



Elijah Aschbrenner

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Elijah Matthew Aschbrenner, age 10, of Concord went to be with Jesus, surrounded by his loving family on November 10, 2015 at his home.

Survivors include his father Matthew Donald Aschbrenner (Jamie Knebel); mother Rebecca Hanson Hughes; step-father, Bill Hughes; grandparents Larry and Kathie Aschbrenner, Larry and Evelyn Hanson and Sue Hughes; and great-grandmother Dorothy Grimm; Aunt Julie “Ree”, Uncle Kris; Uncle Pleasant; brother Samuel; step-siblings, Lauren, Noah, Justin, Veronica, Delynn and Sofia.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the Prayers for Elijah Foundation, PO BOX 5011, Concord, NC 28027. This foundation was set up in Elijah’s name to help other families with a pediatric cancer diagnosis.

A private memorial service will take place in the chapel of James Funeral Home. This service will be officiated by Thaddeus Bullard AKA WWE Star Titus Oneil.

A “celebration of the Days of Elijah” will be held at a later date. To post online condolences and see update service information visit www.jamesfuneralhomeLKN.com.

James Funeral Home of Huntersville is serving the family.



Tribute Wall

Elijah Aschbrenner

DH

David Harrison posted:

One life that touches hundreds is a life well lived. Blessings and sincere condolences to the family and community.

December 1 at 6:43 AM

SP

Sandy Plemmons posted:

Elijah will forever be imprinted on my heart as a courageous lion. My prayers are with your whole family as you heal and find a place of peace. Elijah: flirtatious, funny, determined, original, one-in-a-million, faithful warrior. Anointed one. Love, Sandy Plemmons MTJ Foundation

November 17 at 11:00 AM

GS

Greg, Amber & Eric Smeal posted:

It is so amazing to see all the beautiful comments and how many people Elijah touched all over the world. People with cancer themselves have found courage to fight. Communities have rallied together. Professional athletes took notice and pitched in to help a boy who touched their hearts. We will forever love your boy Elijah and we will never forget how he touched our lives.

November 16 at 1:27 PM

CC

Cm Black Construction Company posted:

All of us at CM Black extend our deepest sympathies and pray for peace and comfort in the days ahead for the entire family.

November 16 at 5:21 AM

TF

The Lagasse Family posted:

What a precious boy! Our hearts ache for you. The days ahead will not be easy but rest assured that Jesus is right there with you. Cry out to Jesus when you feel overwhelmed. Elijah is free!!! Praise God his battle is over and he is walking streets of Gold!! He is not gone he lives on in each of you as well as each of us that were privileged enough to follow his journey. What a mighty, sovereign God we serve. Praying for comfort and peace that passes all understanding for your family!

November 15 at 6:44 AM



Tribute Wall

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MB

Marilyn Barker posted:

I agree completely with Dennis. I loved this precious boy as if he were my own even though I never had the honor of meeting him. God Bless his sweet Mother, Sam and all his family. I will never forget him.

November 14 at 12:43 AM

TF

The Castro Family posted:

Elijah, it has been an honor for our family to be a part of your life. We will always love you and keep you close to our hearts. Thoughts and prayers for your family who continue to amaze us with their strength. May you rest in peace. Love, The Castro Family Mike, Kim, Nicholas, Tyler and Jonathan

November 13 at 6:15 PM

KC

Ken (Doughboy) Cloaninger posted:

Elijah even tho I was unable to meet you I think my cross spoke for me. You are at peace now Rest well.

November 13 at 7:16 AM

LN

Lynne And Woody Neese posted:

Elijah was a true soldier of God. Throughout his young life he gave testament about God's word. He faced his final battle with true grace. He knew where he was going and seemed to not fear the end of his life as he knew it. He got his Medal of Honor on Tuesday when he received his Angel Wings. He leaves behind a legacy that few can ever hope to accomplish. He pulled so many people together from the famous to the friend next door to those who only knew him through the internet. We are truly saddened by his passing even though we know that he is now healed and no longer in pain. Our thoughts and prayers go out to those he left behind, friends and family alike.

November 13 at 6:20 AM

TF

Threatt Family posted:

"God only cries for the living, cause it's the living that are so far from home." (Diamond Rio) Our hearts are broken, but forever changed. GOD BLESS.....

