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Christian Andrew Owens, Age 36 of Nashville, TN passed away suddenly on Tuesday January 31, 2012. He was born in Memphis on September 24, 1975. He was preceded in death by his mother, Suzanne Holloway. He is survived by his father, Robert "Bob" (Mary) Owens and girlfriend, Alicia Nicole Welsch. He leaves behind a large number of friends and family from the Nashville area and abroad. He was best known as an artist, and creative thinker who loved people. A memorial service will be held on Sunday February 5, 2012 at 1PM in the Chapel of Spring Hill Funeral Home where The Contributor vendors and staff will serve as honorary pallbearers. Tom Hopper will officiate and offer words of comfort. Statement from The Contributor regarding Andrew Owens' death: "Today, at The Contributor, we grieve the tragic loss of Andrew Owens, who, according to police, was struck and killed this morning while crossing the street after exiting a bus. Andrew was a vendor of The Contributor newspaper which is sold by homeless and formerly homeless newspaper vendors. His personable, artistic and earth-conscious spirit will be missed. We ask for your thoughts and prayers for Andrew, those who loved him, the driver of the vehicle and all of the service professionals who attended to him today. And, we ask for your support for all who experience homelessness in Nashville."



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Jennifer P Hawkins posted:

I found out the night you left and ever since there is an empty place in my heart. I miss you and I love you .

August 27 at 1:48 AM



Anonymous posted:

I didn't find out about this until I recently visited some friends in Memphis, and I was devastated to hear it. He was a dear, close friend of mine for years and taught me a lot about life, people, and myself. It makes me really happy to hear, however, th Hayley Hinson

December 19 at 4:38 PM



Anonymous posted:

you and alicia were 2 of my many regular customers and i enjoyed making you the big ice cream cones every morning!!! i would always say when i seen yall coming "make sure the ice cream machine is ready for use my regulars are here". lol the #5592 2104 nor bethany nicholson

February 11 at 12:22 AM



Alicia Brown October 20 at 8:41 PM

💜 Just now reading this year's later.. I miss him so much and all the people that were in our lives then. And never thought after Andrew's death that I would be where I am today - happy and married with 2 children. Life is terrible and beautiful.



Anonymous posted:

Man, I can remember when i was just a little kid hanging out with you, watching you make stencils for your art, looking through your sketchbooks, and testing your stencils on the sidewalks outside my house. Good times. You were definitely an inspiring per Olivia Whitten

February 8 at 11:31 AM



Anonymous posted:

Gonna miss all the wackiness that we shared and I hope your soul is at rest. I still have my name that you wrote in graffiti! PaulaRae

February 8 at 11:28 AM



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Anonymous posted:

dood what can i say? you know what im feeling. i miss you and sorry things were so jacked up between us b4 you split memphis. anyway you know mom dad krissy and i love you and miss you. Seee you when i get there brother. thanks for making such an impact o Christian Charles Patton

February 6 at 11:31 PM



Anonymous posted:

Andrew, you have blessed and enriched our lives with much joy. Your zest for life and passion for art are, oh, so inspirational. I could tell when I met you that you came from a wonderful home and caring parents, but were following your own star. I kno Rev. Tom Hopper

February 4 at 8:10 PM



Anonymous posted:

The sudden and tragic death of of my friend Andrew has both shocked and saddened so many of us. My heartfelt sympathy and prayers go out to Andrew's friends and loved ones and to Nicole who I know is in much pain. I know that his artistic talents and free s Perian Walker

February 3 at 9:49 PM



Anonymous posted:

A bright morning star will be missed by myself and my little granddaughter. Andrew O. greeted us every morning at Conference Drive and Rt 386 with a bright smile and a wave. Always gracious and friendly. Andrew became our friend and we truly miss him. Ma Walt Schissler

February 3 at 8:14 AM



Anonymous posted:

drew was a artist a poet a warrior and a brother, i will be feeling this loss for a long time. lee

February 3 at 12:25 AM



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Anonymous posted:

Andrew was a great guy. He helped me so much and it hurts knowing that he's gone. Rip Andrew Matthew Fletcher

February 2 at 11:21 PM



Anonymous posted:

I didn't know Andrew personally but I sure do miss his smiling face on Conference Dr. He had such an amazing spirit that radiated from him and made my morning just by being there. Prayers to his loved ones. jennifer

February 2 at 10:57 PM



Anonymous posted:

Do-Jo, I will always remember the days of Tina your dog chasing us around your porch. You had the silliest laugh, when we could get you to!! What an amazing artist you are....much love to your family. CoCo will always be my best friend no matter what. Kara McDermott McGhee

February 2 at 10:23 PM



Anonymous posted:

Our prayers our with Alica and his family. Andrew Rest In Peace Buddy. Michael and Stacey Farley

February 2 at 9:50 PM



Anonymous posted:

I am blessed to have known Andrew. He was sweet, kind, caring, always smiling, always joyful and always grateful. He gave me two pieces of art that he painted just for me, and I will cherish them. I gave him a devotional that he read daily, and he told Mick Dalton

February 2 at 7:26 PM



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Anonymous posted:

Drew, you were one tuff dude. You taught me how to find the secret beautiful spots in an otherwise cold, ugly city. Your sense of humor was absolutely brilliant. Hope your spirit has finally reunited with that of your mothers. Peace. Nj

February 2 at 4:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

I met Drew with bobo actually when I was 14 I guess. We ended up in a crazy long 7+ year relationship. I hated him at times because he could have given so much more! He is the best artist I've ever seen and I'm lucky to have tons of his artwork at my hous Molly cavender

February 1 at 10:52 PM



Anonymous posted:

I have known Drew since junior high and we were very good friends during that time. He was an amazing artist and had a great dry humor. Drew will be missed by all that knew and loved him. Kim Gullett

February 1 at 5:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Drew was my best friend in elementary school. We spent a lot of time dreaming up new ways to get in trouble. We sure were good at it. Drew is responsible for my deep love of music. We started our first band (Manufactured Emotions) together along with my o Justin Fox Burks

February 1 at 4:45 PM



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