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I am a lifetime Ark Citian and a former coach of Tyler Juden. I knew Tyler as an athlete, a teammate and friend to all the players on our team. He exemplified the values of our youth who would grow into productive citizens in leadership roles. It was no surprise to me that Tyler would choose to defend our country, joining the US Army. There, utilizing his skills as a sharpshooter, he entered the realm of the snipers, some of America's best. He advanced in rank to sgt. where his leadership skills would benefit his unit. He was directing his unit to advantageous positions and safety when he received his fatal wounds. He was a hero, a son of Arkansas City, a hero! Please honor us, as hometown friends of Tyler and his family, by naming our bridge after our hometown hero!

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