



Edward Ray Matthes III

May 7, 1990 - June 24, 2018

Edward Ray Matthes III of Rolla, Missouri passed away at the age of 28. He was born on May 7, 1990 in Dallas, Texas to Edward Ray Jr. and Tammy (Watson) Matthes.

Eddie was raised in Rolla, Missouri by his loving grandparents Bob and Hazel Watson. He attended Rolla Public Schools and was a 2008 graduate of Rolla High School. He enjoyed spending time outdoors hunting, fishing and helping his grandpa on the family farm. He was a loving grandson, father, brother, uncle and friend who will be greatly missed by all that knew and loved him.

Eddie is survived by his loving grandparents, Bob and Hazel Watson of Rolla, Missouri; daughter, Brooklynn Ray Matthes of Rolla, Missouri; brother, Brandon Snelson of Rolla, Missouri; sisters, Samantha (Manden) Deremo of Rolla, Missouri, Jennifer Watson of Wesley Chapel, Florida and Janet Matthes of Rolla, Missouri; nieces Mary Beth Romine and Addy Deremo; nephew Carter Matthes.

Funeral Service for Edward Matthes III will be held at 12:00PM on Thursday, June 28, 2018 at the Rolla Chapel of the James and Gahr Mortuary, Rolla, Missouri with Ray Cook officiating. Interment will be held in the Ozark Hills Memorial Garden, Rolla, Missouri at a later date. A visitation for family and friends will be held prior to the service from 11:00AM until service time at

12:00PM also at the Rolla Chapel of the James and Gahr Mortuary, Rolla,
Missouri. For online condolences please visit www.jamesgahrmortuary.com

Previous Events

Service

JUN 28. 12:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Edward Ray Matthes III*

January 30, 2023 at 04:37 AM



“ *Edward Ray Matthes III*

January 30, 2023 at 02:54 AM



“ *I'm so sad to hear this news. I met Eddie when he was very young and wished I could have known him as he was family. I'm sorry we never got to share life with him. May he rest in peace and know he was loved and thought of by all his family. Aunt Sherry*

SHERRY DOBBS - June 29, 2018 at 01:18 PM



“ *As we never know what truly goes on in a persons life, God does. May healing follow all of us here in Missouri and Eddie's family in Wisconsin. I know everyone is hurting and my love goes out to everyone. I recently was able to visit with Eddie, he was my Great Nephew. I just wished our family had more time together. Eddie will be missed by all. Love Aunt Roxanne. Cousin Brandon*



Aunt Roxanne - June 29, 2018 at 09:05 AM

EB

My heart breaks as yet another young one passes..I wish we could have had at least been able to go to the service and funeral. When Eddie was very small maybe 2 or 3 he and Ben played together, when we shared meals. Then many YRS later they graduated the same year. My sincere condolences to His family in MO AND WI. My heart breaks!! A friend of the family. My Love and Respect!!

Elaine Buchka - June 29, 2018 at 02:26 PM

JB

“ Eddie was a good kid and I always thought of him as my little brother. It's not easy for me and it doesn't compare to your feelings now but please know your family is in my thoughts and prayers.



jeremiah bryant - June 27, 2018 at 10:23 PM

DR

“ Bob and Hazel we are so sorry for your loss, I know that a time like this can never be easy. My heart goes out to all of you. Our prayers are with you and your family.
The Roberts Family

Danny and Marsha Roberts - June 27, 2018 at 10:12 AM

BB

“ Hazel and Bob, I wish I had words of comfort. I just don't know what to say. Eddie was the cutest little kid with a big heart and smile. My heart goes out to you and all of Eddie's family. I wish I knew how to make it better for you.--Mike & Barb B.

Barbara & Mike Bryant - June 26, 2018 at 10:40 PM

SN

“ I am so very sorry to the family. Eddie was at carnival one year and I kept trying to win a stuffed animal, he went and played a game and won me a stuffed tiger. I still have it to this day. Prayers and hugs to everyone.

Sandy North-Potere - June 26, 2018 at 07:19 PM