



Jake Peter Whatley

November 24, 2003 - June 2, 2021

Jake “Mr. Big “Peter Whatley born November 24, 2003. Survived by his mother Nimfa A. Whatley, father Gregory Whatley, brother Nikko, sisters Gia and Zara. He passed on June 1, 2021 after a drowning accident in Chattahoochee River with his friends. His devotion and love of God and respect to everyone, exceptional talent, academic excellence, lightning speed energy, ability to touch everyone’s heart, care to animals, a drive to always do the best, adventurous, determination to live life to the fullest day after day who wants everything to be “big” and the word “can’t” is not an option, his unstoppable love to gymnastics and last but not the least his eye popping love of Wendy’s “ large baconator fries, son of baconator and large vanilla milk shake” seals the deal. He is a wonderful son, brother, grandson, grand nephew, nephew, cousin, godfather, friend, student and mentor who is loved by everyone and most of all God’s greatest gift that anyone and any parent could ever ask for. He wants people to see the life he lived.

Jake, you will always be remembered and we love you always and forever “anakko”! In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Our Lady of Mercy Catholic School, 861 GA-279, Fayetteville, GA 30214.

Cemetery Details

Sharon Memorial Gardens

Senoia Road
Tyrone, GA 30290

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 9. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Parrott Funeral Home & Crematory
8355 Senoia Road
Fairburn, GA 30213
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Visitation

JUN 10. 5:00 PM - 7:30 PM (ET)

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Vigil

JUN 10. 7:30 PM (ET)

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Funeral Service

JUN 11. 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Matthew Catholic Church
215 Kirkley Road
Tyrone, GA 30290

Tribute Wall



“ *Parrott Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Jake Peter Whatley*

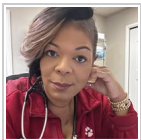


Parrott Funeral Home - June 10, 2021 at 09:24 AM

KM

Greg to you and your family my deepest condolences so sorry with lost of your son my prayer are with you and your family....Karen McCormick

Karen McCormick - June 27, 2021 at 10:17 PM



“ *To the Whatley Family:*

Please accept my deepest condolences as you mourn the loss of Jake. You are in my thoughts & prayers.

Respectfully submitted,

*Melvanie Melton-Smith
Friend of Dr. Gregory Whatley*

Melvanie Melton-Smith - June 10, 2021 at 10:38 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Jake Peter Whatley.*



June 10, 2021 at 07:42 PM



“ *I didn't know Jake personally for a long period of time, but I was really looking forward to knowing the kind and loving boy that everyone told me Jake was. Jake, thank you for making a simple trip to the movies and target fun for me and everyone else there. You will be loved and missed forever 🕊️❤️*

Tiffany Lee - June 10, 2021 at 06:42 PM



“ *The Lin family. David, Kristina, Kody and Kady purchased the Serenity Wreath for the family of Jake Peter Whatley.*



The Lin family. David, Kristina, Kody and Kady - June 10, 2021 at 02:34 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Jake Peter Whatley.*



June 10, 2021 at 01:03 PM

SM

“ Jake, thank you for your friendship. I'll never forget all of the hugs ,laughs and our daily dice rolls that we did. Rest in power, my friend. Love you!



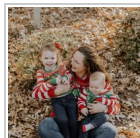
Shelby Mullen - June 10, 2021 at 10:36 AM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Jake Peter Whatley.



June 10, 2021 at 07:59 AM



“ Cricket Shelnutt purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Jake Peter Whatley.



Cricket Shelnutt - June 10, 2021 at 04:46 AM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Jake Peter Whatley.



