



Michael J Bajus Jr

November 9, 2000 - November 6, 2020

Michael J Bajus Jr. passed away unexpectedly on Friday, November, 6 2020 at the young age of 19. He was born on November, 9 2000 in Stamford, CT to his beloved parents Michael Bajus and Dora Penarrieta Bajus.

Michael was an incredibly intelligent and humorous young man. He was deeply committed to practicing kindness, patience, and acceptance and his comprehension of these values were beyond his years. His archive of witty and sharp facts stemmed from his natural curiosity and his love of learning. He loved long walks, gaming, anime, learning, and traveling.

Michael's legacy will be in the hearts and minds of all who interacted with him.

Michael is survived by his parents, Dora and Michael; his siblings, Marcelo Acosta, Ela Bajus, Fabiana Baltazar, and Emily Bajus; his niece; and a big, loving family of aunts, uncles, cousins, and friends.

To celebrate Michael's life, his family invites you to join them to share your stories and memories at wake services honoring him on Friday, November 13th, from 2pm – 8pm, with a Trisagion service to be celebrated at 7pm, at the Bosak Funeral Home, 453 Shippan Avenue, in Stamford, CT. His funeral service will be celebrated at 10am on Saturday, November 14th at Saint Vladimir's Cathedral, 24 Wenzel Terrace, in Stamford with his burial to follow

at St. John's Cemetery in Darien, CT.

In compliance with state mandates and the safety of all those attending the services, it is mandatory to wear face coverings and maintain social distancing.

If you would like to leave a condolence message online please visit the family guestbook to share memories with his family at www.bosakfuneralhome.com or www.facebook.com/bosakfuneralhome.

Cemetery Details

St. John R.C. Cemetery - Darien

25 Camp Avenue
Darien, CT 06820
(203) 322-0455
http://www.ctgenweb.org/county/cofairfield/pages/cemetery/cm_darien/stjohn1.htm

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 13. 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Bosak Funeral Home
453 Shippan Avenue
Stamford, CT 06902
(203) 325-9300
<https://www.bosakfuneralhome.com/>

Service

NOV 14. 10:00 AM (ET)

Saint Vladimir's Cathedral
24 Wenzel Terrace
Stamford, CT 06902

Tribute Wall

JR

“ Dear Michael and family,

Over the time of the pandemic, I was going to Stamford diner to go to study for my exams and working on my summer course and I would always see Michael working there. I was glad that I bumped into him because I knew he had a kind heart. It was nice knowing that I would see a friend there so I kept going so I can see him. He would says hi to me and give me a fist bump and whenever he had his breaks during his long shifts at work, he would come sit with me and eat his food. I will never forget my conversations with him and it will always remain with me. My last conversation with him was regarding our future plans as I was moving up to my off-campus house in storrs. He told me he planned on working at the diner and that we should hang out over the Winter break. I told him that I will be back studying at the diner during thanksgiving break and hope to see him there and that we can do a movie night over the Winter with other friends. He responds "I will look forward to it. Work and study hard, we will see each other soon my friend". I still go to the Stamford diner and every time I go, I will always remember him and my memories with him. I will always be grateful for his kind heart.

I am sorry for your loss. My heart goes to you and your family.

Jhoan Rodriguez

Jhoan Rodriguez - November 29, 2020 at 12:30 AM

TF

“ *Ella and family*
We are sending our love and prayers from our hearts to yours in hopes of comfort to you all during this very tender loss of your brother
Much love and peace to you always
Dory and Dan Waxman

the waxman family - November 14, 2020 at 09:24 PM

PP

“ *Ahí estás , en la segunda parte de tu camino. Los que quedamos aquí te llevaremos siempre en nuestros corazones. Me quedo con el recuerdo de tu picardía en los ojos y tu sonrisa generosa. Siempre preguntando y tratando de entender...Descansa en Paz querido primo!*



Patricia Lamazou Penarrieta - November 14, 2020 at 12:28 PM

EC

“ *Mi querido Mikito vuela alto hasta encontrar La Paz y el amor de nuestro señor y desde allí se la luz que alumbre nuestro existir*



elvira p de caballero - November 13, 2020 at 08:10 PM

PC

“ *Mikito, tu tierna sonrisa está presente en mi corazón. El recuerdo de un niño con preguntas profundas sobre la vida... Quiero desear para tu camino de regreso a las estrellas, que sea hermoso, pleno y ligero.*

Claro que sentimos muchísima tristeza y nos rodean tantas preguntas sobre tu pronto viaje.... Más quiero y pido a la conciencia universal, Dios Padre Diosa Madre, que te otorguen un bello viaje... Que brilles donde quiera que estés...

Querida familia, trato de encontrar las palabras para llegar a ustedes, es realmente difícil.. Y acudo al sentimiento que tiene el poder de expresar más allá de las palabras, es con ese sentimiento que todos estos días, estuvimos y estamos acompañándolos con el amor más profundo que nace de nuestro ser. Sentimos impotencia y tristeza de no poder estar a su lado acompañados... Les queremos, les enviamos la fortaleza necesaria... Les abrazamos profundamente.

