



Jackson Allan Amon

February 16, 2004 - April 18, 2017

Jackson Allan Amon, age 13, was granted his angel wings on April 18, 2017. He died unexpectedly in his home with his family.

Jackson's life would seem too short to many, but those who were touched by him understood that the quality of existence far exceeds the quantity of time in which one lives. His gentle smile could melt the hearts of those around him and though his words were few and difficult to understand, his thoughts could always be heard.

Although Jackson had many medical issues, he possessed strength, perseverance, and an ability to overcome incredible odds and physical challenges. With his courage he led us to believe that each day is a blessing and an opportunity to create lasting memories. He could spend hours listening to music, playing on one of his assorted colored I pads, or rocking in his favorite chair while reading *The Cat in the Hat* or *Green Eggs and Ham*. He loved *Thomas the Tank Engine*, the movie *Marley and Me* and Signing Time videos. He especially loved going on various outings to Petland, Recreation Outlet and Skyzone and participated in Kidsport gymnastics for special needs children and the Miracle League of Central Ohio. He loved the color green and listening to the sounds of trains and the lights and sirens of police cars and firetrucks.

With Jackson's passing we remind others that his life is one to be celebrated. Although we will miss him every day, especially his winning smile he will forever remain in our hearts. Through his teachings about life, we were able to create wonderful memories and it has been a privilege to be his parents.

We are so thankful Jackson's sisters Chelsea (27), Kylie (14) and Ellie (11) can hold dear the memory of Jackson's gentle spirit. Jackson leaves behind many wonderful caregivers that provided love and support that enhanced his quality of life. Jackson's love extends to his long-term nurse Loretta Crego. There is a special place in our hearts for Loretta because of her continual dedication, love and support, Jackson prospered and was able to survive some of his toughest medical challenges. He will be dearly missed by all his special caregivers throughout his life. All of these special people, too numerous to mention, provided Jackson with love and dignity in his life.

Jackson is survived by his loving parents, Robert and Mitzi Amon of Powell, Ohio; sister Chelsea Leasure of Chicago; sisters Kylie (14) and Ellie (11) of Powell, maternal

grandparents Pat and William Miller and paternal step-grandmother Julie Vigar, as well as numerous aunts, uncles and cousins. He was preceded in death by maternal grandfather Robert Vigar of Delaware, Ohio and paternal grandparents Ronald and Jayne Amon of Canfield, Ohio.

Calling hours are to be held Friday April 21 from 4-7 pm and Saturday April 22 from 10-11 am at Rutherford Funeral Home in Powell, Ohio. There will be a funeral service on Saturday at 11:00 am at Rutherford Funeral Home. Burial will be at Africa Cemetery, Lewis Center, Ohio.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in Jackson Amon's memory to:

The Miracle League of Central Ohio

P.O. Box 1303

Dublin, OH 43017

Cemetery Details

Africa Cemetery

Delaware, OH

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 21. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Rutherford Funeral Home at Powell
450 West Olentangy Street
Powell, OH 43065
(614) 792-1471
info@rutherfordfuneralhome.com
<https://www.rutherfordfuneralhomes.com/>

Visitation

APR 22. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

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Funeral Service

APR 22. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

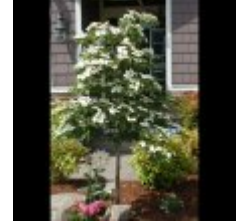


“ *Jackson Allan Amon*

January 28, 2023 at 10:24 AM



“ *Chinese Dogwood Tree was purchased for the family of Jackson Allan Amon.*



April 25, 2017 at 02:21 PM



“ *Jackson was a highlight to Quinn's day in elementary school. We've been reflecting on some good memories over these past few days. Your family is in our hearts and prayers.*
Jennifer Slagle

Jennifer Slagle - April 23, 2017 at 12:56 PM



“ *Jackson touched the lives of all of the Agility Ability Handlers. His excitement to see and play with the dogs was so enjoyable to be around. We were able to capture his excitement for the dogs and he became the "face" of Agility Ability on our websites Home page. Rest in the knowledge that God is holding him now, until the great reunion. His memory will live forever. What an honor I had to know him, I will cherish it forever. Love you all and may God bring the peace that only He can give.*
Love, Connie, Gary, Avery and Garrett Will and the Agility Ability Family

Connie Will - April 22, 2017 at 12:49 PM



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Connie Will - April 22, 2017 at 12:32 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Jackson Allan Amon.



