



Brent Alan Rittenhouse

November 25, 1995 - April 23, 2016

Brent Alan Rittenhouse, 20, of Wauseon, Ohio died on Saturday, April 23, 2016. He was born on November 25, 1995 in Defiance, Ohio to Rachel (Murcko) Short and Brad Rittenhouse.

He is survived by his mother, Rachel (Bryan) Short of Bowling Green, Ohio; Father, Brad (Chrissy) Rittenhouse of Napoleon, Ohio; brother, Dylan Rittenhouse; sister, Brylie Short; maternal grandmother, Jane (Phil) Crossland of Napoleon; maternal grandfather, Paul (Mary) Murcko of Archbold, Ohio; paternal grandparents, Dale (Linda) Rittenhouse of Napoleon, Ohio; as well as several aunts, uncles, and cousins that will miss him dearly.

Brent loved riding his 4-wheeler, fishing, and hanging with family at the campground.

Services will be held on Friday, April 29, 2016 at 2 p.m. at Rodenberger Funeral Home, Napoleon with visitation from noon till the time of service.

Interment will follow at Poplar Ridge Cemetery, Defiance, Ohio.

Memorials to First Call For Help of Napoleon, Ohio.

Online condolences can be made online at www.rodenbergerfuneralhome.com

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Cemetery Details

Poplar Ridge Cemetery

Defiance, OH

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 29. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Napoleon Funeral Home
1010 Westmoreland Avenue
Napoleon, OH 43545
(419) 592-2333
help@rodenbergergray.com

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Tribute Wall

CA

“ To the Rittenhouse family and friends I am so sorry for your loss and you guys are in my thoughts and prayers Brent was a friend of my kids and they took this pretty hard as well as you guys I am sure He was a bright and happy person for the most part and was always polite to me and very helpful The Rosenberger and Morisa and Dustin Scarbrough families



Carrie - May 01, 2016 at 08:57 AM

JD

“ Jen Delaney lit a candle in memory of Brent Alan Rittenhouse



Jen Delaney - April 30, 2016 at 07:27 PM

JD

Rachel and Brylie, I am so sorry. We are all sending our love and prayers for peace and comfort. Jen, Brian, Makhalya and Izzy.

Jen Delaney - April 30, 2016 at 07:28 PM

BW

“ Please accept our sincere condolences and may you find a way to have strength during this terrible loss, so sorry to hear this news. Please know our prayers and thoughts are with your entire family. Brian Walker, Garrick, Lindsay & Andrea

Brian Walker - April 29, 2016 at 01:35 PM

LB

“ I was so sad to hear of Brent's passing. You all have my deepest sympathy. May the Lord comfort each of you especially at this time. Rest in peace, Brent!

Linda J. Borton - April 29, 2016 at 07:35 AM



“ Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Brent Alan Rittenhouse.



April 28, 2016 at 10:01 PM

SN

“ Our thoughts and prayers go out to the entire family, especially Brad and Chrissy. May God Bless and keep you, send His comfort to you in this difficult time. God Bless you all.
Steve & Marie Nicely

Steve Nicely - April 28, 2016 at 09:00 PM



“ Secret Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Brent Alan Rittenhouse.



April 28, 2016 at 04:10 PM

MN

“ *Brad and family,
So sorry to hear of the passing of your son, Brent, knowing that he was very special to you. Sending my love and sympathy to you in these difficult days. Trust the Lord to carry you thru this ...and the days ahead....He knows your tears and heartbreak and wants to be your Comforter and Healer! Love and prayers, Marcile Nofziger*

Marcile Nofziger - April 28, 2016 at 12:59 PM



“ *Crystal Cross Bouquet was purchased for the family of Brent Alan Rittenhouse.*



April 28, 2016 at 12:14 PM

SA

“ *Shane, Lisa, Allyna and Brandon Ankney purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Brent Alan Rittenhouse.*



Shane, Lisa, Allyna and Brandon Ankney - April 28, 2016 at 07:53 AM

JK

“ *Rachel and family, I am so sorry for your loss. I hope that all of the happy memories can bring you some comfort and peace. We are thinking of and praying for you all. Hugs, Jill (Borstelman) Klausung and family*

Jill Borstelman Klausung - April 28, 2016 at 06:57 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Brent Alan Rittenhouse.*



April 28, 2016 at 06:06 AM



“ *You were always a good friend. Remember we had lots of laughs and I always laughed so hard when we would play volleyball in gym class in 6th grade. You knew how to make people laugh. Going to miss the Good times . Always used to sing the black eyed peas song too "Boom Boom Pow" Rest in peace man. Gone too soon*

Reese Spangler - April 28, 2016 at 12:35 AM



Prayers of comfort for you both, and the entire family! Thinking of you.....

