



Brett Christopher Mayhood

December 30, 1993 - May 1, 2006

Brett Mayhood -- Bourbonnais Brett Christopher Mayhood, 12, of Bourbonnais, died Monday (May 1, 2006) at Comer Children's Hospital at the University of Chicago. Visitation will be from 4-8 p.m. Thursday at the Clancy-Gernon Funeral Home in Bourbonnais, and from 10 a.m. Friday at River Valley Christian Fellowship Church, Bradley, until the 11 a.m. services. Rev. Marcus Tate will officiate. Burial will be in Kankakee Memorial Gardens, Aroma Township. Memorials may be made to the Make-A-Wish Foundation or to the National Brain Tumor Foundation. He was born Dec. 30, 1993, in Kankakee, the son of Christopher and Nicole Rittmanic Mayhood. Brett was a student at St. George Grade School. He enjoyed playing with Legos, building models, baseball and video games. He loved the Chicago Bulls, bowling, animals and skateboarding. Surviving are his father of Bradley; his mother, Nicole Rittmanic of Bourbonnais; one sister, Kaya Johnson of Bourbonnais; paternal grandparents, Steve and Nancy Mayhood of Bradley; maternal grandparents, Chris and Ty Turner of Woodlawn, Tenn.; maternal great-grandmother, Mary Rittmanic of Bourbonnais; maternal great-grandfather, Jim Rittmanic of McKenzie, Tenn.; paternal great-grandparents, Gene and Jeannie Mayhood of Effingham and James and Joyce Shaff of Tower Hill; and several aunts, uncles, and cousins.

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“ My sincere condolences to the family as you experience the loss of a fantastic boy. I enjoyed helping Brett while he was at Parkview and rejoice with you in knowing he is home with his God.##imported-begin##Diane Biehl Kuiken##imported-end##

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“ Brett was a kind hearted student. He was hard-working and always wanted to do his best. He was a good friend to his classmates. His dry humor always made us laugh during class discussions. I enjoyed him in my classroom at Parkview Elementary School. Brett will be missed by his friends and teachers at Parkview!##imported-begin##Mrs. DeBoer##imported-end##

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“ I did not know Brett, but I knew of him. He came to our school after he would have been in first grade, and I teach first grade at Parkview. I do remember his smiley face in the hallway, and that he always seemed happy to be here. I have heard of his struggle, and I want the family to know that I am praying for everyone. I wish you all peace, for surely Brett is peaceful in heaven.##imported-begin##Nancy Stabile##imported-end##

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“ I knew Brett from his arrival at Parkview in 2nd grade, until he moved after starting 5th grade here. He was a wonderful kid, with way more than his share of trials. I feel thankful that he stopped in to say hello about a month ago. His Parkview friends and classmates are all feeling his loss greatly. My sincerest condolences to Brett's family.##imported-begin##Avis Shapiro##imported-end##

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“ Our prayers are with you Brett. God Speed!##imported-begin##George, Tina, Chase, Trevor, and Connor Tuominen##imported-end##

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“ Mary, I pray that God will give your family the strength to endure this. Trust in God and know that he makes no mistakes. It's easy to say he is in a better place, but know that God loved him enough not to continue to let him suffer. Thank God for the 12 years he blessed your family with him. He touched so many lives in a short period of time. Brett will always be an angel watching over you. He's smiling right now saying, "I'm ok". I will continue to keep your family in my prayers, and when you feel like you can't go on, just call on the name of JESUS and he will see you through.

God Bless You All,

Tamika##imported-begin##Tamika McCaleb##imported-end##

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“ I AM THINKING OF YOU & YOUR FAMILY DURING THIS DIFFICULT TIME. GOD BLESS YOU.##imported-begin##SUSAN YORK##imported-end##

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“ Mary, We have talked about Brett many times recently. I have prayed for you every day. As recently being diagnosed with cancer myself, I felt a connection to your heart and prayers will continue to be with you and your family. I am caring for him now.##imported-begin##Pat Williams##imported-end##

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“ I also mourn your loss and will keep you all in my prayers. I am caring for him now.##imported-begin##Marilyn Setticasii##imported-end##

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“ My prayers are with you and your family in this $\frac{1}{2}$ time of sorrow. $\frac{1}{2}$ ##imported-begin##Dallas Williams##imported-end##

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“ I feel so blessed to have known Brett and it was my good fortune to have been assigned to his classroom every year while he attended Parkview school (2nd through 5th grade). $\frac{1}{2}$ Needless to say we spent countless hours together. $\frac{1}{2}$ My mind has been flooded with memories of our time together, but it is his laughter I will miss the most! He touched my life deeply and I will never forget him. $\frac{1}{2}$ I will not say goodbye to him, only "see ya later" but until we meet again in heaven, I will miss you Brett. ##imported-begin##Laura Ridgley##imported-end##

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“ We Love and Miss You! ##imported-begin##Scott + Amy McLean##imported-end##

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“ NULL ##imported-begin##Andrea Gilbert##imported-end##

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“ I recently heard about your loss via a transaction on ebay/half.com. This is a very harrowing time, undoubtedly for this young man's family, friends, and acquaintances. My condolences go out to you, his family, friends, and acquaintances to what must have been a terrible end to this bitter battle. I pray you all well in the future. Although I've never met one of you, I cannot help but think of how strong he must have been to face such a great ordeal, and how happy he must have been to have so many great people caring for him.##imported-begin##Corey Schimpf##imported-end##

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“ I only knew Brett a short time in the fall. He was very articulate and patient with his work, as he was a good little artist. His friends here at Parkview are thinking about him a lot this week and will remember him.##imported-begin##Miss Hall##imported-end##

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