November 12 at 8:03 PM



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HS

Helen L Sawyer posted:

To paraphrase something I just read...Elijah's wings were ready but your hearts were not. Thanks for sharing Elijah with us. Just one picture defined him as a real sweetheart. My prayers have always been for healing and comfort for Elijah and his family. Please know I will continue to pray for you all! Blessings, Betty Sawyer

November 12 at 6:09 PM

CJ

Christopher Jones posted:

I am sorry to hear of his passing may God give your family strength as your heart grieves may he guide you all through this time of need give you comfort to everyone he touched God Bless.

November 12 at 5:44 PM

CS

Christine R Smathers posted:

I never met Elijah, but since hearing his story I have lifted him and his family up in my prayers daily. My heart breaks for the entire family. Please know that prayers are still being said for all of you.

November 12 at 2:20 PM

BR

Billie Roling posted:

We have prayed for Elijah and his family during this entire journey. He is so blessed to have such a special family, a family devoted to his fight, his healing and his spiritual warfare! You may not feel like it right now but you are a rare and beautiful mother Becky. You gave all of yourself with such grace and faith. Sam you have a great destiny to use this for good in your future. Elijah will be watching over you all. I will continue to pray for peace and healing in your lives. May God bless you, keep you, shine His face on you and forever give you peace.

November 12 at 1:58 PM



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JK

Janet Kaufmann posted:

To the Aschbrenner Family -- from all of us here at New Beginnings Moravian Church Your family and Elijah's battle with cancer was brought to our attention by one of our littlest members during our Prayer Request time in our Sunday School class many months ago. We have been praying for him, and you all, ever since. Please know we are so very sorry for your loss, but happy that his pain is over. Will continue to keep you all in our prayers as you adjust to his not being in your midst. I have no doubt he is watching over you, and you will see each other again. Blessings.

November 12 at 9:56 AM

DD

Daryl Kunkel & Janell Dreyfus posted:

Our condolences to your family. We wish you all peace and the comfort of God during your time of sorrow.

November 12 at 9:29 AM

RP

Rhondi Pia posted:

I love you Elijah and family....so very sorry for the loss of your beautiful boy. No words can ease your pain. I pray for your comfort.

November 12 at 9:16 AM

PH

Penny Harrington posted:

So very sorry to read this. Such a precious little face. God is now holding Elijah's sweet face in his hands. This family is in my thoughts and prayers for the days ahead.

November 12 at 8:16 AM

LM

Linda Mainor posted:

So sad about Elijah's death but so happy that he is released from his pain and suffering and is now running the streets of gold in the presence of our Lord Jesus.. I know he will be missed by his family and friends. Praying for the family.

November 12 at 8:10 AM



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DM

Dennis McMahon posted:

Fly, fly little wing
Fly beyond imagining
The softest cloud, the whitest dove
Upon the wind of heaven's love
Past the planets and the stars
Leave this lonely world of ours
Escape the sorrow and the pain
And fly again
Fly, fly precious one
Your endless journey has begun
Take your gentle happiness
Far too beautiful for this
Cross over to the other shore
There is peace forevermore
But hold this mem'ry
bittersweet
Until we meet
Fly, fly do not fear
Don't waste a breath, don't shed a tear
Your heart is pure,
your soul is free
Be on your way, don't wait for me
Above the universe you'll climb
On beyond the hands of time
The moon will rise, the sun will set
But I won't forget
Fly, fly little wing
Fly where only angels sing
Fly away, the time is right
Go now, find the light

November 12 at 7:56 AM

TF

Terri Frye posted:

I had to honor to meet Elijah through my grandson Jaxon Frye. Elijah touched so many hearts. I remember that big smile of his. He was an angel here on earth and now is an angle in heaven. My heart goes out to his mom and brother, also the rest of his family. May God wrap his arms around you and help you through this. Just know that he will be watching over you, and will be waiting for you. God bless you.

November 12 at 7:48 AM

KS

Kathleen Schumacher posted:

I am a member of Hickory Grove Baptist Church and I work with children in Awana. Last evening it was brought to our attention that Elijah had passed away. As a group of leaders, we had prayer at that time for the family. I had never met the young man, but with the group of children that I help with their memory work, we always remember him in our prayer time. Just wanted to let you know that he was lifted up in prayer each Wednesday night during our prayer time. Even though I did not personally know this young man, he has touched my life and just wanted to say that I am sorry for your loss.

