



## Michael Ross Newlin

September 13, 1964 - July 4, 2012

Michael Ross Newlin passed away July 4, 2012, at 10:00 PM. He loved fireworks and the sounds of the 4th surrounded him that evening.

Ross was born Sept. 13, 1964, in Richmond, Tx. He is survived by his loving wife of 25 years, Kimberly, son Michael Ross Newlin II, daughter Renee Bernice, father Arthur "Jack" William Newlin, Jr. of Richmond, mother Marilyn McCarty and husband Gary of Needville, sister Gay Young and husband, Nathan of Richmond, Michelle Foreman and husband James, of Houston, brother, Arthur William, III and wife, Sharon, of Hungerford, Uncle Herschel Frey and wife Harriet of Encinitas, Ca., and lifelong friends Ray and Scott Hinsley.

He is preceded in death by grandparents, Arthur William I and Arnita Newlin, Michael Lewis and Estella Frey, and sister Brenda Newlin.

Ross was a 1987 graduate of Texas A & M College Station, earning a Bachelor of Science in Mechanical Engineering and was a member of the Corps of Cadets as was his father. He obtained a Master of Business Administration from Houston Baptist University. He was a proud member of the "Tejas Vaqueros" for over 20 years.

He was extremely intelligent and with his stringent work ethic, was in demand

in various fields of expertise, especially the energy industry specifically the building and supervising of wind power turbines, serving as vice president over North American operations for Enxco, Inc.

Ross was tough, disciplined, dedicated and most of all, caring man to his family and friends. He was invaluable for his guidance and contributions toward the lives and decisions of those he loved. He always had goals and plans and carried them through no matter how difficult or challenging. He loved cars, car racing and re-built several Mustangs with his son Michael and was working on an experimental electric vehicle with his daughter Renee. He enjoyed the outdoors and spent many fun and happy times hunting and fishing at the family ranch in south Texas. He will be dearly missed by those whom he knew and loved him.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests that remembrances in Ross's name be made to a children's charity of their choice.

# Tribute Wall

TM

“ I keep in mind this visit at the EDF Energies Nouvelles headquarter in Paris La Defense during his travel in Europe with all the family....Ross was not comfortable to visit such a place with hollydays clothes !....But we did it !!.....It was a real pleasure to work with Ross....he will miss us. All the EDF Energies Nouvelles Services team in France join me to present our heartfelt condolences to his family.

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**Thierry Muller** - July 23, 2012 at 12:00 AM

NL

“ My deepest condolences to Newlin's family. We were exchanging often with Ross from US to France. I appreciated a lot your collaboration...

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**Nicolas de Labouchere** - July 20, 2012 at 12:00 AM

GS

“ Ross will always remembered as a great colleague, manager, and friend. I can truly say it has been a distinct honor to work by his side, and can not think of anyone who would think otherwise.

*With deepest sympathies,*

*Gonzalo Martin Stabile and the San Diego Georgia Tech Alumni Club*

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**Gonzalo Stabile** - July 16, 2012 at 12:00 AM

SW

“ Ross... Goodbye old friend since the 1st grade at Jane Long Elementary! May you reunite w/ all the friends we so dearly miss! Kim, Michael & Renee... may time heal your aching hearts, memories & peace be with you. With deepest sympathy, The Woodfin Family

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**Sandra Woodfin** - July 14, 2012 at 12:00 AM

HA

“ My deepest condolences to the Newlin Family. Ross will be missed but not forgotten. Great person to work with and also knock down a few beers with.

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**Henry Avila** - July 12, 2012 at 12:00 AM

JK

“ Ross and I first met on the construction site of the Bahia Las Minas power plant in Panama while we both worked for Enron. From the moment we first met, we became friends. Ross and I spent a great deal of time together in Panama and also working for Enron Wind after the fall of Enron. There were countless trips to California together that I will never forget. The highlight of my work at Enron was working with Ross. We shared many great times together and he was a true friend. We haven't spoken much in the last few years, but I will never forget the joy of being with him. I never got to know Ross's family, but I can just imagine the loss you are feeling. My deepest condolences to you from my family and I. I will miss Ross very much and I am deeply saddened at hearing this news.