ShannonBostelman - April 29, 2016 at 09:52 AM



“ *Rachel,
My heart is breaking for you. I am so sorry for your loss. Praying for you and your family.
Georgann*



Georgann Hollister - April 27, 2016 at 10:59 PM

KI

“ my thoughts and prayers are with your family and friends! it was a pleasure working with you ! you will be dearly missed gone but never forgotten ! I will miss your smile and kind words you always had to say ! ! Kitty Kinder

kittykinder - April 27, 2016 at 05:40 PM

Amber Poston

“ Brent was one of my best friends he was always there for me. I was just at his apartment last week we watch 5 movies and just talked and sang he was telling me how he was in love with the idea of love and that he believes everything happens for a reason he said to stay happy and to do whatever I have to do to be happy he said to remember their will never be a moment that I'll forget how much he loved me then hugged me goodbye and kissed my forehead calling me his strawberry like he always did. Brent was that person who always put a smile on my face no matter what rest in peace and watch over us we love you!!!
Your 🍓

Amber Poston - April 27, 2016 at 05:35 PM

KK

“ Kitty Kinder lit a candle in memory of Brent Alan Rittenhouse



kitty kinder - April 27, 2016 at 04:53 PM

KK

I will keep your family in my thoughts and prayers ! I remember working with you ! you were a joy to work with ,you will be missed dearly ! You will never be forgotten or your smile till we meet again fly high Brent

kitty kinder - April 27, 2016 at 05:03 PM

KK

“ *Kitty Kinder sent a virtual gift in memory of Brent Alan Rittenhouse*



kitty kinder - April 27, 2016 at 04:52 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Brent Alan Rittenhouse.*



April 27, 2016 at 01:16 PM


Jennifer
Petras

“ *Sweet boy.. you are our Angel in heaven*



Jennifer Petras - April 27, 2016 at 10:02 AM

JL

“ *Although I never met Brent, I am his cousin Amanda's friend. I want to express my deepest sympathies to his family and friends. I am so sorry for your loss. Our prayers are with you all.*

Jennifer Leitner - April 27, 2016 at 07:23 AM



“ *Brent was one of the most caring people I knew, he always tried to look at the positive things in life and if something was wrong he'd try and fix it with his sense of humor.. I wish we wouldn't have lost touch after high school! Rest in Peace Brent.*



Jacquelyn Weaver - April 26, 2016 at 10:31 PM



Brent and I worked at Glenn Hunter together and He was always making me laugh, we would go take our lunch breaks in that little blue house and tell stories..Man its hard to believe your gone bud...May your soul rest peaceful Dear friend

Christopher Slone - April 27, 2016 at 07:26 PM



“ *Thoughts and prayers are with Brent's family and friends and all who's lives were touched with his amazing personality. We were blessed to have been able to work with him.*
Sincerely,
Amanda, Melanie and Jessica
Spherion Defiance



Melanie Rhoads-Cover - April 26, 2016 at 07:53 PM



“ *Brent, I watch you grow from a little boy to a young man.I was proud of you. Love you. I will take care of your mom you know she means the world to me. Until I see you again, fly high you have your wings*

Cheryl Moden - April 26, 2016 at 07:51 PM

CM

“ Cheryl Moden lit a candle in memory of Brent Alan Rittenhouse



Cheryl Moden - April 26, 2016 at 07:47 PM

PE

“ Forever.in.our.hearts.



Pennie.Duke - April 26, 2016 at 06:41 PM

 Aubree Oliveira

“ When I moved away summer going into sophomore year, we used to Skype all the time.. We would talk about everything life and how much people have changed. You were the only one to still keep and touch and it just stopped over the course of time. If I could go back and change it, i would. You were the class clown that guy who made everyone laugh! Brent I still can't believe this... Watch over us okay! Love you.



Aubree Oliveira - April 26, 2016 at 06:39 PM

KB

“ sincere condolences & love to Brent's family and friends, you're definitely gone too soon but you'll live on in our hearts forever. do some camping up there in heaven for us Brent💙🙏

kamilah bakhsh - April 26, 2016 at 05:46 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Brent Alan Rittenhouse.*



April 26, 2016 at 12:38 PM



“ *Kelly Harmon lit a candle in memory of Brent Alan Rittenhouse*



Kelly Harmon - April 26, 2016 at 11:52 AM



“ *little Brent..... as a little boy you were so adorable and cute and before our eyes you grew into such a handsome man. Our family loves you so so much and of course I love you too.*



Amanda Duke Trimboli - April 26, 2016 at 11:42 AM



“ *This young man had a knock out personality. Brent was always ready to lend a hand when I needed him. I would tease him about the rumble of his deep voice and watch him blush and laugh.. The last moment I had with Brent was Friday late evening.. The kid hugged me and said he loved me. My daughter Abbie is the one who told me of his passing... It shocked me cause I just seen him. He was so young.*

Tammy Renea Diaz - April 26, 2016 at 11:01 AM

MH

“ *Oh buddy. You will be forever in our hearts.
We ache for you but celebrate your life!* ”



Melanie Hicks - April 26, 2016 at 10:12 AM

AE

“ *He was always so happy and always willing to be there for every
body were all gonna miss u Brent* ”

audrey ellingsworth - April 26, 2016 at 09:54 AM

CK

“ *Courtney Kruse lit a candle in memory of
Brent Alan Rittenhouse* ”



Courtney Kruse - April 26, 2016 at 08:31 AM