



Nicholas Robin Dillon

June 24, 1977 - September 4, 2024

IN MEMORY OF:

Nicholas Robin Dillon

Serving Location:

CRAIN FUNERAL HOME – ANNA

135 West Vienna Street, Anna, Illinois

Nicholas Robin Dillon, age 47, of Anna, passed away suddenly on Wednesday, September 4, 2024.

Nicholas was born on June 24, 1977 to Robin A. and Betsy (Womick) Dillon in Cape Girardeau, Missouri.

He was a 1995 graduate of Anna-Jonesboro High School and worked as a manager for United Rx Pharmaceuticals. He coached Jr. Wildcat Football and recently made Assistant Coach of varsity football at A-J. Nicholas was an avid Chicago Cubs fan and a fan of the Chicago Bears. He was of Christian faith. Nick was a big hearted soul that never knew a stranger and would help anyone in need. He loved his daughter, Hanah with all his heart. He loved his friends and had many. He loved his family. His personality was larger than life and will be so very missed.

Survivors include his daughter, Hanah Dillon; mother, Betsy (Evan) Stewart; father, Robin (Debbie) Dillon; sisters, Amanda Dillon (Michael Bigler), Stephanie Bowen (Kayla Quertermous), Kristen (Jeremy) Stegle, Julie Pierce; brother, Tim (Sarah) Stewart; girlfriend, Sarah Sanders; nieces, Lilly Tripp, Katie Stegle, Lauryn Stegle, Ashtyn Pierce; nephews, Logan Pierce, Jack Stewart, Liam Stewart, Jack Bigler; grandmother, Hazel Stewart; step-children, Raegan Sanders, Emma Sanders, Lexi Sanders; special cousins, Matt Dillon, Adam Dillon, Nate Kirt, Alex Kirt, Dee Dee Blakely, Rick Kirt, Jeremiah Womick, Jessie Wells, Carol (Mike) Wagner, Adam Whiting; and numerous family and other friends.

He was preceded in death by his grandparents, Paul & Edith (Lacy) Dillon, Ted & Winnie Womick, Fred & Nora Chamness; uncles, Everett Dillon, Jack (Joyce) Dillon, Roger Dillon, aunt Dorothy Kirt and uncle Don Kirt; uncle, David Ury, and cousin, Randy Kirt.

Visitation will be held on Monday, September 9, 2024 from 11:00 AM until 2:00 PM with funeral service to follow at 2:00PM with Bill Littrell officiating at Crain Funeral Home in Anna.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests with gratitude that memorial contributions be made to the A-J Huddle Club. Memorial envelopes will be available at the funeral home.

Immediately following the service, A-J Huddle Club will be hosting a meal in the cafeteria of Anna-Jonesboro Community High School.

Crain Funeral Home, Anna, Illinois is in charge of arrangements.

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 9. 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM (cst)

Crain Funeral Home - Anna
135 W. Vienna St.
Anna, IL 62906
(618) 833-2176
crain@crainsonline.com

Funeral Service

SEP 9. 2:00 PM - 2:30 PM (cst)

Crain Funeral Home - Anna
135 W. Vienna St.
Anna, IL 62906
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Tribute Wall

JF

“ *Rest in Peace.*

Joy Fox - September 18, 2024 at 05:41 AM

“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Nicholas Robin Dillon.*



September 08, 2024 at 11:10 PM

PD

“ *Pat Duffy purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Nicholas Robin Dillon.*



Pat Duffy - September 08, 2024 at 11:17 AM

RC

“ *I saw Nick 2 weeks ago at the Dairy Queen talking to elderly man from one of the homes in Anna we there at least an hour or so and took the time to talk to this gentlemen he seemed he really enjoyed that Nick recognized him and enjoyed there visit . Nick had a great heart and it really showed that day . My prayers are with Robin & Family that God will wrap his arms around you and let you know that he is there every step of the way in these days to come .*

Roger Crews - September 07, 2024 at 01:49 PM

AW

“ Adam Whiting and Carol Wagner purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Nicholas Robin Dillon.



Adam Whiting and Carol Wagner - September 07, 2024 at 11:14 AM

PD

“ Patrick, Lisa and John Dillon purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of Nicholas Robin Dillon.



