



Joshua Arllen Edward Cook

June 4, 1985 - October 22, 2025

It is with heartfelt sorrow that we announce the passing of Joshua Arllen Edward Cook, who left this world on Wednesday, October 22nd, 2025. Born on Tuesday, June 4th, 1985, in his beloved hometown of Centralia, Illinois, Joshua lived a life marked by kindness, compassion, and unwavering dedication to those around him.

Residing in Centralia, Joshua was best known for his role as a caregiver, where his innate compassion shone brightly. Previously, he worked at Walmart, where he was cherished by his coworkers as family. Whether with friends, family, or colleagues, Joshua's joyful spirit and selfless nature left a tremendous impact on everyone he met.

Joshua was the loving son of his devoted mother, Donna and Fred Kirgan. He is deeply mourned by his sisters, Javanna Soles and Jennifer Cook, and brothers, Jason Cook and his wife, Sarah, and Dewayne Bollhorst. His cherished memory will also be carried forward by his aunts, Cindy, Crystal, and Becky, along with several nieces and nephews who adored him dearly. Joshua's beloved dog, Miya, will miss him greatly.

Preceded in death by his grandparents, Shirley and Donald Bollhorst, and uncles Gregory Bollhorst and JR White, Joshua is now in their company.

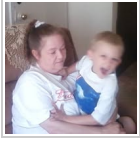
His life was characterized by profound generosity and love. Joshua was particularly devoted to caring for his grandmother, an endeavor he took to heart. True to his giving nature, Joshua chose to donate his organs, offering the gift of life to others even in his passing.

A Celebration of Life will be held at a later date, providing a moment for family and friends to gather in remembrance of an extraordinary soul who touched so many lives.

In memory of Josh, memorial donations may be made to family and will be accepted by the Sutherland-Garnier Funeral Home at 235 North Sycamore Street in Centralia, IL 62801 (618) 532-3523, who is honored to be of service to his family. Online condolences may be made to the family by visiting www.sutherlandfuneralhome.com or the Funeral Home's Facebook page

His absence leaves an irreplaceable void, yet his spirit will continue to inspire all who were fortunate enough to know him. Joshua will be deeply missed and fondly remembered for his unwavering love and kindness that transcended his lifetime.

Tribute Wall



“ So sorry for the lose of josh. I thought a lot of josh and he had a very caring heart and soul and was kind to almost everyone he met. He will be missed by so many. He will be joining his beloved GMA that ment the world to him so he is in a much better place now. Josh is my ex son in law but it was my daughter who divorced him not the family we all still thought the world of him.

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