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Christopher Andrew Doughty, 18  
~ 10/2/1986 - 2/15/2007 ~

*Intech in Antonio, Texas*

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On February 15, 2007 our family's life changed forever. We lost our son, brother, grandson Christopher Andrew Doughty to a workplace incident. Christopher's jacket was caught in an auger and killed him instantly. I really don't know how because I won't let anyone tell me it's to horrifying to imagine. He worked for Intech. Federal OSHA investigated the incident and proposed a \$7,250.00 penalty. In an informant settlement the penalty was reduced to \$3,500.00. There had never been any safety training or measures taken to insure their employees knew really what they were doing. Christopher was 18 yrs. old. Not a day goes by that we don't remember him and the gift he was to our family. I can't stand to see all these lives lost with no consequences to at least make sure it never happens again.