



## Austin Blanchette

November 6, 1997 - May 6, 2005

Austin R. Blanchette, 7, of Bourbonnais, died Friday (May 6, 2005) at his home, following an extended illness. Visitation will be from 4-8 p.m. Monday at Clancy-Gernon Funeral Home, Bourbonnais. A funeral Mass will be celebrated at 10 a.m. Tuesday at St. George Catholic Church. Burial will be in St. George Cemetery. Memorials may be made to "Make-A-Wish" Foundation or the family's wishes. Austin was born Nov. 6, 1997 in Kankakee, the son of Brian and Carolyn Robertson Blanchette. He was a member of the first-grade class at St. George Elementary School. He attended St. George Catholic Church, attended CCD, was a member of the St. George 4-H Dragons, and enjoyed John Deere tractors, drawing, farming and family get-togethers. Surviving in addition to his parents of Bourbonnais, are one sister, Amanda Blanchette, at home; maternal grandparents, Nigel and Terry Robertson of Wilmington; paternal grandparents, Larry and Betty Blanchette of Bourbonnais; paternal great-grandmother, Olga Reynolds of Watseka; paternal great-grandparents, Robert and Oliene Blanchette of Bourbonnais; aunts and uncles, Sheila and Ryan Swearngen of Plainfield, Bruce and Kathy Robertson of Gibson City, Bonnie and Rick Nelson of Kankakee, Bernie and Amy Blanchette of Effingham; and several cousins.

# Tribute Wall



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**Clancy-Gernon Funeral Homes** - December 07, 2010 at 02:15 PM



“ *Brian, Carolyn & Amanda* <br><br>*We are so sorry for your loss.##imported-begin##Darcy Drummer##imported-end##*

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“ *I am sorry to hear of Austin's passing. i ½I know he and the family endured a great deal during his illness. i ½i ½Please accept my condolences. i ½##imported-begin##James Dawson##imported-end##*

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“ *I'm your best friend--Always and forever.<br><br>I am going to miss you! Brian, Caroyln, & Amanda you are all in our thoughts and prayers.##imported-begin##Ethan Bretveld & Family##imported-end##*

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“ Brian, Carol, Amanda-  
  
  
  
I am so sorry for your loss, yo  
i ½prayers.  
  
  
  
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bless you!##imported-begin##The Lynch Family##imported-end##

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“ We are so sorry for you loss. i ½Sam and Jenna spoke fondly of  
Austin and will miss him greatly.  
  
  
  
Know that our  
prayers are with you.##imported-begin##Addison/Jody  
Goering##imported-end##

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“ Such a precious jem, and to have him go so early. i ½I have two  
children myself, a daughter 10, and a son 8 1/2, and I have no clue  
as to what I would do if I were to lose one of them. i ½All my  
thoughts and prayers are with you in this hard time. i ½  
  
  
Sincerely,  
  
  
Dana Nourie##imported-  
begin##Dana Nourie##imported-end##

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