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#### From the editor:

So how are we all doing? This last month has been hectic as hell but somehow we managed to get thru it like usual. I hope you got a chance to attend some of the advertised events. Thanks to those of you that are hitting some of these events, the turn outs have been awesome. I'd like to thank the Hunter Group (Mike, Jim, John and Caroline) for doing a great job putting on the Milwaukee Dealers Rally held at the Milwaukee Mile. Except for an MIA cooler, we had a blast.

I'd like to take a minute to bring up something that a friend told me a time ago. A while back when things were really slow, I inquired what my paper was worth if I were to sell it. He told me the numbers but what he said next really hit home. He said "your paper might be worth x- amount, but with out you it is worth next to nothing." Well I thought about that for awhile and what it meant. What I came up with is that what makes this paper is the Relationships I have made with a good many of the Brothers and Sisters in the riding community. Think about it for a sec? I have met people from the Christian riders to the 1% and everyone in between. All relationships vary but all having a common ground. We like to ride!!!! And as a side note to the riding part, I have to give a big ye-ha to all the riders that showed up at the Milwaukee events. While Lorie and I were down town at the Water Street party during the rally, I asked a couple of the motorcycle cops if they have any problem with the bikers during the events? His response was, "we have next to no trouble with the bikers. The trouble comes from the college kids and the citizens when alcohol is added." So take that as a compliment, I did. There is a small percentage of bikers that still harm the reputation we are all trying to establish, but what are you going to do, there are bad apples on every tree, I guess.

With that said, try to hit some of the events coming up. I checked the calendar and a good percentage of them have to dealing with memorial rides and helping out the kids. Both great reasons to show the brotherhood we have all enjoyed over the years.

Till next time, Preacher

#### Brothers Lost

##### Squirrel Tales

Let me begin this month with the loss of a brother "LiL" Kenny whom passed away on July 20th, 2004, after hitting a deer on his bike. I had met Kenny prior to the "Nikki" run held at the Roadhouse Saloon this past June. I was planning to do a more in-depth story on the memorial and flagpoles for a future story, but sadly I sometimes put things on the back burner and then it is just too late. For this I am regretful. You see the man that erected this memorial for the memory of Nikki, Pops and Sandy was the one and same, LiL Kenny. A brother whom had a heart of gold and was always there for those in need, no matter what. I was to attend his and Rhonda's wedding at the Roadhouse on

Aug 7th, but instead a memorial in his honor on July 31st at the Roadhouse. I believe that this was a reminder to me that life is short and that one shouldn't just put things on that back burner, but instead get them done. My heart goes out to Rhonda as well as all of "LiL" Kenny's friends. You will be missed and certainly not forgotten. Until next month, Ride Forever Free.. Squirrel

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#### Mission Statement:

This paper was started out of the love and respect for being in the wind, and the brothers and sisters that are in the wind also. I have been riding all my life and have learned what brotherhood means. The Free Riders Press is a paper dedicated to the biker who knows this respect. Not barring any rider for what he wears or rides. We try to cover stories that make the public sit back and have a positive outlook on bikers. We will try to cover events that are for the biker and put on by the biker. This paper will be used to better the riding community through education, updates and personal views that are of positive thinking for the riding community in general. We will try to fight the ongoing discrimination that seems to be thrown onto us without our view being told. Free Riders Press is for all to enjoy, so by working together someday we can be free in the wind, without the worry of any of the aforementioned items.

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