



Mr. Brett Wayne DeShong

October 20, 1997 - January 11, 2021

Brett Wayne DeShong, 23, of Dover, Florida, born in Brandon on October 20, 1997, entered into eternal rest on January 11, 2021. He was a 2016 graduate of Durant High School, and was in the final clinical rotation in the Physical Therapist Assistant Program at Keiser University. He enjoyed playing Playstation and the piano, riding dirt bikes, ATVs, and in his Hyundai Genesis "Genny", working out, and going to the beach. He is survived by parents, Jamie and Bridgette DeShong; sister, Madison DeShong; grandparents, Sharon Howle (John) of Lithia, Phillip Woolbright (Tammy) of Alabama, and Mildred Coburn (Lenny Glaze) of Dover; girlfriend, Alyssa Soto-Mayor; and many aunts, uncles, cousins, family and friends. A memorial service will be held Saturday, January 16 at 3:00 P.M. at Hopewell Funeral Home, 6005 South County Road 39, Plant City, where the family will receive friends beginning at 2:00 P.M. Expressions of condolence at HopewellFuneral.com.

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 16. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

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Memorial Service

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Tribute Wall



“ Hopewell Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Mr. Brett Wayne DeShong



Hopewell Funeral Home - January 15, 2021 at 03:26 PM



I keeping my friend and family in my prayers she lost her grandson he was so young and it such a big lost

Ozie Jackson - January 21, 2021 at 05:52 PM

RS

My heart goes out to the family it's so sad to lose someone so young but he's in God's hands now God bless the family God invites his newest angel in heaven tells him to spread his wings and fly away is free now God bless

Rachel Sheets - January 22, 2021 at 07:38 PM

MI

I have just today learned of this horrible tragedy. He always smiled at me in the halls and gave me a big hug. He smelled so good. I will miss his bright and vibrant spirit. I am thinking of all of you now and my heart is with you all.

Michelle - March 09, 2021 at 03:12 PM

LE

My heartfelt prayers go out to Brett's family. I hardly knew him, but he always talked with me and made me smile when I saw him on the elevator. God has brought his Angel home. Peace be with you.

Leanne - March 10, 2021 at 12:36 PM

MC

“ I know its been a few years now. Your memory is still a warm one.

Mari from CORA - February 06, 2024 at 12:00 PM

SH

“ I will always love to the moon and back and I do promise you that you will never be forgotten. May you rest in peace Brett. Hold your baby brother Jase in heaven give him lots of hugs and kisses for me tell him Happy Heavenly 3rd Birthday for me. I miss you so much Brett. Love you always to the moon and back. Love Nana Howle ❤️ you will always be my cookie wayne too!



Sharon Howle - January 23, 2021 at 10:28 AM

BH

“ Sharon ! I might didn't know Brett but in my heart and mind. Because you being the person you're I know he was a great fellow . Sending healing prayers and comforting hugs to you and the family .

Mrs. Beverlyn Harriis-Johnson



Beverlyn Harris-Johnson - January 18, 2021 at 12:04 PM

TH

“ Trish Hanchett sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Brett Wayne DeShong



Trish Hanchett - January 17, 2021 at 01:31 AM



“ *Shelly Chapman lit a candle in memory of Mr. Brett Wayne DeShong*



Shelly Chapman - January 16, 2021 at 05:14 PM



“ *Guiding Light Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mr. Brett Wayne DeShong.*



January 15, 2021 at 11:44 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mr. Brett Wayne DeShong.*



January 15, 2021 at 09:26 PM



“ *I knew Brett from the gym. We talked about his dreams and goals in life. He was dedicated to working out. He was especially great in doing pull-ups and manipulating the pull up bars. Brett had an awesome personality and a sweet spirit. You left us too soon buddy! My sincere condolences to his family and friends. May his beautiful soul rest with our heavenly God. Z. Hamade'*

Zouheir Hamade' - January 15, 2021 at 07:35 PM

GF

“ DeShong Family,

I am deeply saddened by the loss that you and your family have encountered. My condolences.

Ginny Fowler



Ginny Fowler - January 15, 2021 at 06:32 PM

AN

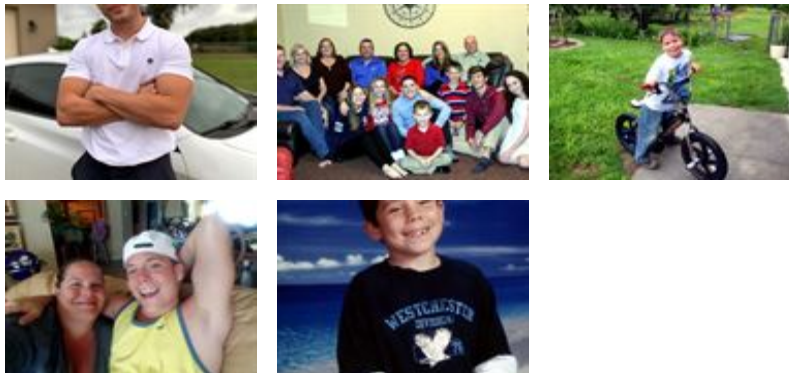
“ Ana lit a candle in memory of Mr. Brett Wayne DeShong



Ana - January 15, 2021 at 06:08 PM



“ 46 files added to the album LifeTributes



Hopewell Funeral Home - January 15, 2021 at 03:27 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Mr. Brett Wayne DeShong.*



January 15, 2021 at 01:54 PM



“ *Love, your USF Business Office family purchased the Heaven's Comfort for the family of Mr. Brett Wayne DeShong.*



Love, your USF Business Office family - January 15, 2021 at 01:14 PM



“ *Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant was purchased for the family of Mr. Brett Wayne DeShong.*



January 15, 2021 at 12:17 PM

CG

“ My dear sweet Brett, I will miss your hugs, your smile and all the times you made me laugh And of course the time your mom told us she dressed you up and entered you in a contest ... I know we teased you hard ..But you were a trooper and took it lightheartedly... I will cherish our memories forever ... You were an angel on earth and I have no doubt gods plan includes you front in center with that beautiful smile and your ability to entertain and bring laughter to anyone you meet !

Bridget you are an amazing mother, not everyone can say they raised a genuine kind , loving , humble young man.. His spirit and attitude was rare in a young adult.. His memory will live in my heart forever ...

Cindy Garrett - January 15, 2021 at 11:35 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mr. Brett Wayne DeShong.*



January 15, 2021 at 10:57 AM



“ *Rays of Light Spray was purchased for the family of Mr. Brett Wayne DeShong.*



January 15, 2021 at 10:33 AM