



Kyle Cameron Bancroft

February 26, 2005 - March 15, 2024

In the quietude of March 15, 2024, surrounded by the warmth and love of his family, Kyle Cameron Bancroft peacefully departed from this world at his home after he courageously battled Ewing Sarcoma for the last 4 years. Kyle was born and remained in Stamford, CT for his youthful life. He loved, valued and appreciated his family, his dogs Shadow and Violet, his friends, his education, watching any sport with his dad, and, during downtime, playing video games with friends and cousins. Last summer, Kyle was able to enjoy the trip of a lifetime to Ireland with some of his closest friends.

Throughout Kyle's education, he was a perennial honors/high honors student while attending Stamford Public Schools. He received multiple scholarship awards including The Mickey Leone, Jr. Fund, The Susan Fund, Circle of Care and the Junie DeLeo Scholarship Award. Knowing Kyle needed to be close to home due to his illness, after being accepted to all 9 CT colleges in which he applied, he decided to attend Sacred Heart University where he formed many friendships while soldiering through his pain to finish out the Fall 2023 semester. In turn, Kyle earned a position on the Dean's list which spoke volumes to his character and dedication in spite of his illness.

We would be remiss not to mention Kyle's love for baseball. From the early age of 4, Kyle began playing. Baseball was his passion and a sport in which he excelled at striking fear into the hearts of opposing pitchers. Some of his

favorite days were on the baseball field doing what he loved, being part of a genuine camaraderie while establishing several everlasting friendships with his teammates and coaches. If Kyle wasn't on the field, he was always talking about baseball. Prior to his diagnosis, his dream was to play for the MLB. Over the years, Kyle played for Stamford North Little League (Springdale Little League), Stamford Rebels Travel, Stamford High School and Stamford Legion Post 3. During the off season, Kyle played basketball for Stamford Peace, JCC Travel and Stamford High School. He also coached a team for Stamford Peace and volunteered for Stamford High School's Unified Sports assisting children with special needs play basketball.

Through Kyle's determination, he achieved so much over the last 19 years, more than many will achieve in a lifetime. He was loved by so many. Everyone that knew Kyle adored him and was impressed with his character. Kyle was valiant, brave, kind, thoughtful, respectful, smart, funny, athletic, a great student, handsome, calm and one of the finest humans you will ever meet. We will always carry Kyle's spirit and memory in our hearts.

Kyle was predeceased by his paternal Grandfather, Leonard J. Bancroft and three uncles, Leonard Bancroft, Jr., Gary Bancroft and Mark Bancroft. Kyle is survived by his proud and loving parents Lisa (Cameron) and Scott Bancroft and his sister, Chelsey. His maternal grandparents, Patricia and William Cameron of Riverside, aunts and uncles Cathy (Cameron) and James Hylinski of Delray Beach, Florida as well as Suzanne (Cameron) and Glen Messina of New Canaan, CT and many adoring cousins. Kyle is also survived by his paternal grandmother Shirley Bancroft of East Windsor, CT and his aunts and uncles: Jane McCarthy of Watertown CT, Roxanne Bancroft of East Windsor, CT, Wayne (Jennifer) Bancroft of Enfield, CT, Janine Bancroft of East Hartford, CT, Pauline (Gary) Meacham of East Windsor, CT, Lynn Andrews of Somers, CT and cousin.

The family would like to thank Kyle's amazing medical teams at Yale Children's Hospital, Regional Hospice, Memorial Sloan Kettering, and Children's Hospital of Philadelphia.

In lieu of flowers, please consider making a donation in Kyle's honor to any of the following organizations: Yale Children's Hospital, Circle of Care, The Umbrella Club, The Charlie Landers Foundation or to Raise the Bar Foundation of Stamford.

A wake will be held on Monday, March 18, 2024 from 4PM - 8PM at Bosak Funeral Home, 453 Shippan Avenue, Stamford, CT 06902. A funeral mass will be celebrated on Tuesday, March 19, 2024 at 10:30AM at The Church of Saint Cecilia, 1184 Newfield Avenue, Stamford, CT 06905. The interment will be private.