April 21, 2017 at 03:47 PM

JB

“ Jerry & Lisa Blanchard purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Jackson Allan Amon.



Jerry & Lisa Blanchard - April 21, 2017 at 03:33 PM

JE

“ Jennifer Elliott lit a candle in memory of Jackson Allan Amon



Jennifer Elliott - April 21, 2017 at 03:18 PM

SF

“ Scott & Christine Craig and Family. purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of Jackson Allan Amon.



Scott & Christine Craig and Family. - April 21, 2017 at 02:27 PM



“ Fairest of All was purchased for the family of Jackson Allan Amon.



April 21, 2017 at 11:44 AM

PJ

“ *My heart is heavy as I think of this loss, not only for his wonderful family, but also everyone who every had the pleasure of seeing this beautiful spirit and that magical smile that always was worn on his face. For the short time he was on this Earth, he touched so many lives in such a loving and inspiring way. I know that he is rejoicing in Heaven and smiling down on all of us who had the pleasure to keep a piece of his heart buried in our own. God speed sweet Jackson. You will definitely be missed and always loved.*

*Mike and Pam Johnson
Danny, Cassie (and Caleb), and Josh Carroll*

Pam Johnson - April 21, 2017 at 11:01 AM

MK

We love you all so much.

Martha. John, James, Maggie and Gracie Kontur

Martha Kontur - April 22, 2017 at 12:26 PM

DS

“ *Bob and Mitzi,*

My thoughts and prayers are with your family during this difficult time. I was so sorry to hear about Jackson's passing His obituary was right on with what type of person he was. I always enjoyed my visits with Jackson and your family. I will always feel honored to have met Jackson.

*Deb Schooley
Delaware County Board of Developmental Disabilities*

Deb Schooley - April 21, 2017 at 09:49 AM

BE

“ *Jackson's was a kind and beautiful person. He's heart was so warm. If you had a bad day, just a minute with Jackson would change it. I will miss his hugs and sweet smile.*

Bill Eddy - April 21, 2017 at 09:38 AM

LH

“ Leif & Mary Ann Hoegberg purchased the Fairest of All for the family of Jackson Allan Amon.



Leif & Mary Ann Hoegberg - April 21, 2017 at 08:41 AM

MP

“ Mema & Pepaw lit a candle in memory of Jackson Allan Amon



Mema & Pepaw - April 21, 2017 at 08:32 AM

TF

“ Tom Nation and family purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Jackson Allan Amon.



Tom Nation and family - April 20, 2017 at 09:07 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Jackson Allan Amon.



April 20, 2017 at 06:31 PM

BF

“ Bob, Michelle and family purchased the Basket of Memories for the family of Jackson Allan Amon.



Bob, Michelle and family - April 20, 2017 at 06:16 PM

RJ

“ *Mitzi and the entire Amon family - my thoughts and prayers, and a heavy, heavy heart are with you and your family at this time. There is no doubt that Jack has his angel wings and will look after you all, as his new mission. Your advice and our chats about Jack and my sister was always (and will continue to be) very special and thoughtful. Your care and love for Jack always showed with a smile and glow a mile long! You and your family have truly been touched by an angel and the greatness of Jack will be a lifelong blessing for you and your family, and all who he touched. Rob & Kris Jameison*

