



## Josiah M. Beringer

May 26, 1987 - July 10, 2018

Hampton Beach- Josiah M. Beringer, 31 of Hampton Beach, passed away after a long battle with drug addiction on July 10, 2018 on his boat in Kittery, ME. He's now at peace with his father, Brian, and his mother, Patricia.

Josiah was an avid commercial lobster fisherman who enjoyed spending time on the F/V Patricia Lynn II with his "one of a kind" Chesapeake Bay Retriever, Gauge. Josiah spent many hours in his office, at the wheel of his boat where he captured some of the most beautiful sunrises and sunsets. Aside from his career, his love for his family and friends was endless. He especially enjoyed taking his oldest nephew fishing with him. He also enjoyed trips to warm tropical places.

Josiah is survived by his four siblings, Amanda and her husband Rick Brown, Micah and his wife Trisha Beringer, and his twin sisters, Abigail and Hannah Beringer; nephews and nieces, Isaiah and Xavier Jewell, Braylynn Brown, and Azalea and Ezekiel Beringer; his girlfriend Sarah Norton and her son Jayden; and his many aunts, uncles, and cousins.

Even though Josiah made poor choices, he never stopped fighting for his sobriety. Despite this disease, JoJo never lost his ability to light up a room with his contagious smile and sense of humor. If you are suffering or know someone who is, please reach out. We want people to know that this disease

does not discriminate and it takes over your life. Today's the day, as tomorrow is not promised. Our brother was a fighter and that's how we will remember him.

In lieu of flowers, please donate to Chucky's Fight in memory of our brother. Donations can be made online at [www.chuckysfight.com](http://www.chuckysfight.com) or by sending a check made out to Chucky's Fight "In Memory of Josiah Beringer". Please send the donations to Chucky's Fight, 380 Lafayette Road Unit 11-193, Seabrook, NH 03874.

Visitation will be held from 5 to 8 pm on Monday, July 16th, 2018 in the Remick & Gendron Funeral Home- Crematory, 811 Lafayette Road, Hampton. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL **16**. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Remick & Gendron Funeral Home - Crematory

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Josiah M. Beringer*

September 18, 2022 at 12:49 AM



“ *I miss you so much....The boys miss you terribly....I just miss you so much..I miss your laughter...I miss you...you are no longer suffering and I have a lot of great memories to always cherish.. Just to have one more day with you I would do anything I love you Josiah Micah Beringer* 💕

**Amanda Joy Brown** - February 03, 2019 at 12:24 PM



“ *To Josiah's family,*

*I am so sorry for your loss. I want to thank you for your honesty about Josiah's death. Drug addiction is not prejudice. It doesn't matter if you're rich, poor, black or white, doesn't care what religion...drug addiction effects us all.*

*Unless we open up honest conversation about addiction a cure will never be found.*

*I admire you for your strength and courage to tell the truth. I know Josiah is now at peace. I hope you all find peace. My prayers to a very remarkable family.*

**Robin DelVecchio** - July 23, 2018 at 07:53 PM

LB

“ So very sorry for your loss to you all , may god hold you in the highest light Josiah



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**Lena Brooks** - July 20, 2018 at 08:54 AM



Amanda Brown

“ Josiah M Beringer I am devastated and lost, a piece of my heart is now gone, I hope you have found peace and are forever watching over me, you have no idea how much I wish for one more hug, I love you always and forever!!! Your big sister ❤️



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**Amanda Brown** - July 17, 2018 at 12:10 AM

DG

“ To all the Beringer family, his beautiful girlfriend Sarah and her son and all extended family I send my deepest condolences. I will never forget when I first met Josiah and his brother n sisters and how they were all so respectful to me . His hard work and love for fishing made his dad proud. I will never forget the beautiful pictures he posted of his boat and the sea. So sorry I could not be there to pay my respects . Sending my love n hugs to Amanda, Micah, Abigail n Hannah

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**Debbie Gilbert** - July 16, 2018 at 06:53 PM

CP

“ Dear Mandy, Micah, Abbey and Hannah,  
My heart breaks at your loss of Josiah. I remember well how much your mom loved each and every one of you children. She prayed daily for each one of you. Those prayers started before you were even born. You were all her precious jewels. The Word tells us that God honors the prayers of his beloved and I believe Josiah is with her now. I pray that you will all feel his Holy Spirit drawing you closer and comforting you just as we have as a family since Timmy's recent passing. I don't understand why we had to loose Tim or you have lost Josiah, but I do know that God is faithful and his love will sustain us.  
We love you,  
Carol and Wayne Peterson

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**Carol Peterson** - July 16, 2018 at 03:47 PM

 Tracey  
Porter

“ I wish I could have known Josiah longer. My husband had just gone fishing with him and was looking forward to many more trips. He was such a great guy and he loved Sarah and Jayden with all of his heart. He was a fighter and such a hard worker. He will be greatly missed. My thoughts are prayers are with your entire family during this very difficult time. Tracey Porter

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**Tracey Porter** - July 16, 2018 at 09:40 AM

SP

Just to say how much of a hard worker he was, We only worked a half day 7AM-7PM Told each other some experience's on the Sea. He will be forever in my thoughts. Scott Porter

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**Scott Porter** - July 16, 2018 at 01:24 PM



“ *Sweet Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Josiah M. Beringer.*



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July 16, 2018 at 07:23 AM



“ *Tawnya lit a candle in memory of Josiah M. Beringer*



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**Tawnya** - July 15, 2018 at 05:38 PM



“ *My heart is sad for all of you. Josiah used to walk my dog while I was at work. Or rather , she walked him. I used to see him from my office on his bike with Cutie pulling him along. Such a good, kind soul... so sorry for our loss.*

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**Mara Flannery** - July 15, 2018 at 08:24 AM



“ *Thank you for sharing your brother's story. I pray it will touch others. I do not know your family, but I am a strong Christian..*  
**KAC**

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**K. Cole** - July 14, 2018 at 08:55 AM

LE

“ Love, Sid and Cindy Foster (Melba Express) purchased the Pretty Please for the family of Josiah M. Beringer.



