



## Anthony J. Wright

November 2, 1986 - June 30, 2013

Wright, Anthony J. Age 26, unexpectedly June 30, 2013. Treasured son of Paula (Ron Arnold) Small and Joseph Wright. Loving brother of Niccolle (Jeff) Lowe, Ricky Small and the late Bryan Wright. Beloved grandson of Barbara Strehl. Loving companion of Crystal Lyons. Dear nephew of Maureen (Lewis) Klein, Daniel (Beth) Strehl, Douglas (Brenda) Strehl, Derek (Deb) Strehl, Brenda Lane, Jeff (Cindy) Wright, Jerry Wright, Paula (Leon) Szymczak, the late Jeanette Hager and the late Joni Betterly. Also survived by many cousins. Visitation Wednesday 2 PM until the 7 PM Funeral Service at Vermeulen Funeral Home, 980 N. Newburgh Rd. (between Ford and Cherry Hill), Westland. Memorials may be made to the family memorial fund. To share a memory, please use the View and Send Condolences tab on this web page.

# Tribute Wall



“ Anthony J. Wright

December 07, 2023 at 05:11 AM



“ RIP Anthony. You were a great person and will be sorely missed.

Ranjit - December 12, 2014 at 10:12 AM



“ I was a customer where Tony worked. I saw Tony everyday. We talked often. I will miss him. Family; you will be in inner most prayer, that God will give you strength that will pass all of man's understanding. God Bless You All.

Oleta Lee - December 12, 2014 at 10:12 AM



“ I am so sorry to read of your loss. May the God of all comfort be with you in this time of need. He assures us that he is near to us in our times of need (Ps 34:18). In addition he provides a wonderful hope for us at rev. 21:3-5. Please accept my deepest sympathy.

Alc - December 12, 2014 at 10:12 AM



“ I so sorry to hear about such a loss! May God be with you during this difficult time!

Julia Barhoumeh - December 12, 2014 at 10:12 AM

AN

“ I'm so sorry for the loss of this young man Anthony J. Wright may he RIP, Jesus' whole-hearted concern for the weak was the same as his Father's feelings "Likewise it is not a desirable thing with my Father who is in Heaven for one of these little one's to perish. " Matthew 18:14. May Jesus' prayer in Matthew 6:10, as well be your firm hope for the future, "Let your Kingdom come. Let your will take place, as in Heaven, also upon Earth." Psalms 115:16; John 5:28,29; Psalms 37:10,11

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**A Neighbor** - December 12, 2014 at 10:12 AM

VB

“ To the Wright Family. My heart goes out to you and yours. Anthony will truly be missed. The death of your dear son is very painful and you will grieve for many days and years to come. Please be assured that you are in my prayers and Jehovah God being the hearer of prayers will give you the comfort you need. (Psalms 65:2) God does not just hear prayers but he will answer them according to his will and purpose and he will act soon to end death, sin and sorrow very soon. So, please take comfort in his promises. Please visit our official website [www.jw.org](http://www.jw.org) to know more about this.

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**Valerie Brannon** - December 12, 2014 at 10:12 AM

LA

“ Im truly sorry to hear about your lost. Anthony will definitely be missed by so many. One thing that helps me deal or cope with losing a loved one is the scripture John 5:28,29. It states, " Do not marvel at this, because the hour is coming in which all those in the memorial tombs will hear his voice and come out, those who did good things to a resurrection of life....." Soon we will be able to see Anthony again because God (Jehovah) promises a resurrection hope. I hope this gives some comfort.

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**Larry** - December 12, 2014 at 10:12 AM

JJ

“ To the family of Anthony Wright. I am sorry for the loss of your precious loved one and dear friend. I have an encouraging message that has help me to cope during these difficult times. Like many people we all want to live and enjoy life with the ones we have lost to this aged-old-enemy death. Sadly, though because of health issues, injustice, crimes and old age we have to suffer the pain when loved ones fell asleep in death. A comforting thought found at John 5:28,29 where Jesus states, "that all those in the memorial tombs (graves) will hear his voice and come out." Also I found comfort and hope in reading Revelation 21:3-5 which assures us that the day is soon to come in which our Heavenly Father is going to wipe away the tears of sorrow from our eyes forever and death will be no more. May the out pouring of sympathy the kind acts of friends and strangers as well as your memories give you comfort to help you endure in the days ahead.

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**Jeanne Jackson** - December 12, 2014 at 10:12 AM

GC

“ Paula, We are so sad for you and your family at this tragic time I can see Tony's smile in the picture and I know he was well loved. God bless you and give you strength.

Your cousin,  
Gigette

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**Gigette Lotti Caldwell** - December 12, 2014 at 10:12 AM

KK

“ So sorry to the family...my prayers are with you!

