



Raymond Daniel Edwards

January 7, 1999 - November 25, 2021

Cannon

Raymond Daniel Edwards, affectionally known as RayRay, loving son, brother, uncle, grandson, nephew, cousin, boyfriend and friend passed away at the age of 22 on November 25, 2021 surrounded by his family. Ray was a strong, Christian man who fought a courageous battle against Leukemia. Though he left this world far too soon, he left this world a better place and always shined his light for this Lord and Savior. He was a witness to many and on his final earthly day he was sharing the word of God with everyone and told his family he expected to see them all soon and he would be waiting on them.

He is survived by his parents, William and Gina Edwards, brother Will Edwards, niece Nora Blevins and beloved girlfriend Hannah Reed, maternal grandmother Anna Rose Bell, paternal grandmother Lorraine Edwards and host of loving aunts, uncles and cousins. He is preceded in death by his paternal grandfather, Ralph O. Edwards.

Ray was a graduate of Branchville High School, where he loved to play soccer and football. After graduation Ray started his journey to become an EMT and was looking forward to helping people, which was his passion. He was a member of the Branchville Baptist Church, where he loved to serve his Lord. The family would like to thank MUSC 7West/HOPE Unit doctors, nurses and patient technicians for their awesome care of Ray.

Funeral services will be held at Branchville Baptist Church on Monday, November 29, 2021, at 2:00 PM the family will receive friends one hour before

services. Pallbearers will be Dylan Edwards, Vance Bailey, Siah Williams, Jas Bryant, Dalton Hughes and Dawson Whisenhunt. Arrangements are being handled by Ott Funeral Home.

Donations can be made to Hollings Cancer Center or Branchville Baptist Church in Ray's honor.

Online condolences can be sent to www.ottfh.com

Tribute Wall

LH

“Gina, my deepest sympathy to you and your family. I pray that God will grant you comfort in Him and each other. LTHaynes - OCSD



Laverne Thomas Haynes - November 30, 2021 at 12:00 AM

DS

“Condolences to the family and friends. May Gods strength you day by day



Dr. Sylvia Stephens - November 29, 2021 at 12:00 AM

AG

“My thoughts and prayers are with you all during these difficult times. We love y'all!!!
Andrea and the Girls



Andrea Green - November 29, 2021 at 12:00 AM

CW

“My heart breaks for The Edwards family and Hannah. You guys have been such a strong and positive team in Ray's fight. I love you all and will think of my "other son" every time I eat a Little Debbie. Hugs and prayers, Cindy Williams

Cindy Williams - November 29, 2021 at 12:00 AM

MA

“ Ray was such a sweet young man and will forever be missed. My heart goes out to each and every one of you. Today will be hard but just know that Ray is healed and in heaven. He has left an impact on many of us and had a courageous heart. He will be greatly missed. I will keep you and your family in my continued prayers. Gina, I am here when you need me.

Meretha Amaker - November 29, 2021 at 12:00 AM

SH

“ Shirley Hickson-Adams lit a candle in memory of Raymond Daniel Edwards



Shirley Hickson-Adams - November 29, 2021 at 12:00 AM

SH

“ My heart and prayers go out to you. Asking God to give you all strength and peace.

Shirley Hickson-Adams - November 29, 2021 at 12:00 AM

TS

“ We are thinking of you during this difficult time.

The Sutcliffe's - November 29, 2021 at 12:00 AM

SB

“ Ray you were right Clemson won.... I promise you Ray we will see each other again.....Aunt Sharon...



Sharon Bailey - November 28, 2021 at 12:00 AM

CW

“ Our deepest condolences and prayers for the family. May The Lord give you strength and peace 🙏 Cinthia Byrd Wolfe and Family c/o 1987 BHS.

Cinthia Byrd Wolfe - November 28, 2021 at 12:00 AM

JW

“ My deepest sympathies and prayers for your family. I remember Ray playing soccer with Jordan at BHS. He was always so kind and respectful.

Jan Wright - November 27, 2021 at 12:00 AM

LB

“ Our thoughts and prayers of comfort & peace are with Rays family and loved ones. With love & sympathy, Rev Jim & LeAnne Bogstad Prospect Southern Methodist- Branchville



LeAnne Bogstad - November 27, 2021 at 12:00 AM

MU

“ Gina and Family, My sincere condolences and prayers during this time. May God continue to comfort, strengthen, and bring peace. 🙏🕊️
Mary Berry Ulmer OCSD Board of Trustees



Mary Berry Ulmer - November 27, 2021 at 12:00 AM

NH

“ Even though I really didn't know Ray, I prayed for him every day. He is in a much better place now..

Nancy Hendricks - November 27, 2021 at 12:00 AM

SB

“ My sincere condolences and prayers of peace and love during this time. Sorry for your loss, I have only heard about how strong and amazing Ray was from Jay - Sadik Bizanti



Sadik Bizanti - November 27, 2021 at 12:00 AM

AE

“ We are deeply sorry for your loss ~ Ott Funeral Home

A Memorial Tree was planted for Raymond Daniel Edwards - November 26, 2021 at 12:00 AM

DW

“ I never remember a time whe Ray wasn't smiling..at daycare and school you could always find Sierra, Ray, Siah, Tyler, and Dawson..so many memories of BHS Football and fun..never a dull moment...prayers and love to y'all.



Donna Williams - November 26, 2021 at 12:00 AM

CN

“ I loved being around Ray. He was such an inspiration to all of the youth at church. We had a remarkable time performing in the puppet ministry and Ray was always the ringleader. I will cherish the many youth trips we went on together. I will also never forget him coming to the house and helping Tony with yard work and always taking the time to sit down and visit with my Dad. My heart breaks for his family, but the impression he left on this world will give light to Jesus forever.

Charlene Negron - November 26, 2021 at 12:00 AM