# Autobiography

## Introduction

Strange, what did you say?? That's right strange! Strange as a hippo that eats marshmallows? Yes, that's me strange! I am the strangest person in the whole world. I am like a 20ft hamster with green fur, not in looks but in strangeness, ... is there such a word? No... oh well!! While most boys are out playing football what am I doing?? When my friends go out where do I go?? I sit at home on my computer downloading stuff. A little music here, an upgrade for my pc there. I can sit at that computer for hours and hours. My Nan is always nagging "get of that blasted Internet now, I need to use the phone." In a way I'm like the world, this is because I have two halves like the hemispheres in one im quite confident but im also a bit shy what was that? Im confidant but shy. Yes that's right, me shy! But I am a bit. Now lets get to the point, I'm 5'8", blue eyes and brown hair. Hobbies, what can I put for this??? I know! I like to play on my computer, download music, listen to music, play Playstation and collect little plastic figures that you have to paint. Usually on Friday nights, me and my mates go out down the town. I live with my Nan because god knows where Dad is, and my mum lives in Bournmouth, as you'll find out later in "A Chapter In My Life." I have two generous aunts, three cousins who I love and an uncle who cares. Oh yeah, I nearly forgot Sooty, my cat.

## **Hidden Talents**

#### His Nan says:

I am the person who is lucky enough to have had Colin living with him for the past twelve years. Colin is a happy and kind person who likes listening to his music and watching wrestling on the television. He is very caring towards his cousins even though they can be pests at times.

He is enjoying some of his school subjects more than others but he is trying his best at all of them. He loves his three cousins and they love him back Altogether I think he is a really great person except maybe when I open his bedroom door... Ugh!!

### His aunty Tracey says:

Colin is my nephew and I have to say would make the perfect candidate for Harry Enfield's "Kevin". He doesn't like to lose when he plays games especially when he's playing against his aunty. His cousins think the world of him and he will often read them a book or sit down and play with them, I think this is because he can win!

His favorite hobbies are playing on his computer and playstation but his all time favorite is lying horizontal on the couch watching sky T.V.

#### His Mum says:

Colin is fourteen years old. He is a very easygoing laid back person. He is very bright and intelligent. He is a determined young man and likes to achieve

good grades at school and is disappointed if he doesn't do as well as he intended.

Colin enjoys WWE wrestling, karting, reading and compiling CD's on his computer. He enjoys his music and has recently taken up the electric guitar for his music GCSE. I would have to say that the best thing about Colin is that he is my son.

## A Chapter In My Life

It was in March this year, when it happened. I woke up on a Thursday morning, got ready and went downstairs and watched T.V. for a while. I looked at the clock and realized that I was running late. Unfortunately for me, the bus was early so I missed it. As I ran round the corner I saw it accelerate away down the road. I ran back home and phoned Nan. She said that she would come home from work so I watched more T.V. while I waited.

When she came back, Nan said I was lucky because she was coming back anyway to take my aunt to the hospital. We set off for school, we were going down the main road in Brandon, we needed to turn right to pick up my aunt. We slowed and indicated to turn into the side road, when suddenly I heard a thunderous crash and the car jolted forwards and sideways across the road when the car stopped. My Nan jumped out and started at the man who had hit our car. After a few minutes, the police arrived and I got out of our car, I was very shocked to see all the damage to our car. The whole the whole of our rear was a crumpled crushed mass with broken glass all over the road.

The policeman spoke to the man who hit us. He said he had been looking at a car from a previous

accident that had been parked on the pavement and was all damaged. He had done a lot of damage to our car but his volkswagon camper van was hardly touched. The poor unfortunate woman who had hit into the back of him had to kick her door open to be able to get out of her car.

The police marked the position of all the cars on the road with yellow spray paint. When the recovery vehicle arrived, the man driving it told my Nan that the car was a write off which really upset my Nan. The recovery vehicle took us and our car home, where my other aunt picked us up ant took us to the doctors because I had a bad pain in my back and my Nan had a pain in her neck.

The doctor diagnosed my pain as a back spasm and Nan with whiplash. Nan had to go to physiotherapy for a couple of months and I had to rest and stay off school for a few days. Because of this I missed my European maths challenge. We both had to go and see a specialist later on but my back is fine now.

The insurance company sent us a cheque for the value of our car but we had a hire car for two weeks. We spent a lot of time looking through the Auto Trader and going to look at cars until we found one we really liked.

Nan is getting compensation for her neck and I have just received a letter saying that I am going to get a compensation of £1750. This will be held in trust for me until I am eighteen. I hope to put this towards a car or towards university.