November 12 at 6:38 AM

DB

Dale Beaver posted:

Becky and Family, May the peace that passes understanding guard your hearts and minds. Much love, Dale and Family

November 12 at 6:32 AM



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MT

Ms. F. Taylor posted:

Sincere Condolences To Aschbrenner Family,I hope you have peace, comfort and strength to face the days ahead. And loving memories to carry you through this sad time. With Heartfelt Sympathy.

November 12 at 5:46 AM

JJ

Jen Scarrow (For Jordan) posted:

Like all children, Elijah was a beautiful gift from God! I was truly honored and blessed to see and feel God's presence and awesome power at work through Elijah and your family! Elijah's strength and courage touched so many people, as did his smile. I simply cannot find the words-my mind is filled with thoughts- but I cannot find the 'right words'... I thank God that you have been surrounded by family, friends, and loved ones, who were able to give your family the support and comfort you needed. I will continue to pray for your family, and the people God placed in your life who supported you through this journey. May God continue to bless, comfort and give peace to all of you!

November 12 at 5:11 AM

BG

Barbara And Don Garraghty posted:

We are so sorry for the loss of Elijah to this loving family who never gave up hope for a cure. He was an inspiration to young and old alike to never give up. His smile will be remembered forever. Our prayers are with the family in this most difficult of times.

November 12 at 5:05 AM

EG

Elizabeth Gaddis posted:

I often wonder...what kind of legacy will I leave when it's my time to go home....well I sure hope it's like the legacy your sweet Elijah has left. A legacy of perseverance, strength, faith, hope, smiles, pretty sure a multitude of genuine hugs, and a love for life that can only be given from knowing his savior Jesus Christ, his comforter the Holy Spirit, and his Father in heaven. Although I was never blessed with knowing him personally, I knew him as a brother in Christ and look forward to the glorious day we will all be together in our forever home. Until then, I pray and ask the Holy Spirit to fill you with a peace that passeth all understanding and can only come from above. I will think of your Elijah every time I hear that song "Days of Elijah" and I will now sing it and smile through it for more than one reason. ❤️❤️ Much love, big hugs, and a multitude of prayers to those that were the heartbeat of his life!Elizabeth G.

November 12 at 3:28 AM



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KJ

Kristy Weaver Jackson posted:

Elijah touched the hearts of more people in his short life than many people could touch in 100 years. He has been a bright light shining the love of Jesus for so many to see. He beautiful smile could light up a room and his loving spirit has been a testimony of his faith through this entire earthly trial. Thank you for sharing your sweet boy with all of us, and for letting us fall in love with him too. God has used Elijah to strengthen my relationship with Him, and I know many others would testify to the same. Your family will be in my thoughts and prayers! I love you guys!

November 11 at 9:00 PM

AR

Amy Reilly posted:

I am so very sorry for the loss of your beloved Elijah. May you all be bathed in the love, light, strength, and comfort from the Lord. May he help to ease your pain and suffering. Elijah brought a ray of light to my life. He brought hope, peace, and love into my life. Thank you for sharing your beautiful, loving, kind family with all of us hear in Facebook land. I feel honored to have been part of this journey. You will all be in my thoughts and prayers.

November 11 at 8:23 PM

DW

Dara W posted:

This young man at 10 has touched my heart , more than most adults every could. I cried when I read of his passing . I am so very sorry for your loss and having to go through this Elijah and family. I wish I would have had the pleasure of meeting you. You have touched the hearts and lives of people you can't even begin to imagine. My thoughts and prayers will continue to be with your family . I pray for Gods peace and understanding to wrap around all of you during this most difficult time.God Bless and love Always. Xoxo

November 11 at 8:02 PM

WP

Wilson Pacheco posted:

mi mas sentido pesame a todos ustedes he seguido la historia de elijah y me duele su partida solo le pido a dios que el este en el reino hermoso el paraiso es un angel que cuidara de ustedes fuerza en el corazon gracias

November 11 at 7:49 PM



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KC

Karen Costello posted:

Even though I did not know Elijah personally I am deeply saddened by his passing. I know that God has a special place for him. I will keep all of you in my prayers.

