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To friends, family, acquaintances, co-workers:

A quote from an article published in the Trenton Times Newspaper on July 13, 2003, written by Kelly Rouba, "For family and friends of David Suarez, who died at the World Trade Center on Sept. 11, a game of softball has become a way to gather together and relieve some of the sadness of losing a loved one and valued friend." For me, the softball event is just one way for me to remember Dave and to preserve his memory forever. Everyone that knew Dave or even met him in passing is a better person from that experience. Dave had this uncanny ability to succeed at the highest level no matter how hard the task or challenging the course. He had a contagious smile and a charismatic way the attracted people to him. Dave gave back to the community in so many ways and would do just about anything to help another, whether that was volunteering at a number of different community service organizations, tutoring students or driving a friend four hours home from college at 3 a.m. I just hope that all participants, whether directly or indirectly, of this event were able to gain an appreciation of the person that I remember and will never forget, David Suarez.

The Second Annual David Suarez Softball Classic, held on July 12, 2003 at the West Windsor Plainsboro High School was once again a tremendous success. With eight teams, all having some affiliation to David, and an attendance of approximately 200 supporters, the event raised over \$9,000 for the Scholarship Fund. Without each and every one of you, this could not have been as special of a day and as much of an accomplishment.

With your contributions, we have been able to create two permanently endowed scholarships in Dave's name for the students of the West Windsor-Plainsboro High School and The Pennsylvania State University. These scholarships will provide an ideal opportunity to remember Dave and to help the students at these institutions.

Please take a moment to visit the regularly updated website included at the top of this letter for pictures of the 2nd Annual David Suarez Softball Classic, more information about Dave, the scholarship fund, and our efforts. Since the establishment of the Scholarship Fund, we have been an active organization capitalizing on every opportunity to bring together friends, family, and the community to help preserve the memory of Dave forever. If you have any questions, concerns, or comments, please feel free to contact me. Once again, thank you very much for your direct involvement in honoring Dave and helping to preserve his memory. We'll see you again in 2004!

Jeffrey S. Tobias
Chairman, 2nd Annual David Suarez Classic

p.s. please check the website for the date for the 3rd Annual David Suarez Softball Classic