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**Love, Sid and Cindy Foster (Melba Express)** - July 13, 2018 at 09:07 PM

SF

“ Sid And Cindy Foster lit a candle in memory of Josiah M. Beringer



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**Sid and Cindy Foster** - July 13, 2018 at 08:09 PM



“ Crystal Cross Bouquet was purchased for the family of Josiah M. Beringer.



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July 13, 2018 at 03:56 PM

CS

“ *“Perhaps I should not have been a fisherman he thought. But that was the thing I was born for.” Ernest Hemingway: The Old Man and the Sea*

*Those of us who knew Josiah, knew that he was born to be a fisherman. He truly enjoyed being on the ocean, as much as anyone I have ever known.*

*May he rest in peace.*

*My deepest sympathy to the Beringer family,  
Cathy Silver*

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**Cathy Silver** - July 13, 2018 at 03:05 PM

ME

“ *Mary Lou Elias lit a candle in memory of Josiah M. Beringer*



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**Mary lou Elias** - July 13, 2018 at 02:48 PM

JU

“ *JudyDaniels lit a candle in memory of Josiah M. Beringer*



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**JudyDaniels** - July 13, 2018 at 02:11 PM

BJ

“ I still have the Patricia Lynn sweatshirt...my favorite. Thank you Josiah. I have often felt that when it comes to life, for me, quality tops quantity. You touched many in your short span and lived to the fullest.  
Be at peace now.  
The Johns Family



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**Barb Johns** - July 13, 2018 at 12:37 PM



“ I remember the very first time I saw Josiah. It was the first day of 8th grade at HAJH, also the first day at a new school. I remember my twin sister and I waiting outside for the bell nervous as hell...and I can remember this like it was yesterday, all of a sudden this young handsome boy comes pedaling up on his bike and my twin sister and I just looked at each other reading each other's thoughts saying "wow" "who is that"?? I can remember how magnetic his Ora was. There was something so intriguing and authentic about his presence. He was one of the first people to welcome us and acted like a friend instantly. Josiah actually ended up being my very first real kiss. I just wanted to take the time to give my condolences to Josiah's family and friend's, even though we weren't in much contact over the years I loved seeing Josiah's pictures of his dog Gauge and the beautiful ocean scenes. Once in awhile we would come in contact and he'd flash that big beautiful smile of His. May you rest in peace Josiah on the other side. Xo -Amber Barry

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**Amber Barry** - July 13, 2018 at 08:53 AM

SA

“ Josiah, I love you and you were so proud of your last rehab and like I said I was so proud of you. I was so happy you visited me after that stay and I got to give you our last hug. I'm still so proud of you and I meant it when I said you have a beautiful soul. I was angry at first but then I realized your beautiful soul was broken and you still tried doing nice things. I will never forget you and I hope and pray you are at Peace now. That day you visited me you said how much you love your family and wanted to make them proud and how thankful you had a girlfriend who loved you so much that you felt lucky. I will treasure all our talks and all my talks with your dad also. I'm so happy I worked almost 7 years at utes so I met you all, your dad loved talking about his 5 children. I love you and I'll miss you greatly. I'm so sorry for your siblings and girlfriend I really hope they keep the faith and find some kind of peace. R.I.P you beautiful soul.

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Sandy - July 12, 2018 at 08:26 PM

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“ Dear, Beringer Family,

My husband, John, and I are deeply saddened by this devastating news and your family's unimaginable loss. Not too long ago, Josiah stopped by our home to tell us he had gotten clean. He was so happy to share his news. Sobriety and clean living is something John frequently preached to him. He left our home with a hug and a handshake and the knowledge that we'd always be rooting for him. Happy and hopeful is how we will remember him. Addiction is a cruel and evil disease. Our hearts break for you.

With deep sympathy,

Toby & John Heisey

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TOBY HEISEY - July 12, 2018 at 06:43 PM

BA

*What a nice kid, so sorry to hear about Josiah. He is now at peace*

**Barbara** - July 13, 2018 at 11:50 AM

AF

*I remember teaching Josiah in the 2 yr old class at First Assembly, what a handsome young man. Prayers for your entire family.*

**Appiah Family** - July 13, 2018 at 06:56 PM

CM

*I am so sad to hear what has taken place I agree with everyone about his kind soul and his contagious smile he was so loved by his family and many people he came in contact with. I will tell you a story we met Brian first when we were looking for a rental for a couple weeks one summer in Hampton well we became really good friends with Brian and the children all of them Debbie and I loved going to see them and we were always invited one weekend we went down and Brian said you can sleep in the twins bunk beds make yourself at home and will see you ladies later well we went to see the night life out there and when we returned it was hot the fan was twirling around hot air so I said Debbie Josiah has an air condition going in his room so we knocked first and he was sleeping didn't want to just walk in so we asked can we climb in its so hot out there. he said sure I slept on one side and Debbie on the other once day light came he was gone I guess on his boat and we hurried up and got out of there didn't want anyone to catch us LOL those children were the best of the best they had such great parents and we always enjoyed our stay there I am so sad for all of you and hope to see you all again. LOVE to each and everyone of you until we all meet again we may try and take a trip just to see how Hampton has changed but can say for one thing it won't be the same LOVE  
Carrie and Debbie*

**Carrie Martin** - July 16, 2018 at 02:43 PM