



William Cody Bryant

August 15, 1991 - March 29, 2015

William "Cody" Bryant, 23, of Gurnee passed away peacefully on Sunday, March 29, 2015 at his home. He was born August 15, 1991 in Stockton, CA and grew up in a military family living all around the country. He was a 2010 Warren High School graduate and was an employee of Presbyterian Homes as a security guard in Evanston. Cody was very active in the Lake County Sheriff's Explorers Post 2066 working toward becoming a police officer. He was a member of St. James Parish in Highwood and was an avid Dallas Cowboys fan.

Surviving are his loving parents, William "Bill" and Denise Bryant of Gurnee; by his 3 sisters, Sarah, Madison and Bailey Bryant; his maternal grandmother, Cris Mekuly of Gurnee; paternal grandfather, William "Bill" (Latricia) Bryant, I of Blacksprings, AR; 3 uncles, John (Sarah) Sbertoli, Ryan Mekuly, and Jacob (Julie) Bryant; and by an aunt, Glenda "Tootie" (Sid) Heptig.

He was preceded in death by his maternal grandfather, Dennis Sbertoli in 2005 and by his paternal grandmother, Glenda Ruth Sibley in 2013.

Funeral services will be held at 10:00 a.m. Thursday, April 2, 2015 at St. James Parish, 134 North Ave. Highwood, IL 60040. A visitation will be from 3:00 to 8:00 p.m. Wednesday at Burnett-Dane Funeral Home, 120 W. Park Ave. (Rt. 176, one block west of Milwaukee Ave.) in Libertyville. Memorial contributions can be made to Lake County Sherriff's Explorers Post 2066, 1303 N. Milwaukee Ave. Libertyville, IL 60048 or Kids Rank, P.O. Box 886416, Great Lakes, IL 60088. For info: 847-362-3009 or sign the guestbook at www.

burnettdane.com.

Tribute Wall

BR

“ Cody my heart breaks that you are gone. It's so unreal for me to believe. You were a beautiful person and a heart so filled with love and care. I will never be able to thank you for your help you gave me with Dennis. He loved you and always looked forward to seeing you daily. You will always be my angle from heaven. Your calling back to god was way to soon. I will always have you in my heart. Love you Cody.

Bev Rusz - June 29, 2018 at 01:12 PM

SG

“ Denise and family, My sincere condolences on the loss of your precious son. May Your memories help you through this difficult time.

Sandy Green - June 29, 2018 at 01:12 PM

SS

“ Love and prayers for the family! Lean on the Lord for his comforting Love. I think this is the only way to get through such a loss! Hugs

Sharon Searcy - June 29, 2018 at 01:12 PM

LK

“ Denise and family our deepest sympathies on your loss. Your family our in our prayersLynne Kurowski and family

lynne kurowski - June 29, 2018 at 01:12 PM

JK

“ Denise- My sincere condolences to you and your family.

Jack Keenan - June 29, 2018 at 01:12 PM

TH

“ I am so sorry for your loss. Your family is in our thoughts and prayers. Cherish his memories forever. xoxoxo

Tanya Harmon - June 29, 2018 at 01:12 PM

FM

“ Bill & Family, Our hearts goes out to you and your family. I hope you and your family find strength in the love you have for each other, and peace in the happy memories you have. All our hugs, Felicia & Ian Mykytka

Felicia Mykytka - June 29, 2018 at 01:12 PM



“ Dear Denise, Bill, Sarah, Maddie, and Bailey... On behalf of the entire St. James School community, I want to express our deepest condolences over the loss of our dear sweet Cody. There are no words to express our deep sadness and sorrow. Please know that all of you and Cody will be in our prayers. - Mary Vitulli

June 29, 2018 at 01:12 PM

PD

“ William Cody Bryant

Pam & LeRoy Dunn - June 29, 2018 at 01:12 PM



“ Bill, Denise, and girls, our hearts ache for you, I wish we had words to offer you some kind of comfort, and I know there are none. I just want you to know we are so very sorry. Cody will forever be in our hearts. I will always remember the many days we spent with y'all in Texas, Cody and Sarah were quite the little characters. Sending you our love and sympathy. Pam and Leroy Dunn

June 29, 2018 at 01:12 PM

KK

“ There truly are no words to convey our deepest heartfelt condolences, or to ease the pain for the entire family. May you all find a smile through the tears remembering the happy times. Hugs, Love, and Prayers, Kelly, Kassie, and Odin

Kelly K - June 29, 2018 at 01:12 PM



“ Dear Denise, Bill, Sarah, Maddie and Bailey, We are so sorry to hear about Cody. May your hearts find peace during this very difficult time. Your family is in our thoughts and prayers. Sue and Chris Tuytens

June 29, 2018 at 01:12 PM

NV

“ You were always so kind! I remember having English class with you pretty much all throughout high school. We would always talk about them COWBOYS. You passed too soon! May God bless you and your family.

Natalie Visconti - June 29, 2018 at 01:12 PM

PF

“ Please accept our most heartfelt sympathies for your loss our thoughts are with you and your family during this difficult time.