Robert Jameison - April 20, 2017 at 03:56 PM

DW

“ *Don & Kim Walters lit a candle in memory of Jackson Allan Amon*



Don & Kim Walters - April 20, 2017 at 03:22 PM



“ *Sapphire Skies Bouquet was purchased for the family of Jackson Allan Amon.*



April 20, 2017 at 03:17 PM

HM

“ *High Voltage Maintenance purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Jackson Allan Amon.*



High Voltage Maintenance - April 20, 2017 at 03:15 PM

AA

“ *All your friends above purchased the Loving Lilies and Roses Bouquet for the family of Jackson Allan Amon.*



All your friends above - April 20, 2017 at 03:03 PM

PB

“ *It breaks my heart to hear of the passing of Jackson. Please accept my condolences in this time of sorrow.*

Peggy Buck - April 20, 2017 at 02:53 PM

MN

“ *Mitzi, so sorry to hear the sad news about Jackson. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.*

Mike Ngim

Mike Ngim - April 20, 2017 at 02:24 PM

SB

“ *Mitzi, My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family and I was so sad to hear about Jack. I recall so clearly how your face lit up when we would talk about our sons and their latest activities and accomplishments. It makes me think how each day is a day to take advantage and celebrate with these special children.*

Scott Barbour

Scott Barbour - April 20, 2017 at 11:45 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Jackson Allan Amon.*



April 20, 2017 at 10:43 AM

SP

“ *Mitzi and Family -*

So sorry to hear about Jackson. My thoughts and prayers are with you. I never met Jackson but I enjoyed listening to you talk about him and describe all of his accomplishments. So sorry for your loss. Deepest sympathy.

Steve Park - April 20, 2017 at 09:30 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Jackson Allan Amon.*



April 20, 2017 at 09:00 AM

KH

“ *Jackson Amon stole my heart the first time I met him! He wasn't feeling well that day, but when I went to leave he gave the best hug good bye. That was it. Mitzi and Bob, you were blessed to be in the presence of a wonderful soul and now he will be watching over your family. My humble appreciation to your family for allowing me to be a small part of his life.*

Karen Herrera - April 20, 2017 at 07:20 AM

DL

“ *It was a pleasure and joy to know Jackson for the short period I worked with him. May his soul rest in eternal peace.*

Daniel Langat - April 20, 2017 at 07:13 AM

KS

“ *Julie and family,
So sorry for your loss. To lose someone at such a young age is tragic.*

Kay Spearman - April 20, 2017 at 03:19 AM

BL

“ *Blaine lit a candle in memory of Jackson Allan Amon*



Blaine - April 19, 2017 at 11:54 PM



“ *Julie Sanner lit a candle in memory of Jackson Allan Amon*



Julie Sanner - April 19, 2017 at 11:02 PM

MS

“ *Very well written! Anyone who knew Jackson even for a second would be amazed by his cheerful smile. I honestly cannot record a moment when he went without a smile. " A smile is an act of charity, it soothes and comforts." Jackson definitely was the MOST charitable and huggable little boy I have ever seen. Many times I walked into his home with a troubled mind, and certainly I was comforted in no time. Jackson will be dearly missed by all of us, especially the Amons. God, they showered him with love and affection.*



Madusu Sheriff - April 19, 2017 at 10:37 PM



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Sarah Elizabeth - April 19, 2017 at 10:20 PM

AA

“ *Anthony & Suzie Antinone lit a candle in memory of Jackson Allan Amon*



Anthony & Suzie Antinone - April 19, 2017 at 08:18 PM

AA

*Bob and Mitzi,
Our deepest sympathy, praying for you at this difficult time.
Anthony & Suzie Antinone*

Anthony & Suzie Antinone - April 19, 2017 at 08:24 PM

SH

“ I am so very grateful that I was given the opportunity and the privilege to spend time every week with the most amazing, beautiful soul that I have known, sharing something that we both loved so much -music. He was working so hard on his most recent "favorite" song, "Silent Night", and I have been singing and playing it for him these last couple days non stop. The last phrase of the song reads "sleep in heavenly peace".... He taught me much more than I have ever taught him and I will forever be grateful! Sleep in heavenly peace sweet boy. My love to you all.

