



## Sgt. Ryan Patrick Schetter

March 20, 1986 - February 15, 2018

Sgt. Ryan Patrick Schetter passed away at his mother's home on Feb 15th 2018 at the age of 31.

He was born March 20, 1986 to Barbara (Long) and Scott Schetter.

Ryan enlisted in the United States Army in July of 2004 where he served two tours in Iraq prior to returning to his home town to continue his military career as a Recruiter. Ryan was honorably discharged in 2014. Ryan had such passion and was a loving and dedicated Son, Brother and Uncle. Care and passion beyond limits. Determined to remain true to himself and continue to be "stubborn" by all definition.

He is survived by his parents, Barbara Gleason (Aggie) and Scott Schetter (Sandy). Siblings: Tyler Underwood (Kaitlyn) and Brandon Gleason (Janell) and Grandparents: Jim and Deanna Long, Bonnie Puckett, and Elmer and Sandy Schetter.

He will be greatly missed by all who knew him especially his niece Shaelyn and nephews Gabriel and Cash and those he loved as his own Kay, Sage, and Jude.

To honor Ryan's two deployments to Iraq and his love and dedication to his country the Patriot Guard will escort Ryan to his final resting place at the Missouri State Veterans Cemetery in Bloomfield. The procession will leave from Crain Funeral home in Cape Girardeau on Monday, Feb 26 at 9:45 am. Graveside military honors for Sgt. Ryan Patrick Schetter will be held at the

cemetery at 11:00 am.

Anyone that wants to ride their bike please do. After the service everyone is invited to join his family and friends for a meal served in Oran at the Jaycee Hall.

Family request donations to be made to either to American Foundation for Suicide Prevention [www.afsp.org/capegirardeau](http://www.afsp.org/capegirardeau) searching either Barb Gleason or Ryan Schetter or PETSFORVETS <https://www.petsforvets.com/donate>.

Crain Funeral Home in Cape Girardeau is in charge of arrangements.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Sgt. Ryan Patrick Schetter*

October 23, 2023 at 06:26 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Sgt. Ryan Patrick Schetter.*



February 26, 2018 at 01:52 PM



“ *Ryan was a dedicated member of our Student Veterans Organization at Southeast. He was always willing to provide a helping hand with our Veterans Transition Home or stop by the Military & Veterans office on campus to talk with or hang out with other student Vets. What I remember most about Ryan is that even if he was having a really bad day when he stopped by the office, he'd always have another student Vet or staff member smiling or laughing before he left. We were deeply saddened to hear of his passing, and we offer our most sincere sympathies to his friends and family.*

*-Office of Military & Veterans Services & Student Veterans Organization @ Southeast Missouri State University*



**Amanda Woods** - February 26, 2018 at 11:34 AM

LB

“ Lydia Bohnert lit a candle in memory of Sgt. Ryan Patrick Schetter



Lydia Bohnert - February 24, 2018 at 11:05 AM



“ Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Sgt. Ryan Patrick Schetter.



February 23, 2018 at 03:31 PM

MS

“ Barb,  
My heart and prayers are with you and your family during this hard time. I served with Ryan and was with him during his 2005-2006 deployment to Iraq, he was a great person, friend and Soldier the world will be less with out his presence. Please extend my condolences to you and all your family.

SFC Mark Saunders



Mark Saunders - February 22, 2018 at 05:24 PM

CO

“ So sorry to hear of your loss Barb. My heart hurts for you. I know your boys are your pride and joy! Prayers for your family during this difficult time. Courtnie-WIC



Courtnie - February 22, 2018 at 10:57 AM

MG

“ so sorry for your loss,we lived next door to ryan and sara for a few years and got to sit and talk with him. he was a great guy and will be missed. mike and donna

mike gentry - February 22, 2018 at 09:15 AM



“ Sapphire Skies Bouquet was purchased for the family of Sgt. Ryan Patrick Schetter.



February 21, 2018 at 02:34 PM

KS

“ I knew Ryan through his mother, Barb. I never met him, but through the stories she shared and the great love that a mother carries in her heart for her children, I felt as if I knew a little of him. As a friend of Barb's, I grieve for the brokenness of her heart. As a fellow veteran, I salute Sgt. Ryan Schetter - another Comrade has fallen, may God's peace embrace him. Love and prayers for the family, from me, Kim Sellers, and from the staff and volunteers at Birthright.

Kim Sellers - February 21, 2018 at 11:49 AM



“ I am overwhelmed and extremely thankful for the outpouring of love and support. I wish that Ryan could see all the post, donations, and support. No matter how many he surrounded himself with he always felt alone. My dear son may you never feel alone again!



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**Barb Gleason** - February 21, 2018 at 10:13 AM



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**Jon Shaffer** - February 21, 2018 at 09:21 AM

VA

“ Ryan loved to ride his motorcycle. When we needed a break, we would just ride. The sound of truck revving up makes me smile and brings tears. His eyes lit up when playing w his nieces and nephews, and our children. He loved them more than anything in the world. Ryan was such an amazing person, soldier, partner, friend; the list goes on. Please share your stories. We would love to hear them. I love you, Ryan. You are forever in my heart, my grizzly bear.



Vanessa - February 20, 2018 at 11:20 AM

VA

*Memorial Arrangements for Sargent Ryan Schetter. To pay respects please join his family and friends at Mo Veteran Cemetery in Bloomfield, Feb 26,2018 at 11am.. To honor Ryan's two deployments to Iraq and his love and dedication to his country the Patriot Guard will escort Ryan to his final resting place at the MO State Veterans Cemetery in Bloomfield, Mo. Procession will leave from Crain Funeral home in Cape Girardeau Mo at 945. Anyone that wants to ride their bike please do. After the service everyone is invited to join his family and friends for a meal served in Oran at the Jaycee Hall.*

Vanessa - February 20, 2018 at 12:36 PM