



Jesse Allen Strieter

January 27, 1995 - October 10, 2016

Jesse Allen Strieter, age 21, of Pickford, Michigan, died unexpectedly at his home on October 10, 2016. He was born January 27, 1995 in Saginaw, Michigan to Allen Jay and Patti Jo (Vanderlooven) Strieter.

Jesse grew up in Unionville, Michigan and moved to the Eastern Upper Peninsula with his family in 2000. He attended Pickford Public Schools and Cedarville High School. He played baseball for the PC Pirates and graduated from Cedarville High School with the class of 2013. Jesse attended Lake Superior State University and Northern Michigan University, where he studied Musical Composition. He worked for Mertaugh Boat Works, Angios, and McLeod Construction.

Jesse was a member of the Unionville Moravian Church.

Jesse enjoyed playing freestyle basketball and hunting. He loved music and played the drums, guitar, and piano. Most of all, Jesse liked to sing and rap. He believed that "When there is music, everything is at peace"

Jesse is survived by his parents, Allen and Patti Strieter of Pickford; sister, Casey (Carl) Mason of Linden, Michigan; and grandmother, Donna Jean Strieter of Pigeon, Michigan.

Jesse is preceded in death by his grandparents, Richard Dean Strieter, and George and Shirley Vanderlooven.

Visitation will be held on Tuesday, October 18, 2016 at R. Galer Funeral Home, in Pickford, from 1:00 P.M. to 4:00 P.M. Funeral Services will follow at 4:00 P.M. Pastor Craig Weihman will be officiating.

Condolences may be sent to the family at www.rgalerfuneralhome.com.

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **18**. 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Family Life Funeral Homes - Pickford
24549 S. M-129
Pickford, MI 49774
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<https://www.familylifefuneralhomes.com/>

Funeral Service

OCT **18**. 4:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Jesse Allen Strieter*

October 05, 2023 at 09:54 AM



“ *Jesse Allen Strieter*

October 02, 2023 at 10:14 PM



“ *Jesse Allen Strieter*

September 01, 2022 at 07:49 PM



“ *I'm so sorry for your loss and am lifting you up in prayer as you deal with the grief. Know that you are not alone and that you're loved behind measure.*

Lisa Smiley West Fornwald - October 22, 2016 at 07:54 AM



“ *I'm very sorry for the loss of Jesse, heaven just gained another angel. May he rest in peace.*

Aunt Kathy Jo Maguire and family.

Kathy Jo Maguire - October 18, 2016 at 01:16 PM

TM

“ My husband Tom and AJ are cousins. We met Jesse when he was about 8, when we stopped in for a visit; he showed us the things he loved - his toys, his musical instruments, his beautiful world. I am so very sorry that he left this beautiful world. I know that you must be overwhelmed by grief. The tiny bit of advice that I can offer is to breathe. Breathe. Breathe. And know that so many people love you and are keeping you in their thoughts and prayers.

Tess and Tom Moore

Tess Moore - October 18, 2016 at 08:42 AM

JS

“ Jesse dated my daughter for a period of time and was quiet but always had a smile on his face :) We would go watch him at his plays he was in at the Soo Theater in which he was so talented with his singing and instruments he could play. He would come out afterwards so excited that we were there with that huge smile! My heart breaks for his family & friends. Recently I was in New York City and made a point to go into the St. Patrick's Cathedral to light a candle for Jesse and pray for him to find peace. Jesse will truly be missed by so many.

Julie Smith - October 17, 2016 at 10:31 AM

JK

“ Jay, Liz, Fran, Josh, Laura and Kevin purchased the Ocean Breeze Spray for the family of Jesse Allen Strieter.



Jay, Liz, Fran, Josh, Laura and Kevin - October 17, 2016 at 09:35 AM

DB

“ Dylan and Bill Badour purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Jesse Allen Strieter.



Dylan and Bill Badour - October 16, 2016 at 02:50 PM



“ Health Nut Basket was purchased for the family of Jesse Allen Strieter.



October 15, 2016 at 10:50 AM

BM

“ Though we did not know Jesse, we are saddened by the tragedies the family has to suffer through. His dad is my cousin and we grew up a stone's throw away. We pray for healing in every way- for AJ, Patti and the Strieter family.

Buddy & Renee Moore

Buddy Moore - October 13, 2016 at 09:55 PM

BM

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Buddy & Renee Moore

Buddy Moore - October 13, 2016 at 09:53 PM

MT

“ Mike And Deb Trischler lit a candle in memory of Jesse Allen Strieter

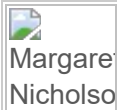


Mike and Deb Trischler - October 13, 2016 at 09:46 PM

MT

We are so very sorry for your loss and are keeping your family in our prayers.