Sarah Howell - April 19, 2017 at 07:47 PM

CW

My dear Jackson! My heart pours to you Amon's and all who were loved by Jackson! Thank you for allowing me to spend my days with Jackson while he was at Wyandot Run!! Fly high young man! May God's peace be with you all!

Cayla Williamson - April 19, 2017 at 07:53 PM

ML

I've never met Jackson, or Mitzi, or the rest of the family. That does not matter. I have met Jackson in the light that his father carries for him and it's reflected in who he is. Lives like Jackson's touch everyone, however directly or indirectly. The impact of a pure soul like his is limitless and that's even more true now. I feel like I have no words to express, as this type of loss is inexplicable and hard to handle for those that he touched. Reading through other comments, it's clear that he touched many.

You have our deepest condolences and are in our thoughts and prayers. May you revel in memories and share all that made him so special and carry him with you forever.

Michael & Margo Lucero

Michael & Margo Lucero - April 20, 2017 at 11:38 AM

DD

Even I never met Jackson, I had an opportunity to hear from his father how special he was, what left deep impression on me with how much love the story was told.

Please receive our deepest condolences!

Davor and Mirjana Djukic

Davor Djukic - April 24, 2017 at 01:09 PM

CB

“ To that sweet angel up in the sky - I am so thankful you impacted my life. From meeting you and spending five weeks with you years ago at DSACO's Summer Learning Academy to crossing paths again at Kidsport, I knew there was a very special reason our paths crossed so much. I have so many precious memories from the last several months I spent as your one on one volunteer in kidsport. I am so, so proud of you for all that you accomplished. I am so thankful to have that sweet little voice to remember, and that smile that melted my heart. I will cherish all these memories throughout my life. God gives his toughest battles to his strongest angels - we all know how strong you were and all you overcame in your life. I know I've got the best guardian angel up there looking out for me now, and I am sending endless thoughts and prayers to all of the Amon family.

Chelsea Bray - April 19, 2017 at 07:44 PM

MS

“ I can't imagine my Sundays without Jackson! I will miss his smile! I have enjoyed every minute I got to spend with him and his family at gymnastics! He holds a special place in my heart!

Missy Sidick

Missy Sidick - April 19, 2017 at 07:36 PM



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Sarah Elizabeth - April 19, 2017 at 07:31 PM

DB

“ We are s sorry and heartbroken. Our hearts are broken. He Jackson was always a happy boy and smiling when we were privileged to be around him. Jackson knew that he had the best parents ever!

Please know Andy and I are thinking of you and your family always,

Dee and Andy Biedron

Dee and Andy Biedron - April 19, 2017 at 06:06 PM

JC

“ Julie Cantrell lit a candle in memory of Jackson Allan Amon



Julie Cantrell - April 19, 2017 at 05:55 PM

KK

“ What a perfectly written obituary. Jacksons soul lit up every room he entered here on earth and his soul will shine brightly on in all of our lives forever. I have never met a happier person in all of my life. My thoughts are with you all. Allow yourselves to feel all of the feelings you want over this sudden loss, the good, the bad, and the ugly. ❤️

Kelsie Keen - April 19, 2017 at 05:16 PM

DM

“ Remember the 1st time I held Jackson. He was such a tiny little thing, maybe 6-8 months old. I cried holding you Jackson because you were so perfect and beautiful. I'm so grateful I got to know you. You've been such a wonderful blessing and gift to our family. I know you're with Grandpa and that makes me happy. I love you Jackson. You'll always be in my heart. ❤️

Dorri McNeal - April 19, 2017 at 04:57 PM