



## Kyle Christopher Craft

September 21, 2008 - November 17, 2017

Kyle Christopher Craft age 9 of Kansas City, Kansas peacefully passed away at his home surrounded by his loving family. He was born in Merriam, Kansas September 21, 2008 the son of Kristen Amber Johnson and Robert Edward Craft.

Our Sweet Kyle was born healthy and then when he was four months old everything changed. Kyle started to have grand mal seizures which did a lot of damage. This was the start of our journey. A journey of endless doctor's appointments, surgeries and hospital stays but it was also a journey of strength, perseverance, hope, faith and mostly love. Kyle was the strongest little boy I know and through him I learned as mother to fight for him with everything I had and that's exactly what I did.

Kyle touched so many lives with his bright smile. Even in the hospital, Kyle would smile and he loved to flirt with all the nurses. I always told him that his smile was his gift. Kyle was such a bright light in this world and we all miss him so very much.

Kyle enjoyed bowling, playing in Miracle League baseball, dancing at Starstruck Performing Arts Special Needs Class and camp at Midnight Farm where he did therapeutic horseback riding and his Make A-Wish Foundation trip to give kids the world village where everything was adapted for wheelchairs.

Kyle was preceded in death by his sister Kaylee Ann Craft; aunt Shelly Denise Huddleston; grandfather Richard Dennis Huddleston Sr.

He is survived by his mother Kristen Amber Johnson and her husband William of Kansas City, Kansas; father, Robert Edward Craft of Edwardsville, Kansas; maternal grandmother, Susan Huddleston of Kansas City, Kansas; paternal grandparents Terry Ray and Robin Lynn Craft; paternal great grandparents, Bob and Dee Campbell of Stover, Missouri and Ed and Carol Craft of Kansas City, Kansas; uncle Richard "Ricky" Dennis Huddleston Jr. and his wife Shatterria of Olathe, Kansas; two brothers, Noah Alexander and Izaiah Flores; two sisters, Kasey Nicole Craft and Jaqueline Elizabeth Johnson; and many cousins.

Funeral services will be 11:00 A.M. Wednesday, November 22, 2017 at Maple Hill Funeral Home, Kansas City, Kansas with the burial to follow at Maple Hill Cemetery. A visitation will be from 9:00 A.M. - 11:00 A.M. Wednesday, November 22, 2017 at Maple Hill Funeral Home. Memorial Contributions may be made to the Make A-Wish Foundation of Missouri and sent in care to 13523 Barrett Parkway Drive, Suite 241, Ballwin, Missouri 63021.

# Cemetery Details

## Maple Hill Cemetery

2301 S 34th St  
Kansas City, KS 66106  
(913) 262-6610  
info@maplehillfuneralhome.com

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV **22**. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Maple Hill Funeral Home  
3300 Shawnee Dr  
Kansas City, KS 66106  
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## Funeral Service

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## Burial

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# Tribute Wall



“ Kyle Christopher Craft

October 08, 2023 at 10:59 AM



“ Kyle Christopher Craft

September 17, 2022 at 08:24 PM



“ Kyle loved Nana and Papa. We loved him. I learned how to take care of him and he spent alot of time with us. Whenever he came over whoever was carrying him better hold him tight because he kicked and laughed when he seen us. Kyle could never talk but he communicated with his smile, laughter and litte noises he could make. He was the happiest little guy you could ever know. People were drawn to him. I hope you found Kaylee and you two are having fun. We will see you again. I'm saving up all my eskimo kisses for Nana's silly goose.