To express condolences for the family online, please visit the family guestbook at www.bosakfuneralhome.com or www.facebook.com/bosakfuneralhome

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 18. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Bosak Funeral Home & Cremation
453 Shippan Avenue
Stamford, CT 06902

Funeral Mass

MAR 19. 10:30 AM (ET)

Church of Saint Cecilia
1184 Newfield Ave
Stamford, CT 06905

Tribute Wall

NM

“ Kyle worked for us in the mini golf and flume department of the IC. I have to say that he was one of the politest and respectful young men that I have ever met. He always came to work happy with a smile on his face and did his job plus any additional asks without question. He will be missed as an employee for sure, but more importantly for the impressive young man that he was. As a parent of a son of a similar age to Kyle, I cannot imagine the sadness and grief. A beautiful, young life cut so short. The only consolation that you have is the memories that no one will be able to take away and the knowledge that the 19 short years were lived with grace, kindness, talent and joy. Rest In Peace Kyle. You are now an angel in heaven looking down on all those you loved.

Nancy Mitchell - March 28, 2024 at 02:56 PM

AS

“ Dear Lisa, Scott , Chelsey and Family
Mere words can not express our heartfelt sorrow and condolences for your loss.
Of course I have fond memories of Kyles time in Springdale Little League..
He was a gifted athlete but more importantly a repectful and kind hearted soul and a great teammate.
You are in our prayers.
Tony and Angie Strazza

Anthony Strazza - March 20, 2024 at 10:39 AM

CC

“ We had the pleasure of meeting Kyle when he and his friends stayed with us in Ireland last year. A lovely person both inside and out - our kids were seriously impressed with all that he achieved. He has been in our thoughts since.

We were terribly sorry to hear the news. Sending you love and holding at this very sad time. Claire, Cormac and family xx

Claire & Cormac - March 19, 2024 at 07:51 PM

GI

“ Dearest Lisa and family
Its hard to find the words to say how sorry I am for Kyle passing you were so strong . You can always be proud of all you and your family did to help him. my deepest sympathy. I

know he was a kind and loving young man with many accomplishments. May the memories of Kyle help you through the time ahead. You are in my thoughts & with healing for your hard days ahead Gigi Benanti



Gigi - March 19, 2024 at 11:01 AM



“ A sympathy card was purchased for the family of Kyle Cameron Bancroft.



March 19, 2024 at 10:41 AM

RS

“ Everyone at the Tommy Fund for Childhood Cancer sends their deepest condolences to your family and friends. Our very best,
Rebecca Santoli

Rebecca Santoli - March 19, 2024 at 10:29 AM

WR

“ *Lisa, I am very sorry for your loss. May God give you and your family the strength to deal with your pain. W.Romero*

Walter Romero - March 19, 2024 at 09:52 AM



“ *Lisa, Scott, Chelsey and the entire Bancroft family, I am so sorry for the loss of Kyle. He certainly lived his life to the fullest, I know how very proud you were of him in all his accomplishments. Thoughts and prayers to you all.*

The Michaud Family

Rob Michaud - March 19, 2024 at 09:38 AM

KK

“ *So sorry for your loss. Thinking of everyone, family, friends, aunt, uncles, moms and dads sisters brothers. Thinking of you during your time of loss.*

kelly. kucner - March 18, 2024 at 10:44 PM

SS

“ *My sincerest condolences to Lisa and her family on the loss of her dear son. May God grant you strength and peace as you mourn the loss. My prayers are with you and your family*

Shirley Stanrod - March 18, 2024 at 10:32 PM

AS

“ *What a wonderful child you were blessed with! My heart and prayers go out to you in your terrible loss. May you find comfort and peace as you grieve. I too lost a remarkable child, therefore I understand. Peace be with you.*

A mother, SM - March 18, 2024 at 10:10 PM

EF

“ *My condolences to the entire Bancroft family. I am so sorry for your loss.*

Elisse Franco - March 18, 2024 at 06:35 PM

BR

“ *I can count on my hands the amount of times Kyle and I actually spoke - whether it was the ephemeral elevator ride to the third floor, or when we occasionally sat next to each other in organizational management. He was always someone i thought i'd liked to have known better. Unfortunately, I never got that chance, but I imagine those who did were better off for it. I'm sorry for your loss.*

brendan - March 18, 2024 at 06:20 PM

FS

“ *Dear Bancroft family,*

So sorry for your loss. Kyle was such a wonderful kid, polite, considerate. He will be missed. My thoughts and prayers are with you all. Frances Santora, Springdale School.