November 11 at 7:34 PM

GS

Glenda Slattery posted:

My thoughts and prayers go out to your family. Elijah touched so many hearts. May God watch over you all.

November 11 at 7:06 PM

MJ

Marie Johnson posted:

So very sorry for the loss of your Precious Angel Elijah. Elijah was such a Blessing and inspiration to so many. Our Prayers go out to your family for comfort, peace and strength. Rest in God's word knowing you will be reunited with your sweet boy again one day with our Heavenly Father. Sending Love to all of you!

November 11 at 6:59 PM

AW

Alicia Williford posted:

I have been following Elijah's page for a while and have been praying for you all! I'm so sorry for your loss. I too have a 10yr old son and can't imagine the pain you have been through or emotions you will continue to go through. With Gods love and strength he will see you through! God bless you and your family! You will continue to be in my prayers!

November 11 at 6:43 PM



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BS

Beverly Searcy posted:

We are so sorry for the loss of your precious Elijah who gave it all he had until the very end. Words are so hard to come by at times like these because death is a sad thing anytime but when it is a child it is especially difficult but we know Elijah is no longer suffering and The Lord welcomed him into the heavens yesterday and I am sure it was with open arms! He was such an adorable young man and with a smile that just lit up the room and he had so many friends he did not even know about thanks to all the Facebook prayers and all the other avenues where prayers were offered up! Of course we all wanted a different ending to this journey and I do have to ask why Lord but then I must remind myself it is not for me to question His will but to accept it. I just pray that Becky and his dad, his grandparents and his precious brother Sam can get some rest and know they will be reunited with Elijah again one day! God bless Elijah!

November 11 at 6:18 PM

TC

Traci Clemons posted:

I am so sorry. I followed Elijah's story through a friend and the Facebook page. He touched my life and the lives of many others. The family is in my prayers.

November 11 at 5:59 PM

LC

Linda Clay posted:

I am so very sorry for your loss. You all have my heart and my prayers. I truly wish I would have been able to meet your amazing son/brother. Because of him I found prayer again! Forever grateful for the lives of so many he touched. He wa la so special and I know you are so proud how his testimony of life touched so many. Elijah left a huge legacy in his time on earth. Looking forward to meeting him in heaven. Si many prayers and so much love sent your way

November 11 at 5:54 PM

JM

Julie Mikus posted:

Every time I saw a picture of your sweet boy's face it pulled at my heart strings. May your family be surrounded with love and comfort that only God can provide. I am so sorry you have to go through this. My heart goes out to you.

November 11 at 5:39 PM



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CS

Charlotte Fire Station #3 posted:

On behalf of the members of Engine 3 and Rescue 3 our heartfelt sorrow and prayers for you and your family. As seen from the comments left here and the words of condolences and prayers on Elijah's prayer page, your son has touched some many lives. Many of which you have never met. Members of this community and professional athletes alike have been with Elijah and your family through it all. Through prayer, t-shirts, ribbons, fundraisers and donations to his foundation. Elijah is one of the strongest, most caring, humble and bravest 10 year old man I have ever met. We mourn with you...May God bless you and hold you tight. ""Let not your hearts be troubled. Believe in God; believe also in me. In my Father's house are many rooms. If it were not so, would I have told you that I go to prepare a place for you? And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and will take you to myself, that where I am you may be also. And you know the way to where I am going.""John 14:1-4

November 11 at 5:35 PM

KM

Kristina Mcdermott posted:

We learned about Elijah about a year ago. My 6-year old and I prayed for him every night since. He, and your family, became our family. I so sad for your loss. I am so grateful he was yours to have and to hold for his time here on earth. God entrusts the most special souls to the most trusted. He knew you would be the best family for him. He is no longer suffering. In God's Kingdom, he is healed. He can run and laugh and play. He is again, 100% complete. He is, and will always be fully connected to you. You will just have to wait a while before you see him again. Love, prayers and peace for you.

