



Aaron Mathis, Jr.

October 19, 2006 - April 25, 2023

Aaron Peter Mathis, Jr., 16, Topeka, Kansas, passed away Tuesday, April 25, 2023, at Stormont Vail Hospital.

Aaron was born October 19, 2006, in Cedar Rapids, Iowa to Aaron P. Mathis, Sr. and Heather Jones. He attended Topeka Public Schools. Aaron was ambitious and strong-willed. He enjoyed basketball and was a Washington Redskins football fan. Aaron was very charismatic, funny and had a smile that could light up any room.

Survivors include his father, Aaron Mathis, Sr.; siblings, Arianna, Aaliyah, Avayah, Amonte, Tayona, Jontraya, Madison, Payton, McKenna, Nevaeh and Jenniyah; grandparents, Felicia, Virginia, Timmy and Jeff; aunts, Meredith, Monique and Lisa; and a host of uncles, cousins and friends. He was preceded in death by his grandmother, Kim Kreipe and brother, Adrian Jones.

Aaron was an organ donor and even in this tragedy, he has given lasting gifts to the recipients and their families.

Funeral Service will be 6 p.m. May 15, Monday, at Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home, 2801 SW Urish Road, Topeka KS 66614.

In lieu of flowers, please consider a donation to the funeral home to assist

Aaron's family with expenses.

Condolences may be sent online to www.kevinbrennanfamily.com.

Previous Events

Funeral Service

MAY **15**. 6:00 PM (CT)

Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home
2801 SW Urish Road
Topeka, KS 66614
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Tribute Wall



“ Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Aaron Mathis, Jr.



Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home - May 15, 2023 at 04:12 PM

AB

“ Our Heavenly Father, who gives us so much to delight in, also knows that we learn and grow and become stronger as we face and survive the trials through which we must pass. We know that there are times when we will experience heartbreaking sorrow when we will grieve, and when we may be tested to our limits. However, such difficulties allow us to change for the better, to rebuild our lives in the way our Heavenly Father teaches us, and to become something different from what we were—better than we were, more understanding than we were, more empathetic than we were, with stronger testimonies than we had before.

This should be our purpose—to persevere and endure, yes, but also to become more spiritually refined as we make our way through sunshine and sorrow.

From the Words of President S. Monson

Angalise Brinkley - May 15, 2023 at 05:59 PM

TM

“A beautiful soul transforms everyone graced by it's touch.” Young Aaron was such a soul and will be missed.
Aunt Teddy

Theodora Mathis - May 15, 2023 at 05:03 PM

DT

“As a teacher, kids come and go, each making their mark. But then there are “those kids.” Those kids that work their way into a teacher's heart just a little more than others. Aaron. Aaron was one of those kids.

He was always quick with a joke. His smile would light up an entire room. You knew when he was in the building. In the confines of the school's 4 walls, Aaron was one of the most charming kids I knew. As a matter of fact, that's how we described him, charming with tons of personality. Charming, tons of personality... with fantastic hair! Oh that hair.

There is no question that Aaron was definitely going places. He had endearing qualities. He'd have been happy for all the friends he'd have had. He was without question, someone you would follow and remember. And remembered he will be. I'm sorry you were taken so early Aaron, but I will not forget you.

David-John Tiemens - May 15, 2023 at 12:19 PM

BF

“Brinkley Family lit a candle in memory of Aaron Mathis, Jr.



Brinkley Family - May 15, 2023 at 10:10 AM

FW

“ To my family, as we try to understand why this happened, rest assure God doesn't make mistakes. The tragic loss of our beloved son, grandson, nephew, cousin and friend Aaron Jr. will stay with us forever. During this tragic, family members have reunited. I hope in lure of losing our beloved Aaron Jr., that we continue to strive to do our best and hold this family together. God's word, says, there is a time to weep, a time to mourn, a time to cry. Shed your tears, share your memories and hold each other a little tighter. I know one day, we will speak of Aaron, and things will get a little easier. Love you guys and keep your faith in God.

Felicia Waller-Boone - May 11, 2023 at 01:57 AM

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“ Felicia Waller-Boone lit a candle in memory of Aaron Mathis, Jr.



Felicia Waller-Boone - May 11, 2023 at 12:29 AM