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**G**RIFFITH III, Theodore Eckhart; “Coach” Age 54 of Hendersonville, TN; July 5, 1957 – December 22, 2011. He was a 1975 graduate of Goodlettsville High School and a Bachelor’s recipient at Tennessee State University. He was a loyal educator, coach and art teacher at Hawkins Middle School in Hendersonville, TN for 31 years. He was an accomplished artist and a talented craftsman. He is survived by his daughter, Sarah Jo Griffith; brother, Stephen Guy Griffith; nephew, Benjamin Lawrence Griffith. He was preceded in death by: parents, Anita Jo Sears Griffith and Theodore Eckhardt Griffith, II; nephew, Bradley Ryan Griffith. A Graveside service (all welcome) will be held at Spring Hill Cemetery today, Friday December 23rd at 2PM. Memorial/Celebration of Life Service will be Sunday, January 8, 2012, 2pm Hawkins Middle School. In lieu of flowers please make contributions to: T.E. Griffith Fine Arts Memorial Fund (Hawkins Middle School) Arrangements by: SPRING HILL FUNERAL HOME & CEMETERY 5110 Gallatin Road at Briley Parkway, Nashville, TN 37216 (615)865-1101 [www.springhillfh.com](http://www.springhillfh.com)




# Events


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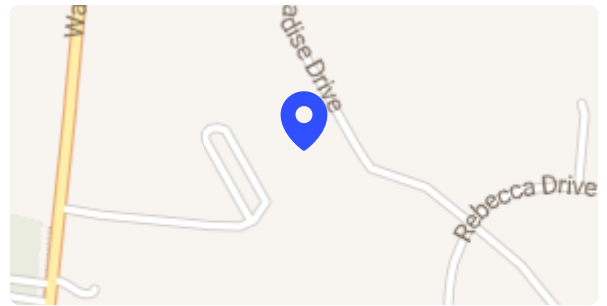
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## Celebration of Life Memorial Service

 **Sunday**, January 8, 2012

 2:00 PM CT

 **Hawkins Middle School**  
487A Walton Ferry Road, Hendersonville, TN TN  
37075





## Tribute Wall

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**Anonymous** posted:

We all love you, coach. I am certain that I can speak for everyone when saying that. Thank you for teaching me everything I know about art and always being there for me. You are forever in our hearts and you will never be forgotten. Lorin Cantrell

January 15 at 1:12 AM



**Anonymous** posted:

i am praying for your family. -6th grader at Hawkins middle Madison Bumpus

January 8 at 8:30 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

Gone much too soon..My sympathies to Sarah Jo.. Paula Tollett

December 23 at 3:06 PM



## **Memories only last if you share them**

Join us in honoring Theodore by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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