



Chad Michael Klauman

April 5, 1995 - November 12, 2017

Chad Michael Klauman, 22, of Pittsburg, KS, formerly of Chanute, KS passed away on Sunday, November 12, 2017. He was born on April 5, 1995 to Chad A. Klauman and Beth (Smith) Friend in Chanute.

Chad was a perfectionist who had a smile that won't be forgotten by all who knew him. He grew up attending races with his parents at Humboldt Speedway and developed a love for fast cars. Chad was a talented and determined wrestler through junior high and high school before graduating from Chanute High School in 2013. He enjoyed bow fishing, hunting, shooting pool, and got involved in playing softball after graduation. Chad had attended Pittsburg State University and was a member of Sigma Tau Gamma. He was described as "inspirational" and was always willing to help anyone in need. Chad will be forever missed by his parents, siblings, family, and many friends.

Chad is survived by:

Parents:

Chad Klauman and wife Sara of Buffalo, KS

Beth Friend and Shawn Schlotterbeck of Humboldt, KS

Siblings:

Robert Klauman of Iola, KS

Damian Splechter and wife Carrie of Bronson, KS

Leighton Klauman of Humboldt, KS

Matthew Friend of Humboldt, KS

Mikaela Friend of Humboldt, KS

Mandi Klauman of Humboldt, KS

Andrew Wright of Buffalo, KS

Grandparents:

Larry and Kathy Klauman of Chanute, KS

Kathryn Klauman of Chanute, KS

John Smith of Buffalo, KS

Carolyn Smith of Chanute, KS

Ted Yarnell of Buffalo, KS

Angie and John Teehee of Walnut, KS

Harley and Sheila Schlotterbeck of Petrolia, KS

Carolyn Schlotterbeck of Toronto, KS

Great-Grandparents:

Joan Erickson of Chanute, KS

Sue Smith of Buffalo, KS

Mary Schlotterbeck of Chanute, KS

Leona and Tim Costin of Altoona, KS

Aunts, Uncles, and Cousins

Cremation has been requested.

A visitation will be held on Monday, November 20, 2017 from 6:00-8:00 p.m. at Countryside Funeral Home Johnson Chapel. A memorial service will be held on Tuesday, November 21, 2017 at 10:00 a.m. at Otterbein United Methodist Church in Chanute, KS. Memorials have been suggested to the Chad Michael Klauman Memorial Fund and may be left with or mailed to the funeral home. Arrangements have been entrusted to: Countryside Funeral Home 101 N. Highland, Chanute, KS 66720.

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV **20**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Countryside Funeral Home - Johnson Chapel
101 N. Highland
Chanute, KS 66720
(620) 431-1220
<https://www.countrysidefh.com>

Memorial Service

NOV **21**. 10:00 AM (CT)

Otterbein United Methodist Church
631 W. 7th
Chanute, KS 66720

Tribute Wall

KS

“ Love you Beth. I am here if you ever need the talk. Loved Chad and his fun spirit.



Kris Swecker - November 21, 2017 at 10:58 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Chad Michael Klauman.



November 20, 2017 at 10:40 AM

TF

“ Beth I'm so sorry for your loss. I will always remember Chad from his determination in wrestling. He was a super kid. You are in my thoughts and prayers

Tammy Fiscus - November 19, 2017 at 09:55 AM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Chad Michael Klauman.



November 18, 2017 at 01:42 PM

GT

“ *Gina Tovar lit a candle in memory of Chad Michael Klauman*



Gina Tovar - November 17, 2017 at 06:50 PM



“ *Sentimental Dreams was purchased for the family of Chad Michael Klauman.*



November 17, 2017 at 01:19 PM

CM

“ *Memories....where to start....from the moment Chad walked into our home that summer day 2 years ago he became someone that we knew our hearts never wanted to lose. He was like another grandson—the talks we had in person or over the phone were awesome. We could talk about anything and he listened and I listened.*

A place in my heart will always be reserved for him and it breaks for all of you now and forever.

