



Christian DePaul Cantrell

November 7, 1991 - August 28, 2012

Funeral services for Christian DePaul Cantrell, 20, of Piedmont will be Saturday, September 1, 2012 at 1:00 p.m. at the Piedmont High School Gymnasium with the Rev.

Larry Davis officiating. Burial will follow at Piedmont Memory Gardens. The family will receive friends at Thompson Funeral Home Friday from 6-8 p.m.

The

body will lie in state at the Gymnasium one hour prior to services. Christian passed away Tuesday, August 28, 2012 in Cherokee County. Survivors include his

mother, Christina Cantrell of Piedmont; his father, Cedric Prater of Piedmont; a

sister, Victoria Cantrell of Piedmont; his grandparents, Miles and Cathy Palmore

and Mary Julia Prater all of Piedmont; his great grandmother, Christine Cantrell

of Piedmont; and a host of aunts, uncles, cousins, and loving and special friends. Pallbearers will be Chase Childers, Tay Halloway, Matt Craig, Seth Reedy, Luke Smith and Corey Sears. Honorary pallbearers will be the 2009 Piedmont High School Football Team. Christian was a native and lifelong resident

of Piedmont. He was a graduate of Piedmont High School where he played basketball and football and played on the 2009 State Championship Football

Team.

He was employed at KTH in Leesburg and was preceded in death by his great grandfather, William Cantrell and his great grandmother, Evelyn Prater.

Tribute Wall

MR

“ *I never really talked to him much but my heart goes out to you and your family. Fly high*

Melanie Robertson - June 20, 2018 at 04:55 PM

XP

“ *Im gonna miss you my sweet cuzin....I love you dearly. Im not gonna say goodbye...Im gonna say see you later!!!*

Xavier Prater - June 20, 2018 at 04:55 PM

SF

“ *We use to live beside CHRISTIAN CANTRELL , he meant the world to my daughters and was such a caring and loving young man , he will always be in our hearts..GONE BUT NOT FORGOTTEN. R.I.P. CHRISTIAN ... U NOW ARE OUR ANGEL SENT FROM HEAVEN ABOVE.*

stephanie freeman - June 20, 2018 at 04:55 PM

AG

“ *Christian was loved by all of Piedmont. The funniest thing about that though is that he was love. He was the actual definition of love. I don't think there was any one person he came across that he didn't love. Just seeing Christian put smiles on all of the people he knew. You better not have came in contact of him without expecting to leave with a warm hug, and a smile on your face. That is what I will truly miss!*

Ashtavia DatgirlStillfly Gamble - June 20, 2018 at 04:55 PM

LB

“ *My heart goes out to y'all and Ill keep praying for each and everyone of y'all God bless and stay strong*

Lamecca Baker - June 20, 2018 at 04:55 PM

BB

“ *In our thoughts and prayers.*

*Bobbie Beavers
Piedmont Police Department*

Bobbie Beavers - June 20, 2018 at 04:55 PM

TW

“ *I am so sorry for your lose my God wrap his Angeles around you in your time of need.*

Terri Wilson - June 20, 2018 at 04:55 PM

DR

“ *May you never forget that God nevet leaves us and he nevet forsakes us! Christan will always be remembered!!!*

Debbie Ragsdale - June 20, 2018 at 04:55 PM

PP

“ *this breaks my heart,praying for your wonderful family,they have lost an awesome member of their family,my heart goes out to them!R.I.P. SWEET BOY!!*

paula kelly parker - June 20, 2018 at 04:55 PM

HF

“ your family is in my thoughts and prayers r.i.p christian you are going to be missed but never forgotten we love you

hope finch - June 20, 2018 at 04:55 PM

PM

“ This little 'Angel' came into my life bouncing a basketball around with my youngest son..ALOT., but was in my daughter's class, and was a great friend to her all her life also..he became a true friend to the family in all aspects, whether it was just sitting around at times doing some homework in high school, or playing ball, or supporting a team my kids were on, that he wasnt even participating in..he was there..always smiling..always dependable, responsible,and loving..never left without a hug to his elders. We are gonna miss our sweet 'Angel' Fly High #6.Momma Pam

Pamela D McCord - June 20, 2018 at 04:55 PM

AJ

“ It didn't really hit me until now that he's gone, but he'll always be in the hearts of the Piedmont High School Class of 2010. Rest in Peace, Christian.

Ashlee Jones - June 20, 2018 at 04:55 PM

MO

“ playing sports with him. I am so sorry for your loss and i will continue to pray that god gives you all the strength to deal with this hard time.

Moryet - June 20, 2018 at 04:55 PM

SB

“ Please know that you and your family are in our prayers. We loved watching Christian play. This wonderful and loving son will surely be missed by all. Praying for God's strength and guidance during this very difficult time.

Sharon Barnes - June 20, 2018 at 04:55 PM

AP

“ Praying for the family and friends of Christian. So sorry for this terrible loss.

April - June 20, 2018 at 04:55 PM

AG

“ May the peace of God that surpasses all understanding surround you all in your time of grief.