June 09, 2021 at 11:44 PM



“ *Finest Farewell Spray was purchased for the family of Jake Peter Whatley.*



June 09, 2021 at 11:25 PM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Jake Peter Whatley.*



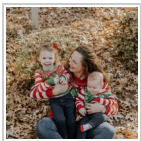
June 09, 2021 at 10:12 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Jake Peter Whatley.*



June 09, 2021 at 09:53 PM



“ *Jake was one of the hardest working, most polite, very respectful and genuinely sincere young man to ever grace our gym. He will be missed by everyone he knew and by NSG.*

Cricket Shelnutt - June 09, 2021 at 08:26 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Jake Peter Whatley.*



June 09, 2021 at 08:19 PM



“ *Jake was the happiest and most caring person I knew. Ever since I met him in fifth grade, he always had a smile on his face and contagious positivity. He will forever inspire me to be a better person and live as he did.*

*Love,
Messina*

Messina Bombara - June 09, 2021 at 04:35 PM



“ *The Office of Catholic Schools purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Jake Peter Whatley.*



The Office of Catholic Schools - June 09, 2021 at 03:28 PM



“ *Garden Cross was purchased for the family of Jake Peter Whatley.*



June 09, 2021 at 02:18 PM

MS

“ I met Jake in pre-k at OLV and grew to know him better through gymnastics at Gym Sports Academy. Jake, I could never forget your bright personality and immense talent. Now you can Rest forever in God’s arms. We will never forget you... Love Molly.

Molly Spotorno - June 09, 2021 at 12:54 PM

FO

“ Family Orthodontics purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Jake Peter Whatley.



Family Orthodontics - June 09, 2021 at 12:25 PM

TM

“ I met Jake when he and my daughter, Talayah were 5th grade classmates at OLV. My first thought was...” Who is this little boy with all this hair 😊?” Over time, I watched him become the most kind-hearted, conscientious and talented young man! To honor Jake’s memory, Talayah and I chose “ Dreams From the Heart Flowers” because he “Will always be a part of our Hearts”! We honor Jake’s short but We’ll Lived Life! The Lord called Jake home, but we are left with the gift of the best memories in exchange! Nim and Greg... please know that you have my family’s continued prayers and support! Please remember you have friends that care.... and I’m one of them!..... Tracie

Tracie McCoy - June 09, 2021 at 12:08 PM

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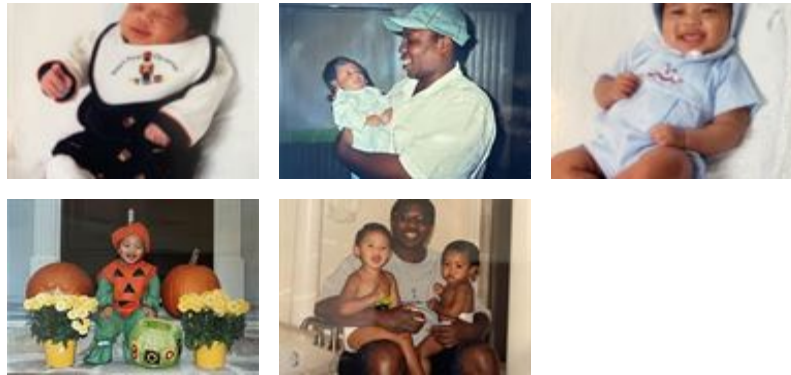
“ We are certainly going to miss Jake and that beautiful head of hair!!!



Ignae Thomas - June 09, 2021 at 11:31 AM



“ 144 files added to the album LifeTributes



Parrott Funeral Home - June 09, 2021 at 10:00 AM



“ Dreams From the Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Jake Peter Whatley.



June 09, 2021 at 01:59 AM

KW

“ Please accept our condolences for the loss of your son. Jake and our daughter Tyse were OLM Class of 2022 and were inducted into the National Honor Society together. May Jake rest in perfect peace and may you take comfort in the fact that your prince is in God's loving arms.

