



## Christopher Wade Parratt

September 20, 2008

Christopher Wade Parratt, 17, of Powell left us on Saturday, September 20, 2008. He was a much beloved family member. Christopher was a junior at Olentangy Liberty High School where he sang in the choir. He had aspirations to be a Herpetologist and loved to fish and loved his family. He was preceded in death by his uncle, Clareld Robert Parratt. Survived by father Stephen and mother Crystal Carroll; brother Dusten Ryan; grandparents Roberta and Stephen Parratt; great-grandmother Ellen Enke; aunts Kathleen Huston and Charmaine Turner; many loving cousins and other relatives; sisters Selena and Joanna; niece Emma; brothers Frankie and Mannie; stepfather Frank; grandparents, aunts, uncles and cousins. Family will receive friends from 5-8PM Wednesday, September 24, 2008 at RUTHERFORD FUNERAL HOME AT POWELL, 450 W. Olentangy St. (Powell Rd./St. Rt. 750/1/4 mile east of Sawmill Pkwy) Powell, OH 43065 where a Memorial Service will be held at 11AM Thursday, September 25, 2008. Burial will follow at Union Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Christopher Wade Parratt Memorial Fund at any Key Bank for an underprivileged child to go to college. Condolences to <http://www.rutherfordfuneralhomes.com/>

# Tribute Wall



“ Christopher Wade Parratt

---

January 28, 2023 at 10:24 AM



“ Chris, i miss you with all of my heart. without you here to help me and make me laugh and smile i feel as if there is a part of me missing. although it has been 2 1/2 years, i still think about you everyday and the pain of losing you is still there as if it was the day after you left. you were my best friend and my most trusted friend. i can still remember the days at the pool. and all the pranks we pulled. i still remember all the smiles and laughs we shared. i dont think anyone will ever understand why you did what you did. i know that no matter how hard i've tried i cant seem to figure it out, you were always so happy. i know that many of us would like to know what was going through your mind in those last couple of hours, but we'll never know. you were and still are a very lover person. i love and miss you very much. i'll always remember that wonderful smile love always, Brooklyn S. Worthington

---

**Brooklyn S. Worthington** - May 09, 2011 at 12:00 AM

KC

“ To Chris' Family, My husband and I got to know Chris a bit this summer during his friendship with our daughter. He was truly a gem; kind and thoughtful, and sweet to Anna. I was so sad to hear the tragic news of Chris' passing, and so sorry I could not be there to say goodbye as I was out of the country at the time. We have memories of Chris' cravings for Cheezits and love of homecooked food. We have some pictures of Chris with his friends from this past summer and the start of the school year. Please let us know the best way to get them to you. We are comforted in the fact that Chris made a decision of faith this past month, and look forward to being with him in heaven. Laura Cleveland

---

**Kyle and Laura Cleveland** - September 27, 2008 at 12:00 AM

AS

“ To the Parratt Family: I have two students at OLHS, and we have heard so many good things about Chris. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.

---

**Amy Steinhoff** - September 26, 2008 at 12:00 AM

DB

“ Dear Chris's Family: We are deeply saddened by your loss. While we knew Chris for only a short time, the times he came to our home are happy memories. We rode the bus with Chris and threw snowballs while at the bus stop last winter. As many have said already, we will remember his kindness and smile. We are praying for all of you during this time. Chris's Friends, DJ, Morgan and Braydon

---

**DJ, Morgan and Braydon** - September 26, 2008 at 12:00 AM

LH

“ Dear Parratt Family; I cannot express in words how sorry I am for your loss of Christopher. Christopher was a special young man who could light up a room. We shared a good laugh almost every day when he stopped in my office for his daily supply of candy. I am very sorry that I cannot attend the service this morning as circumstances prevented it. Please know that your family are in my thoughts and prayers God Bless.

---

**Larry Holman** - September 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM

UN

“ May The Good Lord be with you during your time of sorrow, press into The Word of God and his love for you for guidance. God Bless With Love Olentangy Local School District Bus Driver

---

**Unknown** - September 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM

PH

“ Dear Parrott Family, We are so sorry to hear of the loss of your dear son, Chris. Our son is a senior at OLHS. We heard about your loss from him. Our hearts ache for you. We truly are saddened and our prayers are with you. May God give you the strength you need to get through this today and the rest of your lives.

---

**Pam Harman** - September 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM

GS

“ Dear Parratt Family, Our daughter Stephanie was in a couple of Chris's classes. We are so sorry for your loss, please know our families prayers and thoughts are with your family. We cannot imagine what you may be feeling, we only know Cris will be deeply missed by many people. May God be with you all during this most difficult time. We can only pray you feel the support from your community. Most Sincerely, The Sharlow Family

---

**Gary, Rebecca, Olivia and Stephanie Sharlow** - September 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

MS

“ *My sincerest condolences to Chris's family. I will remember Chris as the student who always would smile no matter the adversity he faced. He was a pleasant young man and who had great respect for the teachers and administrators at Liberty HS. As a former administrator at the high school, I knew that Chris would always be a pleasant person to speak with and I was glad I was able to get to know him.*

---

**Matt Sachtleben** - September 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

RF

“ *He will always be remembered as you share the stories and the memories of how he lived his life and how very much he meant to all of us, May you find comfort and, throughout this difficult time, may you also know the deep sympathy and concern that is felt for you and all your family. Sincerely, Robert M. Fultz*

---

**Robert M. Fultz** - September 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

RY

“ *To Christopher's family; Please know that my thoughts and prayers are with all of you at this time. Although I've never had the pleasure of meeting your son, It is obvious that he touched the lives of many and was deeply loved. My sons attended school with Chris, and although they did not know him well, they share in the sadness that the community feels. We will continue to pray for all of you in finding strength and peace.*

---

**Renee Yazrombek** - September 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

TF

“ We are so sorry for your loss. My son attends OLHS and ate at the same lunch table with Chris quite often. He has spoken of what a funny and nice person Chris was. He will be missed.