Patrick, Lisa and John Dillon - September 07, 2024 at 09:27 AM

TD

“ The Wright's - Ed, Chris, Clay, Danielle purchased the Written in the Stars for the family of Nicholas Robin Dillon.



The Wright's - Ed, Chris, Clay, Danielle - September 06, 2024 at 11:08 AM

JD

“ Jack & daddy purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Nicholas Robin Dillon.



Jack & daddy - September 06, 2024 at 10:40 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Nicholas Robin Dillon.*



September 06, 2024 at 09:26 AM



“ *Mike and Terresa Chamness and family purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Nicholas Robin Dillon.*



Mike and Terresa Chamness and family - September 06, 2024 at 09:22 AM



“ *We had Nick in our wedding, 40 years ago, as our Ring Bearer. He was the cutest little boy, ever! Many years later, he was working at a facility in Cobden, where our dad passed away. He was very kind. Loved his smile. Such a tragic loss. We will always love you, Nick!*

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Wes and Eileen Wilkins - September 06, 2024 at 01:40 AM



“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with you all.*



Carol & Randy George - September 05, 2024 at 11:12 PM

NC

“ We are so sorry for your loss Betsy, Evan and family. Just know that your North Benton Baptist Church Family is praying for you all.

North Benton Baptist Church - September 05, 2024 at 09:00 PM

BC

“ Becky, Brenda, Lori and Cindy purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Nicholas Robin Dillon.



Becky, Brenda, Lori and Cindy - September 05, 2024 at 08:27 PM

CU

“ Scott and I would like to send our sympathy to all the family. We will keep you all in our prayers!

Carolyn Ury - September 05, 2024 at 08:12 PM

BH

“ I worked with Nick at United RX up until 2016. We remained friends due to our shared love of the Cubs and the Bears. Our coworker, Kegan would always say Nicks last name wrong to tease him. Nick Dill-eee-own, so fancy 😊. I've probably seen Nick draw the wishbone formation and the plays he'd use from it 100s of times. I wish I could remember more of his Union county "isms" but he always had us laughing. Just hands down one of the best people I love gotten to know

Brittany H - September 05, 2024 at 05:55 PM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Nicholas Robin Dillon.*



September 05, 2024 at 05:33 PM



“ *My most recent memory of Nick is when My Aunt (Karen Trammel) was in hospice care. It was later in the evening/ night and most of our family had went home to rest; my aunt was getting tired and was ready to go to bed herself. Nick just picked my aunt up like a parent would carry their child, and carried her to her bed. With what little strength she had left, she wrapped her arms around Nick's neck and hung on for the ride. It was beautiful and heartbreaking at the same time. My heart broke for Nick in that moment because I know it wasn't emotionally easy but at the same time, I thought to myself, wow! What a genuine guy. It was like everything had came full circle in that moment. Thank you Nick for being so kind and caring and may you rest in peace. Praying for your family during this difficult time.*

Megan Coyle - September 05, 2024 at 03:33 PM



“ *I met Nick at my daughters and son in laws home, Jamie & Rebecca Yates. One day he brought pizza over for the family, and Miles did not like that particular place pizza, so Nick left and picked up Miles his own pizza at a different place. What a sweet gesture he did. Anytime we saw him there he always had kind words, a smile and lots of laughter. I know the Yates family will be missing him. And especially his family. May God wrap his arms of peace and comfort around all of you during this time and days ahead*

Terrie & Willie Rhymer - September 05, 2024 at 03:16 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Nicholas Robin Dillon.*



September 05, 2024 at 01:49 PM



“ *You will be missed Nick. There was never a time when I saw you that you didn't give me that big strong friendly hug with that amazing smile. My deepest heartfelt sympathy goes out to all of your family and friends. Rest in peace Nick.*

Susan Webel - September 05, 2024 at 01:39 PM



I want Betsy to know that Kathie and I will be there on Monday. Nick was the sweetest person ever. His smile literally would always make you smile! I have been praying for you and all the family. Something that many people do not know about him was how he helped take care of Aunt Winnie and the strength he had to take care with Uncle Ted. May God bless you and all the family. He's probably helping our Lord with Uncle Ted. 🤔🙏

Nan Hooks - September 05, 2024 at 05:59 PM