*God Bless You Ross and God Bless Your Family.*

*Yeah Yeah Buddy! I hope to see you up there in Heaven one day.*

*Sincerely,  
John Keller*

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**John R. Keller** - July 12, 2012 at 12:00 AM

DG

“ My sincerest condolences to the family and friends of Ross. Ross was amazing individual with the love of life, joy and family. He shared that passion in his work and with those who worked with him. It was truly a pleasure to share time on this earth with Ross and it is truly a loss not to be able to see that smile and hear that laughter again. With my deepest respect-  
Deborah

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**Deborah Gronvold** - July 11, 2012 at 12:00 AM

LA

“ I am very, very sorry to hear of the loss of Ross - he was my co-worker and very much liked here at enXco. My condolences to the family. You are in my prayers.

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**Laura** - July 11, 2012 at 12:00 AM

AL

“ I would like to express my deepest condolences for the loss of Ross. He was a joy to work with, with a passion for life and a keen ability to prioritize the big picture.  
I'll miss our talks about racing which Ross described as his favorite activity with his family. I consider myself fortunate to have worked with Ross.  
With sympathy,  
Alex

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**Alex J. Lazur** - July 11, 2012 at 12:00 AM

JR

“ Was always a pleasure to work with Ross. His can do additude and sense of humor will be missed greatly, but more importantly, will serve as qualities for all to ascribe to attain. God Bless and keep you and your family Ross.

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**Janet Richardson** - July 10, 2012 at 12:00 AM

RS

“ To the Newlin Family: I am so sorry for your loss. I had the pleasure of working with Ross and have never worked with a kinder, gentler soul...A gentleman and a scholar. He will be deeply missed.  
My sincerest condolences – Robert Subkow

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**Robert Subkow** - July 10, 2012 at 12:00 AM

AR

“ *My deepest condolences to the family.*

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**Allison Michelle Ramirez** - July 10, 2012 at 12:00 AM

SH

“ *Will miss him and his good humor here at enxco.*

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**scott hasson** - July 10, 2012 at 12:00 AM

MA

“ *Deepest condolences to Ross family.*

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**Manuela** - July 10, 2012 at 12:00 AM

AR

“ *My deepest condolences to the family.*

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**Allison Michelle Ramirez** - July 10, 2012 at 12:00 AM

CS

“ *I was so sorry to hear of Ross' passing. He was a wonderful man and always had a kind word whenever I saw him. My thoughts and prayers are with you at this difficult time.*

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**Cindy Stoik** - July 10, 2012 at 12:00 AM

JP

“ *Tipping back a few while singing Jimmy Buffet tunes with Ross at a dinner a number of years ago is among my more enduring memories of working at enXco. It was and will always be a pleasure to know you. My sincerest condolences to your family.*

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**Jim Peters** - July 10, 2012 at 12:00 AM

BR

“ So sorry for your loss. Ross always had a such a wonderful positive attitude and great sense of humor. It was truly a pleasure working with him. He will be sorely missed!

*God Bless!*

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**Blaise Rovney** - July 10, 2012 at 12:00 AM

CW

“ *Newlin Family,*  
*Our thoughts & prayers are with you during this time. Ross had such a presence, you could sense when he entered the room. Such a happy personality who always remembered to share a kind word. He will be truly missed.*

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**Carla Wright** - July 10, 2012 at 12:00 AM

MS

“ *My sincerest condolences to Ross' family. Rest In Peace Mr. Newlin.*

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**Mune Satoh** - July 10, 2012 at 12:00 AM

DR

“ *I can rememeber coming to the plate with Ross catching for David Poss when he played for the falcons like it was yesterday. God bless all the family.*

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**Donald R.Stavinoha** - July 10, 2012 at 12:00 AM

KY

“ My prayers and condolences go out to the Newlin family. Ross was a kind and thoughtful person who never said a bad word about anyone. I will remember his positive energy and spirit and how he always had a smile on his face. He was so proud of his family and never missed an opportunity to talk about their latest accomplishments. It was a pleasure to have known and worked with him. Rest in peace my friend. You will be missed.

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**Kristine Yancey** - July 10, 2012 at 12:00 AM

LC

“ Ross has always been a person you can go to for any questions. He always was willing to help. He will be truly missed here at EnXco. May he rest in peace.

