

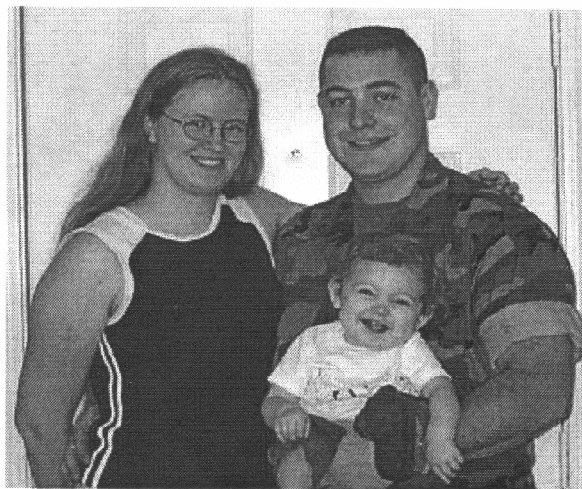
The Ballad of Jared Krutke

One year ago
My mom told me
My cousin had died
He was in the navy

It hurt me inside
To hear such things
I miss him so much
That it almost stings

He was married to a girl
Whose name was Nicole
They had a daughter
She was only one year old

We all still mourn
The loss of our family and friend
But we know that it is not over
For him it is not the end



by
Nicole
Skeen
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