



Cory S. Mathews

July 16, 1978 - November 22, 2021

Cory S. Mathews, age 43 of Alhambra, IL, died Monday, November 22, 2021, at his home in Alhambra, IL.

He was born on Sunday, July 16, 1978, in Belleville, IL, the son of Guy and Becky (nee Harris) Mathews.

Cory was born in Belleville, IL; grew up in Alhambra and graduated from Highland High School, Highland, IL, in 1996. He attended Belleville Area Community College, Belleville, IL. He lived in St. Louis, MO and later back to Alhambra. He worked for various restaurants. He enjoyed people, his pet dogs and cats and decorating.

Survivors include:

Mother - Becky S. Martin, Alhambra, IL

Aunt - Denise (Michael) Zobrist, Highland, IL

Aunt - Vicki Merkle, Highland, IL

Aunt - Sandy Mathews, Appling, GA

Aunt - Pat (Wayne) Connell, Appling, GA

Aunt - Denise Little, Vandalia, IL

Aunt - Mary Castleman, Lake of the Ozarks, MO

Step Mother - Sherry Mathews, Granite City, IL

Step Sister - Misty (Mike) Wheatley, Granite City, IL

Step Brother - William Black, Granite City, IL
Cousin - Shelley (Steve) Gibbs, Highland, IL
Cousin - Scott (Michele) Heinz, Highland, IL
Cousin - Chance (Audra) Zobrist, Highland, IL
Cousin - Derek (Stacey) Zobrist, Highland, IL
Cousin - Jeff (April) Schroeder, O'Fallon, MO
Cousin - Lisa (Jason) Schuetz, Alhambra, IL.

He was preceded in death by:

Father - Guy S. "Sam" Mathews

Paternal Grandparents - Jay & Ivy (nee Compton) Castleman

Maternal Grandparents - Dennis & Charlene (nee Wetzel) Harris

Uncle - Denny Harris

Uncle - Jay Castleman.

Arrangements are being handled by Dauderman Mortuary in Alhambra, IL.

Visitation will be held from 9:00 AM to 11:00 AM on Saturday, December 04, 2021, at Dauderman Mortuary in Alhambra, IL.

Memorial service will be at 11:00 AM on Saturday, December 04, 2021, at Dauderman Mortuary in Alhambra, IL., with Rev. Jeremy R. Wood, Pastor, Salem United Church of Christ, Alhambra, IL officiating.

Memorial contributions may be made to Metro East Humane Society.

Tribute Wall

DA

“ Cory, you never called me back and now I know why. You're with my Bobby now. I miss you dearly. You were one of the few people I could trust. You were taken too soon. Save a seat for me in Heaven. Love ya! My heart is broken for your family. I only knew you a short time and I'm devastated. You were such an awesome person. :-(

Dawn - January 02, 2022 at 04:02 AM

AJ

“ This is really disheartening, I send my deepest condolences...rest easy buddy....you will be missed...



Anthony Leon Reed Jr. - December 19, 2021 at 02:08 AM



“ Fiery Lily and Rose was purchased for the family of Cory S. Mathews.



December 02, 2021 at 06:13 PM



“ Rose Remembrance was purchased for the family of Cory S. Mathews.



December 02, 2021 at 02:34 PM

MH

“ *Becky my heart goes out to you. I have not lost a child, so I can't even begin to know how empty your heart is feeling. I never knew your son Cory, but I know his mother. That says everything about how wonderful of a man he was. God Bless*

Mike Horstmeyer November 30, 2021

Mike Horstmeyer - November 30, 2021 at 01:21 PM



“ *Express Sympathy and Condolences "I Have You in My Heart" with Butterfly Wind Chime was purchased for the family of Cory S. Mathews.*



November 29, 2021 at 09:02 PM

SH

“ *He was a good soul.*

scott halverson - November 26, 2021 at 01:43 PM

CQ

“ *Charity Quick lit a candle in memory of Cory S. Mathews*



Charity Quick - November 24, 2021 at 08:46 PM



“ *Becky we love you and are praying for you. Cory was a bright light in this dark world! He always had a big smile for me and Tanner! I pray he's at peace, he deserves it.*

Charity Quick - November 24, 2021 at 08:45 PM