**Scott Eric Custer**, son of Denny and Karen (Warren) Custer, was born 17 December 1971, Flint, Genesee County, Michigan. Mr. and Mrs. Custer were married 17 September 1963 in Petoskey, Emmet County, Michigan. Scott was a fraternal twin to brother Greg. The Custer family moved into the Okemos area in the early 1980's and the twins graduated in 1990 from Okemos High School.

Scott had a life-long battle with Muscular Dystrophy. Even so he loved traveling and accompanied his family three times to Europe and stepped foot in all 50 States. He also accomplished completion of 3 years of study at Michigan State University before his final three years of life at home.

Scott succumbed to MD 19 October 1996, Okemos, Ingham County, Michigan.

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## SCOTT ERIC CUSTER

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Scott Eric Custer peacefully completed his courageous life-long fight with



Muscular Dystrophy at home on Saturday, October 19. Scott was born December 17, 1971 in Flint, MI. He attended schools in Alma and Jackson County Western Districts, graduating from Okemos High School. He received two varsity letters for his record keeping and enthusiastic support of the Chieftains varsity basketball team. He completed 3 years of study at Michigan State University and was recognized with Honorary Alumni status. Scott is survived by his parents, Karen and Denny Custer of Okemos; his fraternal twin brother, Greg of Holland, MI; grandmothers, Irene Warren of Petoskey, MI and Ann Custer of Chapel Hill, NC; several aunts, uncles and cousins and a very special

friend, Kasey Keefe of North Muskegon, MI. The final three years of Scott's

life came at home. Continual professional, compassionate and loving care was led by Dr. Dennis Perry and supported by a very special nursing and staff care from Staffbuilders. Apria Healthcare, Aetna Insurance, Hill-Rom Company, Consumers Power and many individual specialists. The family is deeply appreciative. A memorial service will be held at 4 p.m. on Wednesday, October 23, at the Gorsline-Runciman Co. Funeral Home, East Chapel at 1730 East Grand River, East Lansing. Rev. Darrell Neves will officiate.