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Joshua Slimp

Joshua Paul Slimp, 34, of Bridgeport, died Sunday, July 16, 2017, in Grapevine. Funeral is 10:30 a.m. Friday, July 21, at Jones Family Funeral Home in Decatur with Randy Slimp officiating. Burial will follow at Alvord Cemetery.

Visitation is 6 to 8 p.m. Thursday at the funeral home.

Pallbearers are Patrick Cox, Josh Jones, Jody Slimp, Micah Slimp, Matthew Slimp and Jacob Slimp.

Josh was born March 22, 1983, in Fort Worth to Danny and Tina (Ferguson) Slimp. He proudly served his country as a lance corporal in the United States Marine Corps. In the spring of 2006, Josh married the love of his life, Casey Holley, and together they shared 11 wonderful years of marriage.

Josh loved being a WATCHdog at the Bridgeport Elementary school. He also enjoyed hunting hogs, shooting guns, coaching youth basketball and playing video games with his kids.

Josh was preceded in death by his grandparents, Bobby and Verda Slimp and J.C. Ferguson.

He is survived by his wife; son Hagen Lane Slimp; daughter Kyndal Reese Slimp; his parents; brothers Jody Slimp and wife, Morgan, Micah Slimp and Ashley of Alvord and Matthew Slimp and wife, Kayla, of Bowie; and grandmother Claudette Ferguson of Newark.