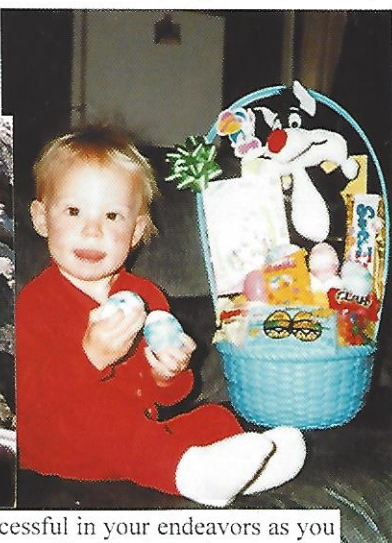
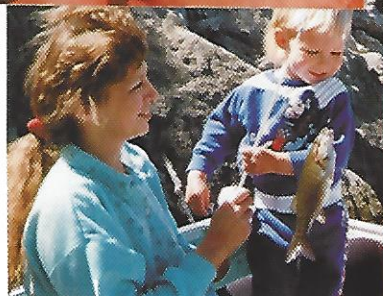
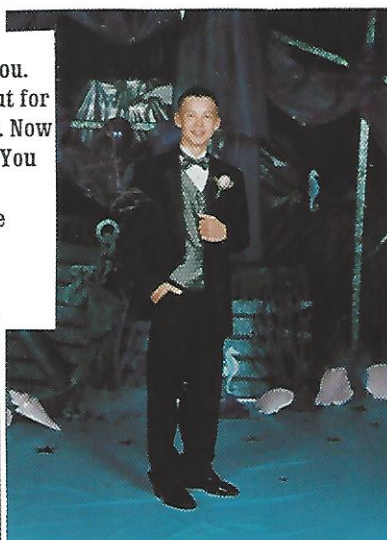


Robert,

Well, Bob, you did it!! We are so proud of you. Not only for your many accomplishments but for the wonderful young man you have become. Now go reach for those stars and never give up. You can achieve anything you set your mind to. Always be true to yourself and let God guide your way.

We love you,
Mom, Bill, Amber, & Katelyn



Son, I know that you will be successful in your endeavors as you have been over the last twelve years. You've been learning and honing your abilities at a higher level than I have ever expected from you. You have been a blessing to our family that loves you and is so proud of you and what you have become.

Stick with your decisions and stay dedicated to that goal. It's time to keep the pace so that you will be able to reap the benefits of your labors. Over the course of the last 12 years you've been getting ready for the big race.... college. Stay in control and know that you have the integrity, strength, and discipline to do it on your own with a family that supports you.

I love you, son, and wish that I could have been with you a lot more than I have. When I joined the Army, I joined to make it a career. Unfortunately, I made sacrifices and one of them was my time with you. The times that I did get to spend with you are times I will hold on to in my heart, mind and whole being for the rest of my life. You have filled my heart with enough pride to last any father a lifetime. I thank God for you and for Him giving me the ability to feel the love that I have for you, son.

Love,
Dad

