

## Zachary M. Yactzak

July 24, 1984 - October 24, 2021

Zachary M. Yactzak, age 37, of Kankakee, passed away Sunday, October 24, 2021 at his home.

He was born July 24, 1984 in Kankakee, the son of Martin & Patricia Jennings Yactzak.

Zachary was a truck driver.

He was a graduate of Herscher High School. Zachary enjoyed hunting, camping, and doing mechanical work.

He served in the Army National Guard and was called to active duty in Afghanistan.

He was a member of Trinity Lutheran Church in Herscher.

Surviving are one son, Robert N. Yactzak of Dwight; his mother & step-father, Patricia & Harold Scheller of Springfield; his father, Martin Yactzak of Mississippi; one sister, Elisabeth Yactzak of Chicago; one brother, Joshua & Jeffery Daniels of Carlinville; one nephew, Jaxen N. Daniels; paternal grandmother, Ida Yactzak of Kankakee; maternal grandmother, Norma Bell of Herscher; and several aunts, uncles, and cousins.

Zachary is preceded in death by one brother, Nicholas Yactzak; paternal grandfather, Robert H. Yactzak; and maternal grandfather, Donald Jennings. Cremation rites have been accorded.

A memorial visitation will be held from 10:00 a.m. until the 12:00 Noon memorial service on Friday, October 29, 2021 at Trinity Lutheran Church in Herscher. Pastor Eric Brown will officiate.

Inurnment will follow at Trinity Lutheran Cemetery in Herscher.  
Memorials may be made for his son's education.

# Cemetery Details

## Trinity Lutheran Cemetery

Herscher, IL

# Previous Events

## Memorial Visitation

OCT **29**. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

Trinity Lutheran Cemetery  
Herscher, IL

## Memorial Service

OCT **29**. 12:00 PM (CT)

Trinity Lutheran Church  
255 E. 3rd  
Herscher, IL 60941

# Tribute Wall

BW

“ So very sorry for your loss, Prayers to all family and friend, Friends of family many years. Hugs and Prayers to each and everyone. Dana and Bob Warhurst

Bob Warhurst - November 08, 2021 at 12:42 PM

NM

“ I send prayers for his family and for his son



Nicole moldovan - November 02, 2021 at 09:58 PM

RH

“ Thoughts & prayers for Zach & his family! 🙏  
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Ron & Sharon Hoffman - October 28, 2021 at 10:45 AM

DW

“ To Norma & all the Yactzak family, So sorry for your loss, Zack seemed so kind & caring. With Our Sympathy, Donna & Merlyn Witheft

Donna Witheft - October 27, 2021 at 12:34 PM

DS

“ *Dennis Dunlavey Sr lit a candle in memory of Zachary M. Yactzak*



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**Dennis Dunlavey Sr** - October 27, 2021 at 11:03 AM

RC

“ *Richard Chambers lit a candle in memory of Zachary M. Yactzak*



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**Richard Chambers** - October 27, 2021 at 09:18 AM

RC

*My prayers are with the whole family. May God be with each every one of you during this trying time*

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**Richard Chambers** - October 27, 2021 at 09:22 AM

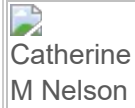
CA

“ *Prayers for Zach and his whole family at this time. Rest in peace soldier. You were a good man*



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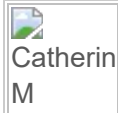
**Catrina** - October 27, 2021 at 08:22 AM



“ *Catherine M Nelson lit a candle in memory of Zachary M. Yactzak*



Catherine M Nelson - October 27, 2021 at 07:18 AM



*Rest in peace* 🕊

Catherine M Nelson - October 27, 2021 at 07:18 AM



“ *It feels like a lifetime ago when he would show up at my dad's. He had just gotten home from his tour, and I was on the cusp of enlisting, he promised me he would help me get prepared. We would run for what felt like miles for me but a brisk walk for him. By run I mean I would complain and whine the whole time and he would smile and laugh at me and push for just a little further. Dispute my terrible attitude about exercise he showed up for me every night and always brought with him encouragement and smiles. We lost a gem of human who had compassion and love for everyone!*

Ashley Bauman - October 26, 2021 at 09:28 PM

DA

“ *Dear Family of Zachary, So sorry for your loss, Thoughts and Prayers to all family and friends. Dana and Bob Warhurst.*

danawarhurst - October 26, 2021 at 09:17 PM