Frances Santora - March 18, 2024 at 05:55 PM

DA

“ *David lit a candle in memory of Kyle Cameron Bancroft*



David - March 18, 2024 at 04:30 PM

CH

“ *Dear Lisa, Scott and Chelsea*

Our hearts are with you during this sad time. A life taken to soon and yet what a full life he had. Reading about Kyle was so impressive and we could feel the love that surrounded him at all times. God bless you all.

Cliff and Chris Hans

Chris & Cliff Hans - March 18, 2024 at 02:16 PM

LF

“ *Lisa, my deepest sympathy to you and your family, What an impressive young man with all his accomplishments. May the many memories you have of Kyle help you through the days ahead. You are in my thoughts, Lynne*

LYNNE BYINGTON, FCB - March 18, 2024 at 09:48 AM

DM

“ *I am so sorry to hear about Kyle's recent passing. I truly enjoyed teaching him in U.S. History his junior year and also had the pleasure of watching him play against my son on the baseball field in HS. What a wonderful, young man who made this world a better place. You and your family are in my thoughts and prayers. - Doug MacLehose, Stamford High*

Doug MacLehose - March 18, 2024 at 08:02 AM

PH

“ I am so sorry to hear about Kyle’s passing. He was such a pleasure to have in class at Springdale. Sending you prayers and my deepest condolences. *Patty Healy*

Patty Healy - March 17, 2024 at 08:46 PM

RC

“ My sincere condolences. We have fond memories of Kyle that we'll never forget! Sending love. *Uncle Bob Cameron*

Robert Cameron - March 17, 2024 at 11:58 AM

JD

“ Our families have shared endless memories that will always hold a place in my heart. When I think back on those memories, the one thing that always stands out, is the sweet smile on Kyle’s face. I remember the smile when he hit a home run or his team won a game. When he tossed an apple, when we went apple picking or when he tossed a water ballon in his back yard. When he raced John Ryan down the ski slope, or he slide down the slide at the waterpark. He smiled when he was simply playing wiffle ball, cornhole or spikeball in the backyard. Taking a bite of his burger on a Fourth of July, taking a bite of his bacon pizza from Colony or taking a bite of candy he collected on Halloween. But his biggest smile was always when he looked at the people he loved. Kyle, I will miss seeing your smile but I will always remember it in my heart. *May you rest in peace, angel. Love always, Jeanette Dowling.*

Jeanette Dowling - March 17, 2024 at 11:43 AM

SC

“ No words can express my deep sorrow for all Kyle and the family has been through. I remember Kyle on the Riverside School playground with his grandmother, Pat. He was such fun, laughing and running around but totally listening to his grandmother. He stopped playing and came to meet me even though the slide was calling his name. When he found out that my son had played baseball in the Yankee organization he couldn't stop asking questions. I had the best time watching his eyes light up as he told me about his dreams of the MLB and all he was doing to make sure that dream happened. He was a determined, thoughtful and fun young man whose absence will be noticed by so many people. His strength and courage will be emulated as well as his loving ways. God bless Kyle and his whole circle of family and friends.

Susan Calabrese - March 17, 2024 at 08:32 AM

LL

“ Kyle was a great kid and you were a lovely family to work with in my days at Springdale. So sorry to hear of his passing and sending much love and peace for all the days ahead.
Laura Lynam

laura lynam - March 16, 2024 at 09:36 PM

SD

“ Kyle was one of my favorite students and will be missed by many. Sending you all prayers at this difficult time. With my deepest sympathies, Sandy DeFilippis Springdale School

Sandra DeFilippis - March 16, 2024 at 06:50 PM

SD

I just made a donation to Circle of Care in Kyle's honor and memory. I couldn't attend the wake but I am thinking about you all and sending love.

Sandra DeFilippis - March 18, 2024 at 06:15 PM

PH

“ *Lisa, Scott and Chesley I am so sorry for your loss. May God bless you and your family in this time of sorrow. Patty Horton*

Patty Horton - March 16, 2024 at 04:53 PM

EM

“ *A beautiful tribute. Kyle will no doubt be remembered and bring a smile to many forever. My heart goes out to his family and friends.*
~ *Eileen McManus*

Eileen McManus - March 16, 2024 at 03:26 PM