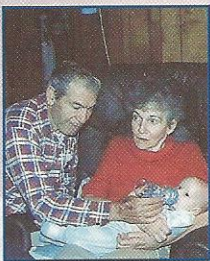
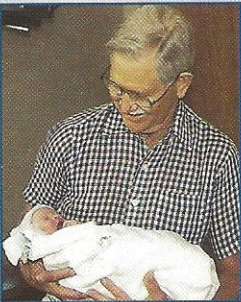
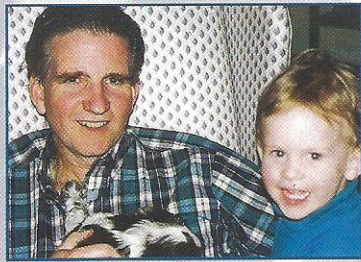
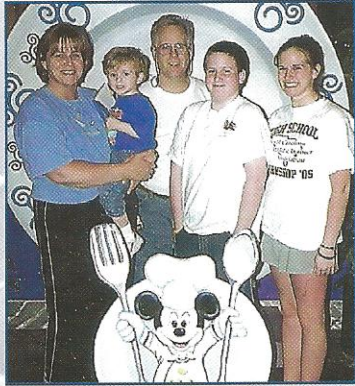
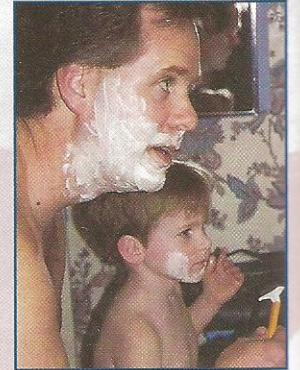
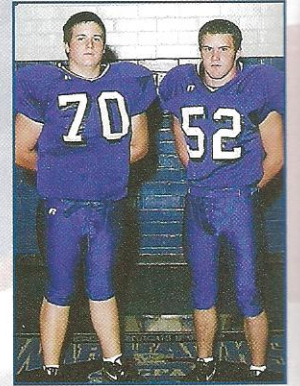
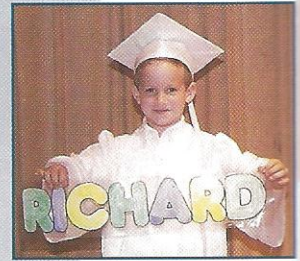


Richard Harvey



Richard

On the day you were born, our hearts swelled with joy
As they handed us a blanket filled with our little boy
Those days filled with toys we knew wouldn't last
Our little boy grew into a man so fast
We prayed you would make it through football alive
And prayed we would live as you learned how to drive
A giving heart in a man so kind
A truer friend no one will ever find.
We love you more than you will ever know
It will break our hearts to watch you go
Your life has only just begun
Our Richard, we are so proud of you son.



Dear Richard,

It is so hard to believe that we are actually sitting here writing this letter to you for your senior page. How did time pass so quickly?

It is also hard to believe that it has been almost 18 years since we heard the words, "it's a boy." We were so excited and proud then and feel the same way today.

You were the first Harvey grandson and the reason your Grandma Board survived for five more months. She was so weak when you were born and the doctor said she would not make it out of the hospital this time. However, when she held you for the first time she knew she had to get better and actually left the hospital. We know that all of your Grandparents are very proud of you. Proud of your determination, your courage, and your passion for life.

Your father and I are also proud of the man that you have become. A man of integrity, compassion, discipline and the will to succeed. You are a good friend and a good role model for your little brother. You are a good brother and we know you will always look out for your sister, too.

You have the strength to pursue your dreams and know that you will always make the right decisions and live your life honestly and faithfully.

We know you will always be true to yourself and hope you will find God's grace in every mistake.

We cherish every moment we have had with you and all of the boys. We pray that your friendships will last forever. We have had so much fun with Kenny, Anthony, Billy, Holden and the rest of the boys. It has made life so much fun.

No matter where your life takes you remember always that we love you and will always be here to love and support you. We've always got your back.

We were very blessed on the day you were born. We are the lucky ones. We love you with all of our hearts.
"semper fi"

Love always,
Mom and Dad