November 11 at 5:27 PM

JH

Jeri Herder posted:

you don't know me but I have been following your story of your beautiful son Elijah, he has touched my heart and I will miss seeing his beautiful smile , he has fought a strong battle and did it well but God wanted him to rest in his arms, one day you will be reunited with him until then he will be watching over all of you may God wrap his arms around you Rest in Peace Elijah

November 11 at 5:17 PM



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HP

Haven Phillips posted:

I'm so sorry to hear about your loss. I've been praying for Elijah for months now. He has touched so many lives, including mine. I'll be continuing to pray for you all during this time. I've never met you, or Elijah, but I want you to know that I cared about him and I care about all of you! Much love to your whole family.

November 11 at 5:11 PM

DA

Deborah Armstrong posted:

I am so sorry. I have prayed this day would not come. Elijah has touched so many people. He was a very special young man I won't forget his beautiful eyes and his smile. I pray Sam and all your family will be comforted knowing he's not in pain anymore and you will see him again. God Bless all of you during this terrible time.

November 11 at 5:09 PM

JA

Judy Abrams posted:

Elijah....one of these days we will meet face to face. Until that day enjoy being with Jesus and wear that glorious smile on your face.

November 11 at 5:02 PM

DM

Donna Maske posted:

Although I had never met Elijah, he touched my life and he will continue to do so. I send prayers of peace to you, his family and friends as you begin a new journey. There are no words of comfort that I can give, to take away your pain. Our Father God, does promise that one day, He will take away all our pain and tears. Revelation 21:4 He will wipe away every tear from their eyes, and death shall be no more, neither shall there be mourning, nor crying, nor pain anymore. Elijah's pain is over, yet yours has just begun. One day, your pain will be replaced with joy and love as you are re-united in paradise with this beautiful child. May God hold tight to you. Donna Maske and Family

November 11 at 4:50 PM

SL

Samantha Lockwoos posted:

Prayers to you all. Thank you for sharing his journey with me and so many others. He changes my life in so many ways. May God be with you at this time.

November 11 at 4:45 PM



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VM

Vanessa Mendiola posted:

So sorry for your lost heaven has another angel now May God give your family straight in this moment my prayer with you and your family always .

November 11 at 4:34 PM

DA

Deborah Armstrong posted:

I'm so sorry. Elijah has touched my heart like no other child except my grandchildren. He has so many people that love him that has never met him Your son was a special child.I pray for Sam and all your family during this terrible time. God bless all of you.

November 11 at 4:34 PM

BM

Bobby Mills posted:

Thank you for sharing Elijah's story. It impacted me on many levels and the Holy Spirit spoke a message through your family, I will never forget. "Faith and believing are your cure" and today this statement is absolute truth. You have walked in faith, and given so much, and many are better today for following Elijah. My heart, love, and prayers go out to all of you who this child impacted. God uses the smallest of people to deliver the biggest of messages. "Faith and believing are your cure" - Elijah

November 11 at 4:28 PM

LM

Leslie Mcmillan posted:

My prayers are with you all! Elijah will live on in all of our hearts. He was able to make such a huge impact on us all during his life.

November 11 at 4:22 PM

JT

Jenna & Tina posted:

Fly high and spread your wings Elijah ... Sore through the wind and fly for you are free. Though I have never met you I will never forget the impact you have made on my life .Love , Jenna Lane Snyder

November 11 at 4:07 PM



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SW

Sandy Ward posted:

The R. Brown McAllister School family sends our condolences to this family, at this most difficult time of your lives. RIP Elijah!

November 11 at 4:06 PM

CJ

Christy Kay Johnson posted:

I am so sorry for your loss. Elijah was a special blessing. I never meet him face to face but he holds a special place in my heart. I prayed for him and family daily. Elijah touched the lives of so many . I pray you find the peace you need to heal from your loss. Thank you so much for letting me and so many others be apart of Elijah's Journey. I know no amount of words can easy the pain you are feeling. I will have your family in my thoughts and prayers. Elijah was a beautiful blessing. Those smiles posted would warm my heart. Fly high little man. You will surely be missed. love and prayers.

November 11 at 4:05 PM

CL

Connie M. Laughter posted:

Becky, Sam and extended family, My heart is breaking for you. I was one of the many prayer warriors for precious Elijah. My 5 year old granddaughter and I prayed and proudly wore our t shirts for Elijah. It has been such a privilege and blessing to have been a part of his life! Elijah touched more lives and achieved more in his ten years than most will in a lifetime. Heaven has truly gained a special angel! Our prayers continue for you. You are loved!

