



## Jason W. Bishop

January 17, 2012

Jason Wesley Bishop, age 40, of Dublin, Ohio passed away at home after a courageous battle with colon cancer on Tuesday, January 17, 2012. The son of Richard and Phyllis Bishop, Jason was born on December 5, 1971 in Springfield, Ohio. Known for his wit and practical jokes, Jason was extremely devoted to his family, friends and students. Jason graduated from Kenton Ridge High School, Springfield, Ohio in 1990. He earned a BS in Special Education from Ohio University and an MA in Gifted Education from Wright State University. He started his career in teaching at his alma mater, Kenton Ridge High School. He has been a dedicated teacher and coach at Dublin Scioto High School for the past 13 years. He will be missed by his loving wife Michaele (Cook); adoring sons Jacob and Joel; parents Richard and Phyllis Bishop; brother Erick (Tracie) Bishop; sisters Kim (David) Gnau and Lisa (Rick) Niday; mother-in-law Helen Cook; brothers-in-law Dave (Lisa) Cook and Chris (Liz) Cook; and his nieces and nephews Whitney (Chris) Brown, Sean Cook, Austin Niday, Bronwyn Bishop, Braden Cook, Dawson Cook, Jaxon Cook, and great-nephew CJ Brown. He is also survived by several aunts and uncles. He is preceded in death by his father-in-law Preston Davis Cook. Jason was actively involved in his sons' sports and coached many of their teams. In addition, he served as the Special Education Department Chair at Dublin Scioto High School, coached girls' soccer and was integrally involved in several building and district committees. Jason was a member of First Congregational Church, UCC in Columbus. Family will receive friends

from 3:00-7:00pm. FRIDAY at the RUTHERFORD FUNERAL HOME AT POWELL, 450 West Olentangy St., Powell, OH 43065 (614)-792-1471. (The funeral home is located on W. Olentangy St./Powell Rd./SR 750 ¼ mile east of Sawmill Parkway.) A Memorial Service will be held 10:00am. SATURDAY, JANUARY 21, 2012 at NEW HOPE CHURCH, 4739 West Powell Rd., Powell, OH 43065. The service will be officiated by Reverend Tim Ahrens of First Congregational Church, UCC. Burial will follow in Jerome Township Cemetery immediately following the service. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to a college fund established for Jason's, sons Jacob and Joel Bishop. Envelopes will be available at the funeral home and checks can be directed to: "The Bishop Education Fund," c/o Stephen Osborne, Dublin City Schools, 7030 Coffman Rd., Dublin, OH 43017. Send condolences for the family to: [www.rutherfordfuneralhomes.com](http://www.rutherfordfuneralhomes.com).

# Tribute Wall



“ Jason W. Bishop

January 28, 2023 at 10:24 AM



“ He was a best teacher I ever had in high school of kenton ridge

**Rick Lemmons** - June 03, 2022 at 05:42 PM



“ Michaele & family, we were so sorry to hear of your loss. We would like for you to know that our hearts and thoughts are with you at this time. Jason will truly be missed. Parker thinks the world of you Michaele and can't wait for you to return to class. Sincerely, Greg, Debra, Marley & Parker Arenstein

**Arenstein family** - January 25, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ Dear Michaele, I am so sorry to hear about your loss. My heartfelt sympathy and prayers go out to you and your extended family. Nate Gordon sent me the link and I wanted to reach out and let you know that I am thinking of you and sending you loving thoughts. With deep respect and best wishes for you and your children, Angela (Povoli) Mills

**Angela (Povoli) Mills** - January 23, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ Our thoughts and prayers are with your family. May the words in John 5:28,29 give you hope and comfort.

**Barb & Tom Layton** - January 21, 2012 at 12:00 AM

AW

“ I had Mr. Bishop all four year of high school and he played a huge roll in making me into the person I'am today. I'm pretty sure I wouldn't have graduated if it weren't for him pushing me so hard. I always enjoyed his classes, you just never knew what joke he was going to dish out next. I think we spent more time laughing than learning. Mr. Bishop was a great man and will truly be missed.

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**Aaron Whaley** - January 21, 2012 at 12:00 AM

FM

“ Dear Michaele, Jacob, and Joel; My deepest sympathies upon the loss of your husband and father. I had the privilege of having Jason as a student (math) and athlete (basketball)at Kenton Ridge H.S., what a wonderful person to be around. When he returned to KR to teach he was overflowing with a passion to work with young people. May God Bless you and your families and grant you some peace and strength during this difficult time. Knowing Jason, he has left you all with many memories to cherish.

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**Fred Martin** - January 20, 2012 at 12:00 AM

LS

“ I am so sorry to hear of the passing of Jacob and Joel's father. I am one of the teachers at Glacier Ridge Latchkey. I send my prayers and thoughts to the boys and their family.