Mr. and Mrs. Colin M. Whittaker

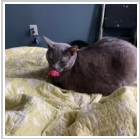
Parents of Tyse Ashley Whittaker Class of 2022

KIMBERLY ASHLEY WHITTAKER - June 08, 2021 at 11:38 PM

TW

“ Jake, we will never forget your positivity and caring personality! High school with you was lots of fun and you knew how to brighten up a room in seconds. Your spirit and energy will always be alive at OLM because you made such a large impact on everyone's life! May you rest in peace in heaven <3 from Tyse and Talayah

Tyse Whittaker - June 08, 2021 at 11:36 PM



“ Jake, I will always remember your charm, your spirit and your beaming smile. I will miss you, bud. -Tito Omar



Omar Abiera - June 08, 2021 at 11:11 PM

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“ *Shelby Mullen & family - OLM Class of 2022 purchased the Wildflower Seeds - Build A Memory Garden for the family of Jake Peter Whatley.*



Shelby Mullen & family - OLM Class of 2022 - June 08, 2021 at 10:36 PM

DS

“ *Diane Santiago lit a candle in memory of Jake Peter Whatley*



Diane Santiago - June 08, 2021 at 09:32 PM

DM

“ *Deborah Myers sent a virtual gift in memory of Jake Peter Whatley*



Deborah Myers - June 08, 2021 at 09:31 PM



“ *Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant was purchased for the family of Jake Peter Whatley.*



June 08, 2021 at 09:29 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Jake Peter Whatley.*



June 08, 2021 at 08:42 PM



“ *Gracious Lavender Basket was purchased for the family of Jake Peter Whatley.*



June 08, 2021 at 07:15 PM



“ *So sorry for the loss of your family member. May the Lord give you love and peace in your time of sorrow, and may he help heal your hearts. I know the pain of losing a son.*

Patricia - June 08, 2021 at 04:45 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Jake Peter Whatley.*



June 08, 2021 at 10:42 AM

TL

“ Tony, Lillian, Regina and Cristina de la Luz purchased the Love Everlasting Bouquet for the family of Jake Peter Whatley.



Tony, Lillian, Regina and Cristina de la Luz - June 07, 2021 at 07:27 PM

NG

“ Nadia Garcia-Veurink purchased the Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant for the family of Jake Peter Whatley.



Nadia Garcia-Veurink - June 07, 2021 at 03:22 PM



“ Serene Reflections Bouquet was purchased for the family of Jake Peter Whatley.



June 07, 2021 at 03:02 PM



“ Ocean Breeze Spray was purchased for the family of Jake Peter Whatley.



June 07, 2021 at 02:29 PM



“ *Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant was purchased for the family of Jake Peter Whatley.*



June 07, 2021 at 02:14 PM



“ *Your ERx Family, purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Jake Peter Whatley.*



Your ERx Family, - June 07, 2021 at 01:50 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Jake Peter Whatley.*



June 07, 2021 at 10:40 AM



“ *Wiley Jordan & Family purchased the Gracious Lavender Basket for the family of Jake Peter Whatley.*



Wiley Jordan & Family - June 07, 2021 at 10:26 AM



“ *Be My Love Bouquet with Red Roses was purchased for the family of Jake Peter Whatley.*



June 07, 2021 at 10:07 AM



Cara Endriss

“ *Sincere condolences to the family and friends of Jake Whatley. My boys are gymnasts at Amplitude and over the years we had the pleasure of watching Jake compete. What a talented and strong young man! At state competition this year, I got to see him perform a beautiful floor routine. My heart is broken for his family his friends and the entire gymnastics community. He was surely a rising star. May he now rest in eternal peace.*

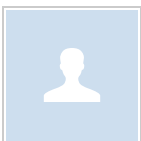
Cara Endriss - June 07, 2021 at 09:25 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Jake Peter Whatley.*



June 07, 2021 at 08:28 AM



“ *Serenity Wreath was purchased for the family of Jake Peter Whatley.*



June 06, 2021 at 01:54 PM



“ *Magnificent Life Spray was purchased for the family of Jake Peter Whatley.*



June 05, 2021 at 06:16 PM