Annette Garrison - June 20, 2018 at 04:55 PM

MT

“ R.i.p christian u will be missed....fly high and watch over family and friends..

Myeshia Turner - June 20, 2018 at 04:55 PM

AB

“ My prayers goes out to the Cantrell family. May God help to ease your pain. Words aren't enough to express the sadness we all feel.
R.I.P. Christian

Alisa Bey - June 20, 2018 at 04:55 PM

AM

“ I am so sorry for your loss. No words can express the depth of my sympathies and condolences for you and your family. I know that the condolences may fall upon deaf ears for awhile as the shock remains, but I pray that once you get a moment to yourself you see that you not only have the love of our Holy Father but also the love of the community to lean on when days seem like it's too hard to stand on your own. I also pray that God's love comforts you and keeps you and your family through this most difficult time. Have faith and know that when the day comes the Holy Father and Christian will be there with open arms to embrace you and welcome you home. God Bless.

Amber Breed and Jason Miller - June 20, 2018 at 04:55 PM

SS

“ So sorry for your loss. Praying for you all !!!

Steve Stitts - June 20, 2018 at 04:55 PM

KM

“ Christian and i were teammates at the Atlanta Sports Academy and we often would hangout before and after practice.I respected christian not only as a football player but as a person and friend. He was very down to earth and fun to be around.Christian helped me to become the top wide receiver on our team that year by challenging me everyday at practice and i really admired his work ethic.I still remember the first time i met Christian.He showed me his highlight tape from his senior year and i was so amazed i would ask to watch it everytime i would come over to visit him.To this day i wish i had a copy of it so i could watch it before every game i play for the rest of my career. I would just like to say that people like Christian are gifts from God to make impacts on the lifes of others and i want to thank him for being a good friend and thank his parents for raising i great young man. Kevin McFadden 551 carlton pointe drive Palmetto ga 30268 770-742-0545..if the family needs anything feel free to give me a call please dont hesitate.

Kevin McFadden - June 20, 2018 at 04:55 PM

MO

“ Your family has my condolences in this sad time. May you find comfort in our promise for Christian at Isa. 25:8.

Monique - June 20, 2018 at 04:55 PM

TN

“ Praying that God, give you all strength. My deepest Condolences.
Tina and Tyler Nixon

Tina Nixon - June 20, 2018 at 04:55 PM

AN

“ At a lost for words... Christian was a beautiful person on th einside and out. the boy had a smile to warm anyones heart!! he was and is a true angel!!!! he is loved by so many but he also loved many!! I am praying for the family that god gives each nd every one of you strength through this difficult time!!! i love yall!!!watch over us trell!! until we meet again my friend until we meet again!!!! One Golden Heart and Two beautiful eyes laid to rest... God broke our hearts to prove he only takes the best!!!

Andreka - June 20, 2018 at 04:55 PM

EC

“ I am sending a heart felt message, that there is a bright side. Always remember that earth has no problem that Heaven cannot HEAL. Esma E cantrell& Family

Esma E Cantrell - June 20, 2018 at 04:55 PM

AM

“ Im sorry I could not there for the homegoing service but my thoughts and prayers were with you all.May God Bless You and Keep you all.

Amy Mitchell - June 20, 2018 at 04:55 PM

JS

“ Christian was a special young man that meant a great deal to me and to the school system. He will be remember for years to come not only from his athletic ability but also for ray persona.

Like the song says, "I'm not crying because I feel so sorry for you, I'm crying for me!"

I know that he has earned his eternal reward and gone to be with God and I am so honored to at least had him in my life.

Jerry Snow

Jerry Snow - June 20, 2018 at 04:55 PM

PP

“ *i am so sorry for your loss,my heart aches for this family,my prayers are with you all!*

paula kelly parker - June 20, 2018 at 04:55 PM



“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with the Cantrell family during your time of sorrow. May God strengthen you and provide understanding at this time. Your friends in Christ,
LaShaunda Garrett Holly*

September 02, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ *Rip Christian, I know you are flying high and watching over your family and friends. You will be truly missed.*

September 01, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ MY THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS ARE WITH ALL OF YOU IN YOUR TIME OF SORROW. MAY GOD KEEP YOUR IN HIS COMFORT CARE ALWAYS

September 01, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ To the Cantrell & Palmore Families,
My prayers are with you during this time of berevement. Hold to God's unchanging hands and He will take care of you.

August 31, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ I'm still at a lost for words. I jus want u to kno that myself and the kids loved u dearly. Ur baby misses u so much it breaks heart but I told her until we meet again in heaven tht u would always watch over us n keep us safe. See u later BABY!! R.I.P Christian, We Love You

August 30, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ I will keep you all in my prayers. I graduated a year before Christian, he was a great guy.

August 30, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ you all r n my prayers.

August 30, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ I would meet Christian just about every morning on my way to work. I am truly sorry for your loss family. My heart is deeply hurting for you, my family and I will continue to keep you in our prayers. The angel you had here on earth, is now in heaven. He is now where we all want to be. I pray that you find peace. with much love, the kimble family

August 30, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ We miss him so much I am praying for you all.

August 30, 2012 at 12:00 AM



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