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**Laurie Sonedecker** - January 20, 2012 at 12:00 AM

DR

“ Dear Michaele, Jacob, and Joel, You have our deepest sympathy as you mourn the loss of your wonderful husband and father. You are in our thoughts and prayers. Meredith will look forward to having you back at school when you are ready. -The Reeds

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**David, Tara, Meredith & Justin Reed** - January 20, 2012 at 12:00 AM

CM

“ *Michaele. I was sorry to hear that Jason had left us. He was always one of the forces at Scioto the helped hold thing together. Whether he was out on the athletic fields or in the hallways, he always had a smile and a joke for everyone. He will truly be missed at school. You and the boys are in my prayers.*

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**Charlie Miley** - January 20, 2012 at 12:00 AM

SS

“ *I am so sorry for the loss of a great teacher, and family member. Mr. Bishop was my teacher at Dublin Scioto High School. He will be greatly missed by many.*

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**Sami Schwartz** - January 20, 2012 at 12:00 AM

HC

“ *Michaele, Jacob & Joel: By now you know that we have been snowed/iced in at SeaTac Airport and cannot be with you today or Saturday. We are with you in spirit, and we are smiling even in our sadness as we think of the joys that Jason brought to you, and to everyone who knew him. We love you and hope to see you soon. Unlce Herb & Aunt Kathe*

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**Herb & Kathe Cook** - January 20, 2012 at 12:00 AM

JO

“ *Jason tranistioned from a student (former) to a faculty member at Kenton Ridge H.S. with ease and class. He quickly earned the respect and admiration of staff and students. Jason's dedication, abilities, and humor will be greatly missed by all. You have our deepest sympathies. May God bless you and give you peace and comfort.*

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**Jim and Pam King (Springfield, Oh.)** - January 19, 2012 at 12:00 AM

BT

“ Dick, I did not know your son but from things I have heard and read what a great son you and Phyllis have raised together. You can be very proud of him and all of his accomplishments. I am very sorry for your loss. Lion Bill Thompson

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**Bill Thompson** - January 19, 2012 at 12:00 AM

DY

*Mr. bishop will truly be missed. Dusty Yost*

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**Dusty Yost** - January 13, 2019 at 02:35 PM

BC

“ Michaele, my heart goes out to you and the boys. I hope you feel God's love! As the days and weeks pass and as you return to life's routine, may you continue to feel comforted by the love and support of God, family and friends. I care!

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**Brenda Curati** - January 19, 2012 at 12:00 AM

JA

“ Michaele and Family: Barbara told us the sad news that your husband, Jason passed away. We are very sorry. We extend our deepest sympathy and condolences to you and your family during this very sad time. Sincerely, Jean & Glenn Allen (Barbara's parents)

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**Jean Allen** - January 19, 2012 at 12:00 AM

LW

“ *Michaele - My heart goes out to you and the boys. Besides the great loss to you and your boys and extended family, Jason's death is a loss to the Special Education community at large. It was a privilege to know him while I taught and then I also was privileged to work briefly with him as a field supervisor from Ashland. All my thoughts and prayers are with you.*

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**Libby Wetherholt** - January 18, 2012 at 12:00 AM

DY

*I will will always miss mr.bishop.he was a well dedicated funny and understanding teacher. Dusty Yost.*

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**Dusty Yost** - January 13, 2019 at 02:31 PM

MP

“ *Michaele, Jacob, Joel, Bishop and Cook families: May you find some comfort in the knowledge that so many care for you at this time and always. Mike, Gina, Brian, and Alyssa Perry*

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**Michael Perry** - January 18, 2012 at 12:00 AM

LA

“ *Dear Michaele, Jacob and Joel - We are so sad to learn of Jason's passing, and so sorry for the loss of your husband and father. We will keep you in our thoughts and prayers.*

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**Lori Buehler, Emily & Annie** - January 18, 2012 at 12:00 AM

RH

“ *Michaele, our heartfelt thoughts and prayers are with you, Jacob, Joel and your entire family during this extremely difficult time. We know from all the stories shared by your mom what a wonderful person Jason was and how much he will be missed. Heaven has gained a precious angel who is smiling with our blessed Father and will always be watching over you and the boys.*

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**Ronda and Brent Howard** - January 18, 2012 at 12:00 AM

TS

“ *Dear Kim and Entire Family, My deepest sympathy goes out to you in this very sad time. I pray that Jason's legacy of love continues to live on through each one of you in every wonderful memory you have of him. Thought and prayers, Traci*

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**Traci Sachs** - January 18, 2012 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ Jason was a tremendous young man who I got to know in his first job at Kenton Ridge HS. I was serving as Head Basketball Coach and Jason had a passion to work with all types of students and loved athletics. I hired him as our freshman basketball coach and then he stayed on our staff until he left for Dublin. I eventually, left for Chillicothe HS where our paths would cross again both being members of the OCC and the same division. Jason was a good friend of Tony Bisutti at Scioto and we kept in touch through Tony. Seeing Jason with his wife and young children I knew he had made the right decision to leave home (Springfield) and find his hopes and dreams! Talking to him a few years ago I know he had found those things in Michael, Jacob and Joel. I can't remember how many times I laughed till I cried with Jason and our coaching staff! His sense of humor was usually well timed and off the charts silly at times... I am blessed for the time I got to spend calling Jason my friend, and that is what was the best about him was he would do anything for you regardless of what it cost him! I know I'll see him again someday and that will be a great day! Jeff Hobbs Principal Fort Recovery HS

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**Jeff Hobbs** - January 18, 2012 at 12:00 AM