friend and co-worker to many people here at Cox. He will be greatly missed.##imported-begin##Suzette Johnson##imported-end##*

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“ *Todd was well loved and will be sorely missed. He touched the lives of countless people, all in a positive way.*

We miss you.##imported-begin##Brian Babb##imported-end##

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