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**Kara Kearney** - December 12, 2014 at 10:12 AM

KR

“ *I'm so sorry to hear about the loss of your son Anthony.  
Sincerely, Kellie Rozen*

Kellie Rozen - December 12, 2014 at 10:12 AM

CN

“ *I am sorry for your family's loss. Crystal I wish you strength and will  
pray for you and your family.*

Cheryl Nagy - December 12, 2014 at 10:12 AM

NC

“ *I am so sad for your family. A beloved son, brother and friend who  
will be missed terribly. May God hold you all in the palm of his hand  
as he helps you keep walking on the path to him.*

Natalie Clinkscales - December 12, 2014 at 10:12 AM

RN

“ *To the family ,Please know that our heartfelt thoughts & Prayers are  
with you as you go through this extremely sad time. We will  
continue to keep all of you in our Prayers for a very long time. May  
God give you comfort, always. Rick & Ceil*

Rick & Cecilia Nesbitt - December 12, 2014 at 10:12 AM

SW

“ *My prayers go out to all of Anthony's family and friends. I cannot  
believe he is gone he played sports with my son kenny. He always  
had such a beautiful smile that would light up the room. He will be  
missed. R.I.P Anthony and may the angels be with you.*

Sharon Whitney - December 12, 2014 at 10:12 AM

JV

“ My condolences to the Wright/Small family. May God be with you during these hard times.

Judith Vazquez - December 12, 2014 at 10:12 AM

MS

“ Crystal, I remember Tony from the few times that we hung out together with Mellisa. I'm really sorry. He was a great man.

Mark Slayton - December 12, 2014 at 10:12 AM

JP

“ We hope you know the joy that you brought to our family over the past several years. May all that miss you be comforted by the memories that will forever be in our hearts. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family during this difficult.

Johnny, Rachel, and Vera Palmer - December 12, 2014 at 10:12 AM

WS

“ My condolences go out to your entire family during this rough time. Anthony was a close friend of mine in high school. I remember poker nights with the group and random encounters in the hallways at Wayne State, he definitely will be missed by many.

Will Strieff - December 12, 2014 at 10:12 AM

DC

“ I remember playing football with Anthony at Riverside. Very strong willed person. I had the pleasure of seeing Anthony compete at the Tough Mudder on Saturday. I gave him a high five and like always had the biggest smile on his face. My condolences to his family.

Daniel Cabello - December 12, 2014 at 10:12 AM

LK

“ Barb, I am so very sorry for your loss. You and your family are in my thoughts and my prayers. May God Bless You.

LINDA KABALA - December 12, 2014 at 10:12 AM

VE

“ Dear heavenly father, I ask that you be with the love ones of Anthony J. Wright. They need you right now father. Send your love to this family in Jesus name Amen Crystal I love you and will continue to pray for you and Tony's Family -V

Valinda and Cecil Elder - December 12, 2014 at 10:12 AM

RO

“ Crystal, I am keeping you in my prayers. Remember if you need anything don't be afraid to ask. Tony is and always will be a great guy.

Robert - December 12, 2014 at 10:12 AM

DA

“ My prayers go out to the Wright family. May he rest in peace.

Danny - December 12, 2014 at 10:12 AM

MO

“ Crystal, I tell over and over I love you. Take care or yourselves, I mean it. I LOVE YOU, MOMMA MONICA

Monica - December 12, 2014 at 10:12 AM

AS

“ To the Wright family - I am very sorry to hear about your loss. My condolences go to all of you during this hard time.

Andrew Serrian - December 12, 2014 at 10:12 AM

JF

“ I am so very sorry to learn of Tony's passing. He was a sweet man with a ready smile. My heart goes out to each and every person who loved him, especially to my special Crystal Lyons for the loss of the love of her life. God bless everyone with courage as they deal with this tremendous loss.

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**Jeri Baron Feltner** - December 12, 2014 at 10:12 AM

MM

“ Dear Family, Please accept my sympathies on the loss of Anthony. Your hearts must be broken at losing him so suddenly; you're no doubt still just trying to catch your breathe. At this emotionally difficult time, my prayer for you is that you experience the comfort that comes from "the God of all comfort" and the hope that his Son, Jesus gives of our being reunited with our loved ones in "the resurrection to life." (2 Corinthians 1:3, 4; John 5:28, 29) Please take care.

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**Mrs. Middleton** - December 12, 2014 at 10:12 AM

MS

“ Paula I am so sorry for your loss. Know that even when someone is taken from us unexpectedly we have the beautiful memories and moments that will live on in our hearts forever. May God Bless and comfort you in your time of sorrow. And may you feel the warm embrace I am sending you from oh so far away. Love Miranda

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**Miranda Smith** - December 12, 2014 at 10:12 AM

DL

“ My children called you Uncle Tony , I called you my Brother in-law . Everyone who has ever known you can tell a story on how much fun you were to be around and we sure are glad we have lots to share and I sure wish we had many more! We will all miss you very much!

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**Donald Lyons** - December 12, 2014 at 10:12 AM

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“ I am so sorry for your loss. Paula may you find peace. Niccolle and Ricky you are in my prayers. I remember Tony was silly from the old neighborhood in DH. Take Care and Peace be with you. Kim Arthur (Miller) Livingston, MT

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**Kim Arthur (Miller)** - December 12, 2014 at 10:12 AM

KH

“ Tony had the sweetest smile that lit up any room he walked into. We will miss him always. Love and prayers to all his family.

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**Kathy Hall** - December 12, 2014 at 10:12 AM

KC

“ My prayers are with Tony's family and loved ones. He touched many lives and will be dearly missed.

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**Kelly Clem** - December 12, 2014 at 10:12 AM