November 11 at 3:54 PM

LW

Laurie Williams posted:

My heart goes out to you all. Elijah became a part of so many families. I will keep you all in my prayers especially sam. Hugs, love and many prayers

November 11 at 3:43 PM

KG

Kelly Gross posted:

Well said, I feel exactly the same, prayers for the family.

November 11 at 3:23 PM



Tribute Wall

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SS

Samantha Stalford posted:

Although I live in Massachusetts and never got to meet him, Elijah has touched my heart. The strength, courage and faithfulness of your family has inspired me and you are all in my thoughts and prayers. I wish Elijah could have received a miracle, but his presence was a miracle to everybody whose lives he touched. I am terribly sorry for your loss and for the pain that you are all feeling, sending my love from MA

November 11 at 3:22 PM

DH

David Henningee posted:

I have followed your family on facebook and prayed for your family during your battle. I will continue to pray for your family. No words can express. Matthew 19:14 Jesus said " Let the little children come to me, and do not hinder them, for the kingdom of heaven belongs to them"

November 11 at 3:21 PM

JJ

Jj Jones posted:

Sweet Elijah ... As I write this note ... I absolutely know that you are running and dancing in the eyes of our Lord ... Your young body is strong, healthy and pain free again and I rejoice in the fact that you are able to sit on the knees of our Savior and have him wrap his loving arms around you ... Send your sunshine to mommy daddy and Sam and upon all that loved .. cared about and prayed for you during your illness ... Now that i know you are in the finest place I will now focus my prayers on all that made your days on earth awesome ones. You have blessed so many with your love of life ... SHINE BRIGHTLY beautiful boy ... You did so much more in your short life that some will ever do ... Rest In Peace Elijah .. Rest In Peace ...

November 11 at 3:20 PM

RB

Rosita Blackwelder posted:

Thank you for sharing Elijah with all of us!! May you find peace knowing he is healed! Our prayers are with your family now as you take on a journey without Elijah. Know that he will always be with you in your hearts! You are truly a blessed family to have had a special Angel that touched so many peoples lives! To this I say thank you for allowing us to be blessed also.

November 11 at 3:07 PM



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JH

Jenny Hicks posted:

Beautiful life, beautiful child, so blessed by Elijah's life. Prayers for each of you during this time.

November 11 at 3:06 PM

MG

Melanie Gaston posted:

Fly high Elijah! You have touched many lives including mine. I will never forget your smile and of course your colorful hair and personality. Praying for all of the family and friends!

November 11 at 2:59 PM

AN

Anna posted:

Just beautiful.

November 11 at 2:49 PM

PM

Patrick Murphy posted:

My deepest prayers for your loss. May you find comfort in happy memories and solace in the prayers of your friends.

November 11 at 2:49 PM

JW

Jonnie Ward posted:

I am so so sorry for your loss. May the Lord comfort you give you rest and peace in the days that follow. You are all in my thoughts and prayers . My heart is heavy for you all .

November 11 at 2:40 PM

MS

Marla Seifert posted:

While I never had the pleasure of meeting Elijah, he touched my heart with his fighting spirit and all the kind things people had to say about him. My heart goes out to your entire family, and to all those who knew and loved him. May your hearts find comfort and peace in the memories you hold so dear.

November 11 at 2:28 PM



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LC

Liz Correa posted:

We lost a beautiful child that touched many hearts. I will always remember my favorite Warrior with the beautiful smile. There is one more angel smiling at us from heaven. Rest in peace dear Elijah!

November 11 at 2:26 PM

LB

Lou Brooks posted:

I loved Elijah's beautiful smile. I will always remember him. Sending prayers for his family.in this difficult time.

November 11 at 2:22 PM

BE

Brandy Egnor posted:

I never met Elijah first hand but by being the nurse at Harris Road, I quickly felt part of him. Always checking the updates to see how he was doing. Although the miracle didn't happen for us here on earth as we anticipated, it did for Elijah and his legacy at such a short age has and will continue to reach millions. To hear a NFL player describe the size of his heart on national tv is beyond words. I will pray for you all to feel God's peace daily. ❤️

November 11 at 2:19 PM

RL

Russ Latko posted:

Can we imagine spending 1/3 of our defense budget on finding a cure for this scourge? Please. My family has been deeply touched following this story.