Mike and Deb Trischler - October 13, 2016 at 09:48 PM



Margare
Nicholso

I only knew Jesse for a short time in a play we were in together but he was a sweet and wonderfully talented young man. Our prayers are with his family and friends.

Margaret Nicholson Elkins - October 13, 2016 at 10:39 PM

JD

A.J. and Patti, We are so sorry for your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with you through this very difficult time.

Jack and Carol DeSimpelare` - October 14, 2016 at 09:23 AM

LM

AJ & Patti, We are so very sorry for your loss. Many prayers and love sent your way.
Mark and Lori (Retzler) Zimmer

Lori and Mark - October 17, 2016 at 09:21 PM

AM

“ AJ & Patti, I am so sorry. My heart aches for you. My thought and prayers are with your whole family.

Adena Moore - October 13, 2016 at 08:20 PM

LZ

“ Words cannot even begin to express our sorrow.
Deepest Sympathies go out to you and your family.
In Loving Memory, Don and Laura Zambron, and families.

Laura Zambron - October 13, 2016 at 04:42 PM

JS

“ Jule Strieter purchased the Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant for the family of Jesse Allen Strieter.



Jule Strieter - October 13, 2016 at 01:38 PM

JS

“ Jule Strieter purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Jesse Allen Strieter.



Jule Strieter - October 13, 2016 at 01:18 PM

JS

“ Jule Strieter lit a candle in memory of Jesse Allen Strieter



Jule Strieter - October 13, 2016 at 12:04 PM

JS

This candle was lit by Jesse's Grandma Dona Strieter. "Mea" Grandma Strieter loves you very much.

Jule Strieter - October 13, 2016 at 12:06 PM



“ *Our family knew Jesse from volunteering at Soo Theatre. We remember him as a quiet, caring and talented young man. He could often be heard playing the piano in one of the studios, and I smile today but with a heavy heart as I recall the drum solo he did as "the baker" during the Joseph production. Rest in peace, Jesse, and comfort and healing to all who knew and will miss you.*

Kathy Flickinger - October 13, 2016 at 11:09 AM

CS

“ *Jesse was a wonderful young man. I got to know him when subbing at Pickford and Cedarville schools and also when he came and sang with our choir at Pickford Presbyterian Church for Christmas Eve. He was a kind and gentle soul. My prayers at this very difficult time for his family.*

Cindy Smith - October 13, 2016 at 10:38 AM

CM

“ *Jesse Strieter's wake will be held on Tuesday, October 18, 2016 at Galer Funeral Home in Pickford, MI from 1-4pm. Service will follow at 4pm*

Casey Mason - October 13, 2016 at 10:08 AM

TW

“ *Our love and prayers to the family of Jesse. We don't really know you but I feel we do. As Patty kept every one up to date about her children. She loves you dearly. Franz and Toni*



Toni Wilding - October 13, 2016 at 10:02 AM

KC

“ *Keith Campbell lit a candle in memory of Jesse Allen Strieter*



Keith Campbell - October 13, 2016 at 08:19 AM

PB

“ *Pamela Bliss lit a candle in memory of Jesse Allen Strieter*



Pamela Bliss - October 13, 2016 at 08:18 AM

VI

“ *Vicky Irion lit a candle in memory of Jesse Allen Strieter*



Vicky Irion - October 13, 2016 at 07:42 AM

PB

“ I didn't really know Jesse. We were both in the DeTour Players production of *The Sound of Music*. He was a very kind and respectful young man and so very talented. My heart breaks for his family. Heaven's choir got a new voice. 🙏

Paula Bosley - October 13, 2016 at 06:55 AM

JS

“ *Jule Strieter lit a candle in memory of Jesse Allen Strieter*



Jule Strieter - October 13, 2016 at 06:40 AM

 Carl Mason

“ *Carl Mason lit a candle in memory of Jesse Allen Strieter*



Carl Mason - October 13, 2016 at 06:35 AM

AI

“ I had the pleasure of meeting Jesse 5 years ago and from the first day I met him I was impressed how sincere and respectful he was. Two years ago our paths crossed again as he was a good friend to my nephew Justin. Jesse often stayed with Justin at my in-laws home across the road from us. My husband Mark was diagnosed with ALS and Justin was a God send to us and Jesse would come along with Justin and help with Mark. Both young men were only a text away when I needed a hand at the house. They just recently covered the wood pile for me. We had Mark's burial in May and Jesse stepped right in at the cemetery to lend a hand in putting Mark to rest.

