



## Klay Michael Kirk

March 8, 1981 - January 31, 2019

Klay Michael Kirk 37, of Bluefield, VA died Thursday January 31, 2019, Klay was born in Princeton, WV on March 8, 1981 was a son of Michael Dean Kirk and Karen Dale Walters Kirk. Klay was a 1999 graduate of Graham High School and a graduate of Bluefield State College with a Psychology degree. He loved sports and was All State Football player at Graham and wrestled on the school team and was in Track and Field. Klay had been an honor student. Klay's passion was cooking and to his daughter he was a loving father.

In addition to his parents he is survived by his wife Whitney Johnson Kirk and two children, Kailyn Marie Kirk of the home and Brayden Dean Kirk, a brother, Krag Matthew Kirk of Bluefield, VA.

Memorial services will be Tuesday February 5, 2019 at 11:00 AM at First United Methodists Church , Bluefield VA. The family will receive friends from 10 until 11 AM at the church.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Klay's daughter, Kailyn Kirk, c/o Whitney Kirk, 1811 Lee Avenue, Bluefield, VA 24605.

Those wishing to share memories or condolences messages with the family may do so by visiting [www.Mercerfuneralhome.com](http://www.Mercerfuneralhome.com). Mercer Funeral Home is serving the Klay Kirk family.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB 5. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

First United Methodist Church  
Bluefield,, VA 24605

## Memorial Service

FEB 5. 11:00 AM (ET)

First United Methodist Church  
Bluefield,, VA 24605

# Tribute Wall

BE

“ *klay was the best uncle i could ask for it's been 4 years since hes passed he meant the world to us all it's still hard on us but god bless his soul*

bell - December 14, 2023 at 09:31 PM



“ *Klay Michael Kirk*

October 05, 2023 at 06:08 PM

PC

“ *Preston Canady lit a candle in memory of Klay Michael Kirk*



preston canady - February 06, 2019 at 07:54 PM

PC

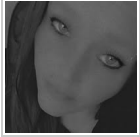
*Rest In Peace my Freind you're going to be missed May God be with your family*

preston canady - February 06, 2019 at 07:56 PM

RN

“ *Family, I am so very sorry for your lost. Klay, brother until we see each other again nothing but love. Please give Jesus a hug from me. I know your home and that comforts my heart brother. My prayers are with the family, especially Kailyn. Precious little one, the Lord is with you, holding your hand. Family, I Love You all!! Till we meet again.*

Ryan Norris - February 05, 2019 at 09:09 PM



“ *Klay was loved, and will be missed by many! Today im choosing to cherish every memory i have, and grateful our paths crossed during this journey! Prayers for peace and comfortable to all with broken hearts!*

Miranda Farmer - February 05, 2019 at 09:08 AM



“ *Carolyn Mcdonald lit a candle in memory of Klay Michael Kirk*



carolyn mcdonald - February 05, 2019 at 12:12 AM



*Prayers And comfort for the entire family, May he rest in the arms of Jesus 🙏*

carolyn mcdonald - February 05, 2019 at 12:14 AM



“ *So Sorry to hear about Klay. Our prayers to the family!*

mark johnson - February 04, 2019 at 07:52 PM



“ *KAREN, I AM SO SORRY ABOUT THE DEATH OF YOUR SON, KLAY. OUR THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS ARE WITH YOU AND THE ENTIRE FAMILY.  
MISSY WALLACE SIMPSON & DAUGHTER, LORI SIMPSON*

missy wallace simpson - February 04, 2019 at 05:51 PM

CM

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with the family. Sorry for your loss. The Mills Family. Chris, Shannon and Jaxson.*



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**Chris & Shannon Mills** - February 04, 2019 at 04:20 PM

CB

“ *Charlotte B. purchased a sympathy card for the family of Klay Michael Kirk.*



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**Charlotte B.** - February 04, 2019 at 03:37 PM

MR

“ *Klay was one of my best friends growing up. He and Krag were like brothers to me. Klay was smart and kind, and he always looked out for me. I'm sad that we lost touch over the years, and I'm even more sad that I can't tell him that. My love and prayers go out to Karen, Mike, and Krag. Always remember that Klay was a beautiful person. There are a lot of people who loved him and will never forget him.*  
- Megan Reasor