November 11 at 2:18 PM

JW

Jennifer W posted:

I will never forget the first time I had the pleasure of meeting Elijah, he walked in with bright neon yellow/orange hair and I knew immediately that he was THE coolest kid ever . He always mustered a smile for me and played along with my jokes, no matter how sick he felt or how terrible the jokes were. Elijah truly touched so many hearts, even for those of us who only interacted with him for a few moments at a time. He was such a sweet soul and truly a blessing. I honestly can't help but smile when I think about him. I pray for peace and healing for your family during this time. Know he is safe, smiling with those bright blue eyes and watching over you all.

November 11 at 2:15 PM



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BG

Brenda Graver posted:

My thoughts , prayers and condolences to Elijah's family , friends and the many people that he touchedmay his legacy continue to touch people far and wide. Fly free Elijah fly free

November 11 at 2:15 PM

KP

Kenneth Peterson posted:

My dear young friend: be joyous in the loving arms of our Savior the Lord Jesus Christ. You are forever free of suffering. Young Elijah, over the coming years your loving parents, friends and those who prayed for you will come to where you reside in God's holy heavenly home. By the grace of God I will be one of them and will have the joy to be your friend and brother in Christ forever.

November 11 at 2:13 PM

BM

Briana Moretto posted:

rip Elijah. You fought an awesome fight. You stayed so strong for so long, and I'm so happy for you. Now you're in heaven with Jesus, without pain. You're one of the angels above us now, watching over our families and keeping us safe. Even though this is sad, you aren't in pain anymore. I am praying for you and your family. I love you Elijah

November 11 at 2:08 PM

MS

Michelle Bailey And Wesley Sherrill posted:

Matt, Please know that our prayers are with you and your family. We are deeply sorry. Know that God will comfort you during this time.

November 11 at 1:48 PM

CG

Clyde Gulledge posted:

My thoughts and prayers are with his family. I've been following Prayers for Elijah since I was diagnosed with colon cancer in 2014. His strength and courage inspired me to keep going and not let it get me down. Your family will continue to be in my prayers everyday. Your brief time here touched a lot of people including me. Thanks for your contagious courage and smile! Rest in peace, Elijah.

November 11 at 1:48 PM



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Elijah Aschbrenner

AD

Andreia Dakis posted:

Rest in peace my angel.... without even meeting you face to face, you changed my life forever.

November 11 at 1:44 PM

EE

Elizabeth Erwin posted:

I am so sorry for your loss of such a beautiful soul. You are in my prayers

November 11 at 1:43 PM

MA

Monica Schlaudroff (Chemo Angel) posted:

Dearest Family, I am saddened by the passing of your dear "Angel," Elijah. In the short time I had the honour of knowing Elijah, he made such an impact on my life. Your love and his faith and positiveness were a blessing to me. I am at a loss for any further words, but please know you will be in my prayers. Love, Monica

November 11 at 1:42 PM

SV

Sonia Velazquez posted:

Very so sorry my player RIP for the family

November 11 at 1:37 PM

JM

Joy Motte posted:

I'm so sorry for your loss. You're in my thoughts and prayers.

November 11 at 1:35 PM



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JM

Jerold Marlow posted:

This kid has given me more hope about a lot of things in life. Though i never met or knew him, he was such an inspiration and such a strong person. It is difficult to understand why such a young and beautiful life was taken so early from his family. But we all know God has a plan that many times we dont understand and it is difficult to accept. Your strength in the days, months and years ahead will be bearable because of the legacy he has left that has inpired so many others. Your faith will sustain you and you must rely on that faith and on your family. Bill, my Prayers are with you and your family, but happy this young man is having the time of his life right now.

November 11 at 1:27 PM

SD

Stephanie Dufault posted:

I pray for strength for the family, he impacted so many people and a huge difference in so many lives, he is a hero and an angel of grace, he is the true meaning of amazing. RIP Elijah one day we will all get to see you again.

November 11 at 1:24 PM

DF

Dona Frickson posted:

God's speed little Angel. You have touched so many lives. You are finally out of pain. From family arms to Christ's loving arms. Fly little Angel Fly. Thank you for sharing this beautiful child with us. My heart goes out to little Sam , dad , mom and all the family. Prayers.