---

**The Perez Family** - September 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

TF

“ We are truly sorry and share your grief at this time. Our prayers continue to be for you and your family. We will miss Chris, his smile the most.

---

**The Pecikonis Family** - September 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

GC

“ To Christophers Family: Almost 5 months to the day, I lost my son Jordan and his girlfriend Sydney to a car accident, who also went to OLHS. Knowing what your going through and everyday after this, I just want you to know, my thoughts are with you and you just need to be strong. My deepest sympathy is with your family.

---

**Gwenn Cannon** - September 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

TT

“ I am a teacher at Hamilton Local School District and had Chris as a 5th grader at South. I was deeply saddened to hear about the death of Chris. I know this is a very difficult time for your family and I want you to know you are in my thoughts and prayers. Chris was a very creative and intelligent student. He was one of the students that stood out as having great potential. Please accept my condolences.  
*Tricia Wagner*

---

**Tricia Wagner, Hamilton South Teacher** - September 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

KW

“ chris we mill miss you soo much! we love you with all our hearts! your smile brightened everyones day! you will NEVER be forgotten! May your soul R.I.P

---

**kristin and eugene walker** - September 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

CZ

“ Chris I really miss hanging out with you at the libaray the memories we had together the fun times we had together I miss the qualities and things we had in common why Chris? why did you have to do this? well at least your in a better place now I Love You Chris with all my heart and soul

---

**Courtney Zelman** - September 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

PB

“ To Chris's Family: When your heart is empty, filling it with happy memories can help. I knew Chris as a student both at Hamilton South Elementary and Hamilton Intermediate Schools. I am deeply saddened by the news of his death. I always remember him for his sense of humor and marvelous gift for conversation. He was truly a great kid. I hope that you will be able to hold on to your happy memories of Chris and let them guide you through this time of sadness. Sincerely, Peggy Burge

---

**Peggy Burge** - September 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

CT

“ I will always remember Chris as the little third grader who had a great smile and wonderful sense of humor. It's hard for me to write this because of the tears and pain I feel for his loss right now, but he is worth every tear that falls from my eyes, and many more. I feel blessed to have known Chris, and have always felt he was a kind hearted person. Rest in peace Chris. Chris Ultican

---

**Chris Ultican Hamilton South teacher** - September 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

CR

“ I did not have the joy of knowing your son, but as a mother my heart aches for you. My son attended OLHS and had the opportunity to know Chris. My sincere condolences to your family. Our family is praying for God's peace in your hearts and strength to make it through this time.

---

**Crystal** - September 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

CS

“ I knew Chris From Hamilton South and then was fortunate to have him in 7th grade at the middle school. He was curious, creative, and had the potential to do great things. He was ornery but had a good heart! My condolences to your family; I know he will be missed every day.

---

**Chris Schuller** - September 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

TF

“ My son attends OLHS and has been deeply moved by the loss of Chris, as is our entire community. Your family is in our prayers. May you feel God's comfort. Our deepest sympathy, Tina, Samantha and Zac Patzer

---

**The Patzer Family** - September 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

AB

“ Christopher; this world will never be the same without you here with us. We know that you are in a place where you no longer feel the pain that you felt here. Your smile and your charm will always be in our hearts. I dont think there is a single person you ever met that doesn't know what your hugs felt like, and how generous you were with them. I loved our talks and our laughs. You'll forver be remembered and loved. Smile down on us Christopher. I know that you are. Rest peacefully baby. Love you Always, your Aunt Becky

---

**Aunt Becky** - September 23, 2008 at 12:00 AM

MA

“ As a Mother of 3 teenager children who attend Liberty High School, my tears, my prayers are with you. I did not know Christopher but, as a Mother my heart is breaking for you and I know The Lord is holding Christopher in his arms..I am so so sorry for your great loss!!!

---

**Marian** - September 23, 2008 at 12:00 AM

NB

“ To the family of Christopher, I am saddened by the death of Christopher and I do know the pain you are going through with his passing. We lost our son a few months ago and my husband, myself, and our family are coping ,with Gods' help and many, many, prayers. We will keep you in our thoughts and prayers, and remember, Christopher is without pain, forever. With Gods' Blessings, Rick/Nancy Baumann

---

**Nancy J. Baumann** - September 23, 2008 at 12:00 AM

CP

“ *Christopher, I will always miss your smile and the hugs you gave to me. I am proud to have been your Aunt Carol. Peace be with you now. Love, Aunt Carol*

---

**Carol Pridemore** - September 23, 2008 at 12:00 AM

KA

“ *i love and miss you chris!!! r.i.p my loveing friend*

---

**katryna** - September 23, 2008 at 12:00 AM

KM

“ *i love you christopher! i will miss you terribly*

---

**kym mclaughlin** - September 23, 2008 at 12:00 AM