



**CUSTOM PAINT JOB BENEFIT FOR SGT. JOHN COLTER  
\$10 per entry**

Drawing to be held November 1, 2013

On Monday July 8, Sgt. John Colter was seriously injured in an off-duty motorcycle accident. John is a United States Marine Corps veteran currently serving 25+ years in the Baton Rouge Police Department. He is the Louisiana State Captain of the Patriot Guard Riders and a member of the board of directors for Blue Knights Chapter VII in Baton Rouge. His accident resulted in a serious brain injury, several broken bones, and severe abrasions (road rash). Thankfully, John is alive, but he remains in the care of Touro Hospital in New Orleans where he faces a long, uphill struggle to regain both his physical and mental capacity.

John has been married to his wife Anita for 23 yrs and they have two sons, Travis and Nathan. As is the case with most police officers, John worked off-duty details to supplement his salary. Any sick leave or disability payments will not compensate for this extra income which was necessary to support his family. His doctors currently have no estimate for when he will be able to return to work, so whatever assistance we can provide will help his family with medical bills, school tuition, and other necessities during his rehabilitation.

**Here's how you can help!**

BD's Cycles custom motorcycle painters is teaming up with Bareass Choppers to hold a benefit with the proceeds going to assist John and his family. One lucky winner will receive a **CUSTOM PAINT JOB** (valued up to \$2,000)! Entries are \$10 each, and you can buy as many as you want. The drawing will be held on November 1, 2013. Be sure to visit BD's Cycles website ([www.bdscycles.com](http://www.bdscycles.com)) for examples of their outstanding paint work, and contact Bareass Choppers if you have any questions regarding the benefit.

***Please don't forget to post a link to this benefit on your Facebook page, local club website, or favorite motorcycle forum to spread the word!***

**To purchase entries:**

PayPal users can send funds directly to "sales@BareassChoppers.com" or click the "Donate" link on the Bareass Choppers website ([www.bareasschoppers.com](http://www.bareasschoppers.com)). Please remember to include your contact information in the notes when sending funds, and do not use the word "raffle" as it creates problems with PayPal.

Checks can be made out directly to "John Colter" and mailed to:

John Colter Fund  
447 Evergreen Ct  
Slidell, LA 70458

Every \$10 received will count as 1 entry, so (for example) if you send \$30 you will get 3 entries. Any anonymous donations will be accepted for Anita & John Colter and not entered in the drawing.

**The drawing:**

In an effort to keep costs and complications to a minimum, we will not be mailing paper tickets. Instead, we will keep track of entries using an electronic database. Entry numbers will be assigned in the order in which donations are received, and on the day of the drawing a random number generator will be used to determine the winner.

**Thanks for stepping up to help out a brother in need!**

**Contact Information:**

You can direct any questions to Mike Buras at <[mike.buras@bareasschoppers.com](mailto:mike.buras@bareasschoppers.com)>.