November 11 at 1:17 PM

SJ

Stephen Jones posted:

I am sorry for you loss I never met elijah personally but his story really touched me and he was truly and inspiration he was a special angel he really touched my life and made me a better person the world needs more people like elijah in this world he will truly be missed he will always be on my mind and on my heart heaven gained a very special angel last night

November 11 at 1:15 PM

JM

Jane Marshall posted:

Wise beyond his 10 yrs.. So brave and I called him my Hero, he shamed me with his mazing spirit.....we in Michigan learned to love him.....so sorry for your lost.....prayers are with his family

November 11 at 1:13 PM



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ME

Melena posted:

My 8 yr old son an i want to say we are so so sorry about your loss... our hearts are broken..Rip ELIJAH

November 11 at 1:13 PM

MT

Martha Taylor posted:

My condolences to the family, I pray very hard for Elijah and shed tears for him this morning. To Sam your brother will always be with you and at times you will feel him. Fly high Elijah

November 11 at 1:12 PM

SR

Stacy Rand posted:

My thoughts & prayers are with you all. Fly high with the Angels sweet soul!! Sending all my Love from Boston, Ma PEACE LOVE :-) ALWAYS, Stacy Lynn Rand Boston, MA

November 11 at 1:10 PM

RB

Rebecca Barnard posted:

Fly high big boy! At a loss for words.....u know your in heaven free of pain. You have touched so many people. You are loved and will be missed Elijah. Keep watch over your family. God bless you all!

November 11 at 1:06 PM

CG

Coach Mark Julie Jordan And Aiden Gervais posted:

Becky, Sam and your entire family...we are so terribly saddened with the loss of Elijah. We have to believe that God has his reasons why he took him so quickly from you in order for him to be with God. This young man has touched so many lives and had such an impact on mine that I want to thank you for letting me be a part of it. I have been able to see things in a different perspective ever since I've met him. You are blessed to have had such a wonderful angel as a son, brother, nephew, and grandson. He will forever be looking down on you now with his wings. We will all meet up with him sometime in the future but for now he will be your guardian angel until you do. This year's 9/10 basketball team that I will be coaching will be in memory of your son Elijah!!!

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RC

Robin Caltagirone posted:

Please know our family holds yours in our hearts and in our prayers today and always. Your beautiful warrior's story changed people's lives, Elijah reached thousands . We are so very sorry for your loss and all everyone has gone through since the first days. Love and prayers for strength, Robin, Bri, Ally and Garrett

November 11 at 12:51 PM

DM

Dennis McMahon posted:

For once in my life, I am at a loss for words. I never had the honor of meeting Elijah face to face; but he had hold of my heart so strongly, that I felt him inside of me. I feel like I lost a part of my heart. I always referred to him as "my little soldier"; because he fought a hard battle. He changed me in so many ways. I never thought it was possible to love someone that you have never met face to face; but Elijah proved that notion wrong. He will ALWAYS hold a special place in my heart, until the day I finally meet him face to face. Sam...always remember, his body might be gone; but Elijah will always be inside of you, whenever and wherever you go. You two had a special bond, like I've never seen two brothers have before. To Becky and the rest of the family, just know that he is finally at peace...no more pain....no more suffering. He is with God, has ring side seats at Wrestlemania and at Talledega. I lost a special friend November 10th. A friend I will NEVER forget. Rest in Peace my little soldier. I love you.

November 11 at 12:46 PM

TH

Tabitha Hand posted:

I am so very sorry for your loss. My heart breaks for you all. My God be with you during this very difficult time. Knowing that Elijah was welcomed into Heaven and is no long in pain and no longer suffering. Thinking about you and your family!!

November 11 at 12:46 PM

JP

Jill Prater posted:

Prayers go out to your family! While I didn't know Elijah, he touched many of us and opened up many hearts during his short time! If all of us could model our lives by loving others and enjoying life as Elijah did, the world would be a much nicer place!

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NB

Nicole Buchanan posted:

I'm so very sorry for your loss of Elijah my thoughts and prayers are with you all. What a brave young man to endure so much, never gave up. R.I.P. Elijah fly high

November 11 at 12:38 PM

PR

Phyllis Ramos posted:

Acknowledge his life has touched so many.....love, hugs and prayers.

November 11 at 12:33 PM



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