



# Ryan Daniel Reed

November 17, 1997 - December 6, 2015

Ryan Daniel Reed, 18, of Murphysboro, passed away at 3:39 a.m. Sunday, December 6, 2015 at Barnes Jewish Hospital in St. Louis, Missouri.

Ryan was born on November 17, 1997, in Carbondale, Illinois, to Charles Reed and Teresa (Wyatt) Reed.

Ryan was a Senior at Carbondale Community High School. He liked Anime and wrestling. He enjoyed making films and being a stunt man and playing video games. He loved playing with his brother. He invented a game called "Ryanland" and he loved to write. He enjoyed many other things. He had dream of becoming a police officer and a writer.

He was a very thoughtful, caring, loving and forgiving person. He always put others need before his own.

Ryan is survived by his mother Teresa of Murphysboro; his father Charles of Herrin;

one brother Brandon Reed at home, one sister Elena Myers and one nephew La'Marieon Myers, both of Carbondale;

his grandparents Carol and Charles McMannis of Murphysboro, Pastor

Charles and Ruth Reed of Michigan,  
Joe Wyatt of Granite City;

aunts and uncles Albert and Jill Walker of Maryville, Kevin and Theresa Walker of Murphysboro, Stacy Bader of Murphysboro, Tim and Dixie Reed of AZ, Mike and Violet Reed of Minnesota, and Joy and Jerome Clarke of Mich. ;

sixteen cousins Will Crisler, Mary Crisler, Nicole Crisler, Katelyn Walker, Cassidy Walker, Tara Walker, Kevin Walker, Mikayla Pearson, Jamie Blaize, Joycelyn Qualls, Misty Pipkin, Melissa Hawkins, Jeremy Clarke, Joshua Clarke, T. J. Reed, and Tara Reed;

many second cousins including Jonathon Qualls and Nathan Qualls;

and several great aunts and great uncles Steven Qualls, Robert Qualls, Phyllis and Jerry Johnson, Darlene and Larry Fox, and Eugene and Peggy Qualls;

and many, many friends.

He was preceded in death by his best friend Gavin Flynn, his uncle John Bader, great grandparents Bert and Helen Qualls, Alice and Bo Wyatt, great uncle Raymond Wyatt, and great aunt Jayne Wyatt.

Funeral services will be held at 1 p.m. Friday, December 11, 2015, at Pettett Funeral Home with Rev. Charles Reed officiating and burial at Dillinger Cemetery. Visitation will be from 5 to 8 p.m. Thursday and Friday until the hour of services. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the family. For more information, please visit <http://www.pettettfuneralhome.com>.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Ryan Daniel Reed*

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October 23, 2023 at 06:26 AM



“ *May you find some relief in the Memorial Page I designed for you.*

*Bob aka VETERAN*

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**VETERAN** - January 12, 2016 at 12:11 AM



“ *I an so sorry for your tragic loss. You are in my thoughts and prayers.*

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**Jane Adams** - December 13, 2015 at 03:02 PM

TB

“ There are T-shirts that are being sold in memory of Ryan and his friend Gavin. All funds will go to Ryan's and Gavin's families.

The order forms are available at the Carbondale Community High School or from Pettett Funeral Home.

The prices are \$ 12.00 per t-shirt from small to X Large

\$ 13.00 for XX Large.

The due date is 3 p.m. Tuesday, Dec. 15th. The forms and money can be taken to the Carbonale Life Community Center or the Carbondale Community High School. (Make checks payable to Meghan O'Leary. Money is due at the time of the order. Cash or check only.)

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**Teresa Basinger** - December 10, 2015 at 07:38 PM

JW

“ When you were very young I used to hold your hand so you could walk with me. When we meet again you can hold my hand and I'll walk with you. Grandpa

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**Joe Wyatt** - December 09, 2015 at 11:26 PM

TB

“ Ryan lived next door to me and my Son for several years. Ryan was quick to lend a hand, and I would always see him mowing the yard, or playing with his Brother and friends in the drive. He will truly be missed, and my heart goes out to all of his relatives and friends.

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**Tony Bittle** - December 09, 2015 at 04:49 PM

JW

“ I held your hand when you were very young. The next time we meet, you can hold mine. Love, Grandpa.

Joseph Wyatt - December 09, 2015 at 10:16 AM

MP

“ I remember when Ryan, aunt Teresa and Brandon came down to Arkansas a few years ago. They were staying at the resort down by the river. We had all grilled out and made fried chicken and a big mess of Crawdads. Ryan pretty much ate every single piece of meat. Especially the fried chicken. He wasn't a veggie type of guy, he loved his meat and potatoes. This is one thing I will always remember about him.

Mikayla Pearson - December 08, 2015 at 09:53 AM

TF

“ Your family is in our thoughts and prayers.

The McIntyre family - December 08, 2015 at 08:01 AM

MT

“ I am so sorry for your loss. I am praying for you all and thinking of you during such a difficult time.

Sincerely,  
Mrs. Thomas

Mrs. Michelle Thomas - December 07, 2015 at 09:23 PM

NM

“ *Forever changed. Love to everyone touched  
by this tragedy*



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**Noah's Mom** - December 07, 2015 at 08:53 PM