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**Megan Reasor** - February 04, 2019 at 02:23 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Klay Michael Kirk.*



February 04, 2019 at 01:07 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Klay Michael Kirk.*



February 04, 2019 at 12:35 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Klay Michael Kirk.*



February 03, 2019 at 04:09 PM



“ *Prayers are going out to the family. Klay was such a beautiful soul. ❤️*



**Amber Conley** - February 03, 2019 at 12:02 PM

JL

“ *Jesse Lewis lit a candle in memory of Klay Michael Kirk*



Jesse lewis - February 02, 2019 at 08:40 PM

JL

*I have known Klay for over 30plus years I loved all of them years goin to miss you Klay my heart goes to Kirk family*

Jesse lewis - February 02, 2019 at 08:43 PM

RC

*Our prayers go out to your family. Remember watching you grow up and playing football; but most of all your respectful manner and smile. Ron and I send all our love and blessings to your family.*

Ron and Cheryl Conley - February 05, 2019 at 02:34 PM

CE

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. The Elswick's*

Chris Elswick - February 02, 2019 at 08:36 PM

MM

“ *This was a wonderful man and father he was one year older than me in school but we hang out a lot and for everything it is worth, Klay was a man sent straight from God and all the work he recently put in showed how much he respected our Holly Father, I'm very sorry for the loss of an incredible man and I hope God brings peace to his loving and caring mother and father.*

Matthew martMa - February 02, 2019 at 04:10 PM

LC

“ Karen, Mike, Krag , - I am so saddened to hear of Klay’s passing. I hope each of you know how dear he was to so many. Wrapping my arms around each of you during this hard time. Sometimes as teachers- we have those special kids we connect with- and Klay was one of “mine”. I am so so sorry-our hearts are sad, too. He was a great guy.  
Lynn

Lynn Chance - February 02, 2019 at 12:25 PM

KI

“ I remember Klay from school. We spent a lot of time together practicing discuss during Track & Field. He was always a jokester and made things fun.

Kisha - February 02, 2019 at 09:43 AM

PH

I can’t tell you how many nights I’ve stayed at his house as a kid. Since Chargers Klay was my team mate and friend. Countless memories. I’m heart broke to say bye to another childhood friend. I grew up w this man and his family. God bless the family during this difficult time. I will always have great memories of Klay. Gone but not forgotten

Phillip - February 02, 2019 at 10:09 AM

SG

So very sorry to hear this. I loved teaching Klay, always funny and sweet. I pray for a comforting touch on all of his family and especially on his children.

Sherry Graham - February 02, 2019 at 11:50 AM

NG

Just so saddened to hear this. My heart goes out to Mike, Karen, and Krag and all who loved him.

nancy angles grant - February 02, 2019 at 12:09 PM

CO

*This has really thrown us for a loop, we were so sorry to hear That Klay has passed from his earthly home , may God wrap his loving arms around each of you. Van, Carol , Reed and family.*

**Carol Oakes** - February 02, 2019 at 03:28 PM

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*Klay was a friend to everyone, his love light shined so brightly. I'm so sorry to hear hes no longer with us, but his light will shine on. Praying for his family and loved ones.*

**Angie Guthrie (Sarver)** - February 03, 2019 at 08:53 AM

SW

*Sincere condolences.  
I had Klay in class at BSC.  
I also recently had the pleasure to meet Krag.  
May you find comfort and peace.*

**Shelia Warner** - February 03, 2019 at 10:11 PM

MP

*Love to my brother Mike, Kim , Kraig and Karen. Only God can truly give you comfort. Cast all your cares on Him, for he cares. Praying for you all and remembering Klay and that beautiful smile and smiling blue eyes*

**Melanie Preece** - February 04, 2019 at 07:51 AM

TR

*I would like to offer my condolences to the Kirk family for the loss of Klay.*

**Tim Rolen** - February 05, 2019 at 03:37 PM