



Justin Cole Smith

October 9, 2003 - November 12, 2022

On the evening of November 12th, 2022, Justin Cole Smith, an intensely loved young man of infinite possibilities and a beautiful mind, left this world and began his journey into our collective memories.

For the rest of our lives, those of us who loved Justin Cole will tell stories of an audacious personality, colorful antics, resolute willfulness, wild enthusiasm, and of dark sadness as well. The hardest truths of Justin's life must be faithfully committed to memory and must be told. This universal truth applies to each and every one of us, as no story of epic adventure is complete without reminders of great peril.

Here today we celebrate Justin Cole's adventurous soul. We bear witness to his most profound achievements, love freely given and love received in humility and grace. We also bear unimaginable agony and hold in contempt the damnable choices that led him to that path from which so many good people never return.

We who loved Justin as a wonderful son, grandson, nephew, cousin, and friend, now bid him farewell with shattered hearts and a yearning for things that can never be. Today, memories bring tears of anguish and grief.

Someday, those same memories will brush aside the tears and bring a smile to our faces...and laughter...Justin was that just kind of person.

Justin is survived by his father Jason Smith, parents Rachel and Dustin Mathews, siblings Jackson Smith, Kennedy Smith, Brianna Mathews, Joshua Smith, Jacob Smith, Jett Smith, and Cora Smith, and numerous grandparents.

A memorial service for is scheduled for Tuesday, November 22, 2022 at Max Slayton Funeral Chapel in Terrell, Texas for 3 p.m.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

NOV **22**. 3:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Max Slayton Funerals and Cremations created a Tribute Video in memory of Justin Cole Smith*



Max Slayton Funerals & Cremations - November 25, 2022 at 12:22 PM



“ *Justin Cole Smith*

October 08, 2023 at 07:43 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Justin Cole Smith.*



November 18, 2022 at 04:53 PM



“ *Lily and Rose Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Justin Cole Smith.*



November 18, 2022 at 12:54 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Justin Cole Smith.



November 18, 2022 at 09:55 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Justin Cole Smith.



November 18, 2022 at 09:25 AM