Peter & Maria Fountas - June 29, 2018 at 01:12 PM

LW

“ Denise, Bill and family, My most sincere condolences are with you at this time. My heart aches for you as you grieve and cope with the passing of Cody. I am so sorry you are going through this.

Lori Wyman - June 29, 2018 at 01:12 PM

JH

“ You were my daughter's first love. RIP Cody. You will be missed.

JEFF HEDIEN - June 29, 2018 at 01:12 PM



“ God bless your hearts. Im very sorry to hear what happened. He was a great man, and he will never be forgotten. My prayers to your family.

June 29, 2018 at 01:12 PM

CK

“ Dear Bryant's,My prayers go out to you. I knew Cody through high school and he was a good person. I wish you all the best during this difficult time and hope that you find solace through his memory.

Chris Kepinski - June 29, 2018 at 01:12 PM

TR

“ My sympathies go out to you,Denise and to your entire family. No one should have to bury their child,my heart hurts for your family.

Tina Rapacz - June 29, 2018 at 01:12 PM

JS

“ Denise and Family,
My deepest condolences for your entire family at this time of sadness. Please find strength within each other and love you all have for Cody. I am so sorry.

Sincerely,
John

John Sarbekian - June 29, 2018 at 01:12 PM



“ We are deeply so sorry for your lossour thoughts are with you and your family during this difficult time.

June 29, 2018 at 01:12 PM



“ *Bryant family, My heart aches for the loss of Cody. I remember in Mayport, Florida, all of those years ago, the memories Carmine and I made with him. Playing outside, sleep overs, going to the pool, the list goes on. I've been thinking about you all a lot lately. I pray that you find peace during this time. Lots of love.*

Elisabeth Faul - June 29, 2018 at 01:12 PM



“ *I got to know Cody at Pres Homes. Though we only worked together a short time, he was someone I very much enjoyed working with. Besides doing his job well, he was funny and irreverent and great to work with. I always enjoyed stories Jon Huber shared with me about his and Cody's adventures. My heart goes out to his family and to his good friend Jon.*

David Dee - June 29, 2018 at 01:12 PM



“ *Denise , Bill and family-I am so very sorry for your loss! Praying for you.*

Judy Mekuly - June 29, 2018 at 01:12 PM

AL

“ My condolences to your entire family. Cody was always a bright smile and joy to see when we would hang out. I would always enjoy having him around, and his sense of humor was one of a kind. I will be keeping all of you in my prayers.

Alex - April 27, 2018 at 05:32 AM

TS

“ Dear Denise, Bill and family, While the loss of a loved one is never easy it is most certainly the hardest when they are taken from us too soon. Your recent loss of your son who has left us at such a young age is definitely in the category of those hard losses for which there is so painful a reminder of what might have been. We offer our sincere condolence and deepest sympathy to all who knew and loved Cody. May the outpouring of sympathy, the kind acts of friends and strangers and the comfort in knowing that your loss is felt by many, help you through this difficult time. May you find the courage and strength to move forward in peace and confidence and in knowing that his was a life well-lived. Yours In Peace, Teri Sikorski & Pat Stallone

Teri Sikorski - April 27, 2018 at 05:32 AM

CK

“ Peace be to Cody's memory. Our thoughts and prayers are with you all. Love, Cindy & Jac

Cindy Keale - April 27, 2018 at 05:32 AM

MS

“ Our prayers and love are with all of the family. We are saddened such a sweet young man was taken so early in life. He is now with God. His Granny, his aunts and others will look after him in heaven. Let your faith help you to move forward with your life knowing that one day you will be together again.

Hugs to all of you.

Love, Auntie Michele & Sergio

Michele Sibley - April 27, 2018 at 05:32 AM

MS

“ So sorry for your loss. Praying for you and your family.

Margie Stone - April 27, 2018 at 05:32 AM

JH

“ So sorry Billy... You know Stacey and I understand... Love to You and your family Cousin...

JOHN HOLLEY - April 27, 2018 at 05:32 AM

GT

“ Sarah and family, I was so sad to hear about Cody at school today. I loved talking to Cody in my office. No matter what I had to say he ALWAYS made me smile. He would have been a great policeman! He will be missed! I am sorry and will be praying for you all. Let me know if you need anything.

Gail Triveline - April 27, 2018 at 05:32 AM

CN

“ I am so sorry for your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with you.

Carl Norman - April 27, 2018 at 05:32 AM

LN

“ *Bill, Denise and family, I am so sorry for the loss of your beloved son. There are no words that I can say to make everything better, but please know my thoughts and prayers are with you always. Your family is one of the nicest I have ever had the pleasure of knowing. Your son/brother will always be with you. He's your guardian angel with you in spirit watching over and helping you from the other side. All my love and deepest sympathies to your family.*

Lisa Nowogurski - April 27, 2018 at 05:32 AM



“ *Eternal rest grant unto him...*

March 31, 2015 at 12:00 AM



“ *I extend my deepest condolences for your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with you.*

March 31, 2015 at 12:00 AM