I am so thankful I was able to visit with Jesse and Justin for a half hour on Sunday afternoon never knowing that would be the last time I got to talk to him. When I left for work Monday am I drove by Mark's parents and there were Justin and Jesse outside and as always that huge smile and big wave from Jesse. He didn't just go through the motions....what he did was genuine and it meant something. My heart is broken for the Strieter family and you have raised a very nice young man. I am blessed to have known him and I will continue to pray for peace and healing for your family and all of us who loved Jesse.

Amy Izzard

Amy Izzard - October 13, 2016 at 06:32 AM

BH

“ We are so deeply saddened to hear of your loss. Praying for your family. Sending our love.

Brad Haist - October 13, 2016 at 05:46 AM

RG

“ Our prayers are with each of you. We are so very sorry for this painful loss. Jesse was and is loved by so many. R I P young man.

Ray and Kim Gokey - October 13, 2016 at 05:25 AM

AA

“ We are so terribly sorry for your loss.

Art & Linda Alegria - October 13, 2016 at 02:50 AM

GD

“ Jesse was a blessing to many and will remain one. He was amazing singer and drummer, and was friendly toward everyone. He had a fun spirit and was great at theater too... Very sad to see him go so soon ♡

Grace Dunn - October 12, 2016 at 11:08 PM

DF

“ Dear Strieter family,

We are so so sorry for your loss, Jesse was such a great kid and we both loved his wonderful personality and sweet spirit. Please know that your family is in our thoughts and prayers daily.
Jason and DeeDee Firack



Demoree Firack - October 12, 2016 at 09:58 PM

Casey Vogel

“ *Your quote in the yearbook is perfect. You did just that. Id love to sit next to ya eating popcorn looking back at all the stupid stuff we've done together and not change any of it for the world.*



Casey Vogel - October 12, 2016 at 09:56 PM



“ *Audrianna Brown lit a candle in memory of Jesse Allen Strieter*



Audrianna Brown - October 12, 2016 at 09:41 PM

SR

“ *Jesse had that beautiful smile and shared it with everyone he met. Such a huge loss...*

sandie rye - October 12, 2016 at 09:20 PM

Casey
Vogel

“ Remember when we took you camping out at Brevort Lake and we took our bikes with and stumbled upon a HUGE sand hill and you told me that if i went down, you'd come down too? so i went down no problem. now its your turn. I peer pressure you into it, and as you're about 3/4 of the way down, you get scared and lock up your brakes, but since your backs didn't work well, you used your front ones. do you know what happens when you lock up your front brakes going down a steep hill on a bike? you flip. a few times actually. and bend your bike rims up. To this day, I still envision you flipping and me making sure you were OK before i proceeded to cry/laugh.



Casey Vogel - October 12, 2016 at 09:17 PM

MK

“ Always knew how to make people laugh and smile ❤️




Maddie Kohlmann - October 12, 2016 at 09:15 PM

PF

“ Jesse was a very talented young man who loved his family and friends well! He was a gifted musician and his smile certainly lit up our world. He was polite, kind and caring...even when struggling. I am heartbroken over his leaving us, and am praying for deep comfort for those of us he left behind.


Pat Feldhake - October 12, 2016 at 09:04 PM

 Sarah
Brown

“ Sarah Brown lit a candle in memory of Jesse
Allen Strieter



Sarah Brown - October 12, 2016 at 08:57 PM

 Casey
Vogel

“ This was the picture that was taken for mock elections our
graduating year. we were voted best buds, and we were nothing
short of that. from our long ride from Pickford to Cedarville daily for
school, or our trips to the Soo for something to do on a cold winter
Saturday night. You were, and will always be my best friend.



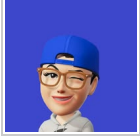
Casey Vogel - October 12, 2016 at 08:40 PM

KS

“ Keith And Deb Strieter lit a candle in memory
of Jesse Allen Strieter



keith and deb strieter - October 12, 2016 at 08:37 PM



“ *Tracey Niedrich lit a candle in memory of
Jesse Allen Strieter*



Tracey Niedrich - October 12, 2016 at 08:18 PM



“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with you all !!!! Bill and Tracey,
Jeremy and Amanda Niedrich*

Tracey Niedrich - October 12, 2016 at 08:17 PM