

PTS MOURNS THE LOSS OF STUDENT SCOTT HAUSER

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He is survived by his wife Lara, and their four children, Simon, Jackson, Lillian, and Charles.

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