Paola Caballero Peñarrieta



Paola Caballero - November 13, 2020 at 08:10 PM

LC

“ *Dear Mike and family,*

I am so sorry for your loss. Mike will be so dearly missed. I am so great full mike and I became close friends in high school he truly made each day a little brighter. He had the most contagious smile, and could make you laugh on the worst of days. He was always a shoulder to lean on and have a laugh. He will be so missed and loved by his friends, rip mike ❤️

Laura Carroll - November 13, 2020 at 03:23 PM

BK

“ *Betty Koczanski lit a candle in memory of Michael J Bajus Jr*



Betty koczanski - November 13, 2020 at 01:40 PM

BK

“ *Dear Michael and family, I was so sorry to hear of the passing of your son Mike. I will always remember watching him at St. Vladimirs, and his smiling face. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. "May his memory last forever."*

Betty koczanski - November 13, 2020 at 01:39 PM

RC

“ *We have known Michel since. his 6 years we were neighbors. He always came to play with my children, adorable boy, smiling polite. A terrible loss for all of us who had the privilege of meeting him. Our condolences to the whole family. Colo family*

Rosa Colo - November 13, 2020 at 01:23 PM

FA

“ *To Mike's family*

I have met a lot of people in my life and no one compares to Mike. He was a burst of happiness and smiles. I mean everytime I saw him he had this huge smile on his face where his eyes would get hidden. It was so contagious, anyone would automatically start smiling when they saw him. We went to Westhill together and I met him in my sophomore year during our civics class. At that time he had the longer hair and we would braid it for fun and surprisingly he rocked the hairstyle. He never had an ounce of hatred for anyone. He really lived each day to the fullest and did what made him happy. We would always meet up during lunch and share our lunches together. We could crack jokes with him or have deep intellectual conversations with him. Every time we saw him he would always have a huge smile on his face that would make his eyes disappear, It was so contagious. The last time we hung out was on west beach and there wasn't a dull moment during that time. He was the person I could sit silently without it being awkward. He will be deeply missed and his absence will be felt. He was a ray of sunshine and no words can describe how sorry I am for your families loss. Sending you lots of love and prayers❤️



- Fahmida

Fahmida Ahmed - November 13, 2020 at 01:19 PM

NR

“ *Dear Michael and Family.*

My deepest condolences on your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with you at this time.

Neil Rennie



Neil Rennie - November 13, 2020 at 10:14 AM

SG

“ Hello Mr. and Mrs. Bajus,

My name is Stacey Grant, and I was Michael's 7th grade Language Arts teacher at Scofield Magnet Middle School. The news of Michael's passing has left me absolutely shook. I am so very, very sorry for your loss. He was such a sweet, hard working boy who ALWAYS had kind words for others. His smile was contagious - I couldn't help but smile back! Being a teacher is such a strange thing in varying ways. We have so many students who pass through our door each day and each year, yet some leave a permanent mark. Michael was one of those people. When my colleague at work today told me the news today, we immediately began talking about his smile, and his gentle way of navigating through the craziness of middle school. My heart is heavy for you and your family. Know that he was important to us all.

Stacey Grant - November 12, 2020 at 04:51 PM

SR

“ Susan Rubino lit a candle in memory of Michael J Bajus Jr



Susan Rubino - November 12, 2020 at 04:26 PM

SR

“ Dear Michael, I was so sorry to hear of the loss of your son. I remember his smiling face at church and how happy he appeared to be when serving the liturgy as an altar boy. There is nothing worse than the loss of a child, and my heart goes out to you and your family. Вічна Пам'ять! Sincerely, Susan Rubino

Susan Rubino - November 12, 2020 at 04:24 PM

RK

“ Dear Michael, I am so sorry for your loss. Please extend my words of sympathy to Dora. It is a terrible tragedy to lose a child at any time. I feel deeply for you and your family. Ruth Kwartin

Ruth Kwartin - November 12, 2020 at 10:19 AM

NK

“ The most genuinely kind and easygoing being I have known. I don't ever remember Michael not having a smile on his face or having something hilarious to say. He always seemed to be able to find simple joys in every situation and always chose to share it with others. His smile and outlook was nothing short of contagious. May he rest in peace, the absolute angel that he always was.

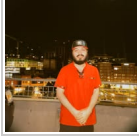
Nataliya Korostensky - November 12, 2020 at 08:29 AM

SF

“ Dear Michael and Family,
Sincere condolences on the passing of your beloved son. Our hearts, love, and prayers going your way during this very difficult time. Vichnaya Pamyat!

*Stephen and Mary Frycz
Stamford, CT*

Stephen and Mary Frycz - November 12, 2020 at 08:22 AM



“ *Im happy I got to spend time with lil mike cause if I never met him I would've never known how funny he was, always made his people laugh, if i was having a bad day at work he would switch my mood up so quick his positive messages were the best from little messages like “dont worry bro today is gonna be a good day” those messages were the best always had that smile on his face, every time he wanted to hangout he wouldn't even mind walking he loved walking and being on his bike. I miss my brother lil mike❤️ Rest in paradise mike❤️🙏🕊️*



Jose Martines - November 11, 2020 at 05:09 PM

AC

“ *I have been sick at heart since I learned about Michael. I was Michael's teacher. We had a small class and Michael and I would talk every day. He would often stop by even after I wasn't his teacher anymore. We would talk about Game of Thrones and every eclectic idea under the sun. He would often talk about his sister and family who, I came to learn, he loved very much. I am so sorry for your loss. He was a kind soul with a warm heart.*

Amy Calandro - November 11, 2020 at 05:04 PM