



Xavier "Xavey" Jacque Bean

June 19, 2010 - May 24, 2022

It is with great sorrow and heartache that I write to inform you of the passing of Xavier "Xavey" Jacque Bean.

God knew exactly what He was doing when He chose Kimberly and Chris Bean as the parents of this beautiful boy... and in his short 12 years of life, Xavier taught his parents everything they needed to know about how to care for an autistic/non-verbal child.

Xavier was diagnosed with developmental delay at age 2 and was confirmed autistic and intellectually disabled by the age 3. He was non-verbal, but Xavier developed his own special form of communication by leading his family and presenting them with the things he wanted (such as his favorite snacks or games.)

At age 7, Xavier started having seizures and was diagnosed with epilepsy. Kim and Chris worked diligently to create a consistent routine for Xavier, as they learned quickly that a structured environment was beneficial for him. No matter the circumstance, they decided as a couple what they needed to do for Xavier and always got it done. They exchanged roles as often as necessary so there would be balance as husband and wife. Their daily breath and steps were lived for his.

During the pandemic, Xavier struggled (as did most children) with not having his normal routine in place. He suffered from anxiety and his behavior became aggressive... unfortunately, so did his seizures.

If you came to visit, you could count on seeing Xavier wearing his overalls, a bandana around his neck, wrist bands, and Adidas tennis shoes (a regular kick back to the 1980's.)

It would only be natural for Xavier to be holding his iPad or Kindle. When he was hungry, Xavier would lead his parents to the foods he loved... requesting pretzels, Jalapeno Cheetos, or Cheez Its. A sippy cup with Orange Juice was his "go to" drink, and like most kids, Chic-Fil-A was his top choice for a fast-food meal.

Xavier loved to snuggle and hold hands. He responded positively to music and loved his weekend car rides with his mom and dad. Xavier loved when his dad would pick him up and twirl him around...his laughter was infectious.

He waited patiently for his Papa to come home from work every day, so they could hang out in the driveway in lawn chairs or go for wagon rides. He loved tractor rides with his dad too.

Xavier loved so many people, including his teachers: Mrs. Clinton and Mrs. Parry. He also loved and adored Hope Warren, the teacher's aide (and I know that she and Valerie Trefry loved him right back.) He enjoyed his bus rides with Mrs. Brown and the bus attendant, Mrs. Delbridge. Most especially, Xavier adored Diane Lilley, who helped care for and love him the longest of all.

The Bean family will forever be grateful to these amazing ladies and all the other teachers and doctors that cared for him for so many years.

It is believed that a seizure took Xavier in his sleep on Tuesday, May 24, 2022...but without a doubt, God carried Xavier straight to heaven.

To Kimberly, Chris and the Bean family: Our hearts break for you. We are praying for you and your family. May you continue to keep God at the center of your lives so that He may carry you through this season of grief. It is unthinkable to experience a loss of this kind. Although I am quite certain you were not ready to say goodbye, I think God knows more than we do, and it's probable that His timing was right.

Perhaps, it was time for God to step into your shoes. It was time for Xavier to be free of pain and heaven is likely the only place Xavier could be that beautiful child you always prayed he could be.

I'd like to believe that Xavier is running, and playing, and singing, and dancing, and communicating (just like you prayed he could) with all of God's other children. I believe his body is free of seizures and pain, and his spirit and mind are fully at rest. I also believe Xavier knows and sees all that you both did for him, and that he loves you.

Xavier's siblings and their families have returned home to be together during this difficult time.

The family has asked that in lieu of flowers or gifts that donations be made in Xavier's honor to the Children's Miracle Network.

As a gift to commemorate Xavier's amazing life, RE/MAX One has committed through The Children's Miracle Network to use every dollar donated towards the purchase of Cardiovascular Ultra Sound Machine that will be dedicated in

Xavier's name.

To make a contribution, please click the link below:

<https://bit.ly/38QwZ7r>

To learn more about the incredible life of Xavey Bean, you can follow Kimberly's stories on Facebook or Instagram: #xaveysautism #xaviersautism #mybeanlife

Survived by:

Parents Charles and Kimberly Bean, Siblings: Jake Bean, Donnielle and husband Joey Gorirossi, Richard and his wife Desh Bean; Niece: Izabella Bean. Aunt Jaimee and husband CJ Stankewich; Uncle Charlie Trunnell and wife Jennifer; Aunt Paula and husband Matthew T. Duff, Jr.; Aunt Jacqueline Bean; Aunt Carey and husband Michael Tarbell; Aunt Chaney and husband Louie Kouremetis; and cousins Matthew T. Duff, III, Anna Duff, Johnny Tarbell, Chloe Tarbell and MaryAna Kouremetis;

Cemetery Details

Resurrection Cemetery

8000 Woodyard Road
Clinton, MD 20735

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 2. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Peter's Catholic Church
3320 St. Peter's Drive
Waldorf, MD 20601

Mass

JUN 2. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Xavier "Xavey" Jacque Bean*

October 08, 2023 at 10:45 PM



“ *Xavier "Xavey" Jacque Bean*

October 04, 2023 at 03:12 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Xavier "Xavey" Jacque Bean.*



June 01, 2022 at 08:07 AM



“ *May you find comfort in God and the strength He brings as you mourn the loss of your child. “Let the little children come to me and do not hinder them, for the kingdom of heaven belongs to such as these.”*

Stacey Fowler

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