Nana - December 03, 2017 at 07:55 PM



“ Sorry for the loss of a super young man. God bless him and all the family. Ed and Carol our my Aunt and Uncle. Terry J Clark. Villach Austria



Terry J Clark - November 25, 2017 at 09:02 AM

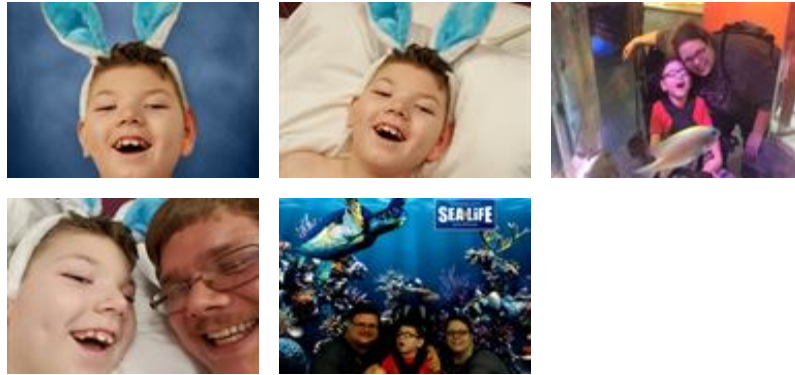
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“ I had the opportunity to work with Mr. Giggles for a short period of time. A time never forgotten by this nurse. He was such a strong soldier who enjoyed listening to others read. I know that Kyle loved his family because he would giggle or smile when hearing their voices. He was such a joy with beautiful dimples that accompanied his great smile. Kyle you now have your wings. Fly and be happy. Thanks for making me smile!

Nancy -LPN - November 21, 2017 at 04:48 PM



“ 176 files added to the album Life Tributes



Maple Hill Funeral Home and Cemetery - November 21, 2017 at 11:18 AM

WJ

“ With love... Betty, Michael and Joe purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Kyle Christopher Craft.



With love... Betty, Michael and Joe - November 20, 2017 at 02:36 PM

LD

“*The wolf will reside for a while with the lamb,  
And with the young goat the leopard will lie down,  
And the calf and the lion and the fattened animal  
Will be together.  
And a little boy will lead them.”*  
*Isaiah 11:6*

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**Lorraine Denson** - November 20, 2017 at 11:50 AM

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“*Love, Randy & Debby, Amanda, Kelly & Ron  
purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of  
Kyle Christopher Craft.*



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**Love, Randy & Debby, Amanda, Kelly & Ron** - November 20,  
2017 at 10:46 AM



“*Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of  
Kyle Christopher Craft.*

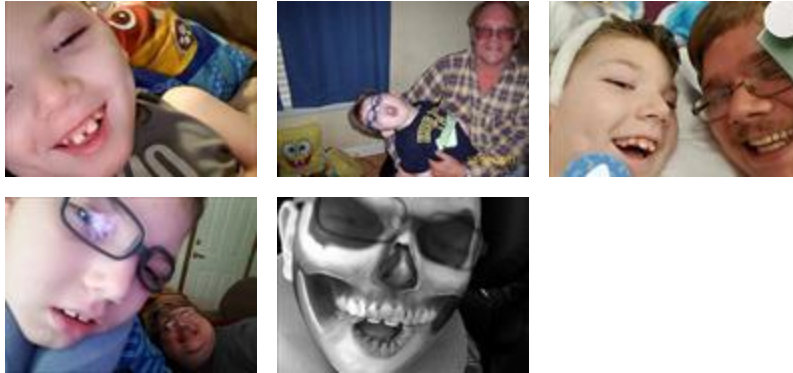


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“ I was lucky to have our moments. These are a few of them.

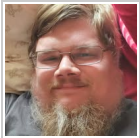


Bianca Ruth - November 19, 2017 at 11:00 AM

CM

“ We are gonna miss your smile Kyle. Much love and prayer for the families and friends, you were so loved by all who knew you.

Connie meier - November 18, 2017 at 09:37 PM



“ You are already missed so much by so many people Mr. Man. You touched so many hearts with your laugh and smile. You have the kindest soul I've ever known. Your gift was a special one for sure. Your body and mind are now as they should have always been. It was a privilege to get to know you and take care of you while you were here on earth and I'm so proud to call you my son. You are truly my hero. We will be together again in future days. Fly high, run fast, talk loud, laugh and smile always. Daddy loves you to the moon and back.

Robert Craft - November 18, 2017 at 02:06 PM