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**Lyle Castro** - July 10, 2012 at 12:00 AM

JW

“ *Kim and Family,*

*I remember Ross from our high-school days and remember how kind he always was towards others. Please know that I am praying for your family during this time.*

*Sincerely, Janiece*

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**Janiece Ward-Snelling** - July 09, 2012 at 12:00 AM

JN

“ Dear Kim,

*Our condolences to you and your family on the passing of Ross. I was so very sad to hear this. Please know that many people are praying for you and sending you love. May you and your family be filled and comforted with God's healing peace.*

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**Joan Chachere Norton** - July 09, 2012 at 12:00 AM

RF

“ *Payers of strength and enouragement to Ross' family. I last saw Ross when we were in junior high school before my family and I moved from the area. It sounds like he had great impact on so many. Blessings and Peace.*

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**Russell Fishbeck** - July 09, 2012 at 12:00 AM

BM

“ *We were shocked to learn of Ross' passing. We are lifting you up in prayers. What a great person he was and we will always remember his smile and great sense of humor. Blessings to you all.*

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**Becky and Chris Mobley** - July 09, 2012 at 12:00 AM

AD

“ *I will always remember the sweet little boy as he was riding his bike with one training wheel on it. He was so cute. He was like a son to me when he was growing up with my girls. We will miss him dearly. My prayers to all of his family. So sad. Love always, Anice*

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**Anice Divin** - July 09, 2012 at 12:00 AM

SB

“Gone too soon, but you will never be forgotten. To this day there are so many awesome memories that I and so many other will cherish until we meet again! Forever will I lift the family up in prayer for favor from above always!

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**Sherry Bell** - July 09, 2012 at 12:00 AM

DC

“Dear Kim and family,

*My heart is deeply saddened to learn about the passing of Ross. I pray your faith and loving family will comfort and support you through this painful time. I am sending you my love and prayers.*

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**Dianne Chachere Calder** - July 09, 2012 at 12:00 AM

KH

“Kim, Michael, Renee, I am so sorry for your loss. Ross was a great man and he will be missed by all that knew him. Every time I saw Ross he was always smiling and he was always so funny. I will continue to pray for your entire family and ask God to comfort you and be close to you during this very difficult time. Please know that you have a lot of friends praying for you and your family and the entire Hinsley family as well.

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**Kevin/Stacey Harris** - July 08, 2012 at 12:00 AM

MV

“We've known Ross 20 years as a co-worker, engineer, business man, family man, neighbor and friend. Although he excelled at all of these and has a legacy in power generation, he will always be our memories as a friend and loved one. Mark and Nery Voss

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**Mark Voss** - July 08, 2012 at 12:00 AM

LL

“ Kimberly, Michael II , Renee and Hinsley family, may the scriptures Revelations 21:4 & Jeremiah 29:11 give you comfort as you heal and our hearts are sad for your loss & grateful your family was blessed with a wonderful man to love and admire. He leaves a prideful legacy for future generations~God bless you all~

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**Lillie & Sonny Lewis** - July 08, 2012 at 12:00 AM

AC

“ Thoughts and prayers to you and your during this difficult time.

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**Ann Jankowski Coker** - July 08, 2012 at 12:00 AM

MP

“ Dear Kim, Michael, and Renee,

*I am so sorry to hear that Ross has passed. My daughter Kate and I had the pleasure and honor of meeting Ross through his generosity. We were fortunate enough to have won the auction for the hunting weekend on the ranch that Ross donated to Foster HS. We still speak of that weekend often and remember how generous and gracious Ross was to us. I saw a lot of Ross in Michael and I know he is going to grow up to be everything Ross was and more.*

*The world is a little bit smaller without Ross now, he will be missed greatly. My deepest sympathies during these most difficult times.*

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**Mike Prokop** - July 08, 2012 at 12:00 AM

CB

“ *Kim and Family*

*I am so sorry for your loss. Ross will be greatly missed. I have good memories of the time I have shared with your family. You and your family are in my prayers. If there is anything I can do for you please call. We love and miss ya'll. Cheryl, Angela, and Ashley*

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**Cheryl Banfield** - July 08, 2012 at 12:00 AM

MR

“ *I knew Ross from the old Destec days. He was such a nice guy, intelligent, hard working and funny. I shall always remember him this way with his usual smile. Please accept my deepest condolences for your loss and I keep your family in my prayers. God bless you. Rest in peace, Ross,*

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**Margie Ramirez** - July 08, 2012 at 12:00 AM

JS

“ *May it help in some way to know that we care and extend our deepest sympathy on this sad loss you bear-with Deepest Sympathy!*

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**Jerry & Bernadette Starustka** - July 07, 2012 at 12:00 AM