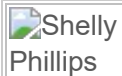
Carolyn and Ron Moore - November 16, 2017 at 03:41 PM



“ On behalf of the Independence High School Class of 2013, I extend my sincerest condolences to Chad's family during this incredibly difficult time. Even though he was a part of us for a minimal time in Independence, his life was impactful to those that were fortunate enough to have known and loved him.

Skye Conley
Senior Class President

Skye Conley - November 16, 2017 at 01:28 PM



“ I will always remember him as one of my wrestling sons, loved him to pieces. He had a contagious smile that I will never forget. You will be missed Bud.

Shelly Phillips - November 16, 2017 at 12:44 AM



“ Kathy Foster lit a candle in memory of Chad Michael Klauman



Kathy Foster - November 16, 2017 at 12:44 AM



“ Michele Lewis lit a candle in memory of Chad Michael Klauman



Michele Lewis - November 15, 2017 at 11:25 PM

Julie
Davis

“ *Julie Davis lit a candle in memory of Chad Michael Klauman*



Julie Davis - November 15, 2017 at 09:50 PM



“ *Donna Vaughan-Guffey lit a candle in memory of Chad Michael Klauman*



Donna Vaughan-Guffey - November 15, 2017 at 09:22 PM

TR

“ *Tracy Richards lit a candle in memory of Chad Michael Klauman*



Tracy richards - November 15, 2017 at 08:27 PM

CB

“ I’ve only know chad for a little under a year. Being the time I’ve been going too the break in Pittsburg but every time I was there he always had a smile on his face no matter what was going on over the year I’ve known him, him and I have became pretty good friends we would always talk and hang out I’d always walk into the break and hand him my pool stick cause he always said it made him shoot better having a stick that can control the ball easy(me I never let anyone use my stick) but something about me just trusted him with it I handed it to him without hesitation. He was a fun guy too be around and he will be deeply missed he was and will always be one of my greatest friends even in the short period of knowing him I’m sorry for your loss Klauman family he was a great friend and young man.



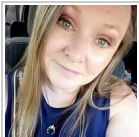
colt bartlett - November 15, 2017 at 08:25 PM

CK

“ Chris And Cozette Kincaid lit a candle in memory of Chad Michael Klauman



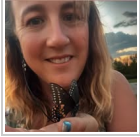
Chris and Cozette Kincaid - November 15, 2017 at 08:21 PM



“ Ashley Reed lit a candle in memory of Chad Michael Klauman



Ashley Reed - November 15, 2017 at 07:21 PM



“ *Kim Bartlett lit a candle in memory of Chad Michael Klauman*



Kim Bartlett - November 15, 2017 at 06:55 PM



“ *Jackie Mcgaugh lit a candle in memory of Chad Michael Klauman*



Jackie Mcgaugh - November 15, 2017 at 06:44 PM



“ *Dusty Haney lit a candle in memory of Chad Michael Klauman*



Dusty Haney - November 15, 2017 at 06:10 PM



“ *Mary Kuhn-Splechter lit a candle in memory of Chad Michael Klauman*



Mary Kuhn-Splechter - November 15, 2017 at 05:50 PM

TS

“ Tracey And Randall Stich lit a candle in memory of Chad Michael Klauman



Tracey and Randall Stich - November 15, 2017 at 05:29 PM

KJ

“ Karen Jesseph lit a candle in memory of Chad Michael Klauman



Karen Jesseph - November 15, 2017 at 04:31 PM

ST

“ Beth and families, I am so sorry for your loss. You are in my thoughts and prayers.



Sandy Thompson - November 15, 2017 at 04:22 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Chad Michael Klauman.



November 14, 2017 at 09:19 PM

PC

“ *Pam Cattetson lit a candle in memory of Chad
Michael Klauman*



Pam Cattetson - November 14, 2017 at 08:56 PM