



Justin Allen Ely

October 19, 1990 - June 1, 2025

Justin Allen Ely, aged 34, of Centralia, passed away on Sunday, June 1, 2025. Born in Granite City, Illinois, on October 19, 1990, the son of Gary Ely and Tammie (Young) Ely.

Justin's absence will be profoundly felt by Amber Crump, his beloved partner, and his adoring children Alexavier Miller, Aliyah Crump, Lilyana (Ely) Easley, Madysin Ely, and Jordyn Ely, all residing in Centralia. He was eagerly anticipating the joy of welcoming two grandchildren into the world. Justin is also survived by his devoted siblings: Shannon Burlingame of Sorento, Jammie Melton and her husband Christopher, Beth Ely, and Brian Ely, all of Centralia. Additionally, he leaves behind several nieces and nephews who admired him deeply.

Justin is remembered fondly by his family and friends for his zest for life, humor, and a knack for fixing anything he set his mind to. He was often found immersed in projects, creating something new or rejuvenating something old. He had a fondness for "slut machines" (Slot Machines) and was renowned for his humor and lighthearted mischief, always the life of the party and a source of laughter for those around him. Above all, his family was his greatest treasure, and he prioritized their happiness above everything else.

Justin is preceded in death by his parents, Gary and Tammie Ely, who

undoubtedly welcomed him with open arms.

In honor of Justin's wishes, cremation rites will be accorded, and no public services will be held at this time. Sutherland-Garnier Funeral Home and Cremation Services located at 235 North Sycamore Street Centralia, Illinois 62801, (618)532-3523, are honored to be of service to Justin's Family during this difficult time. Those who wish to share memories, express condolences, or extend personal messages to Justin's family are encouraged to visit www.sutherlandfuneralhome.com or the Funeral Home's Facebook page.

Tribute Wall

TI

“ Tiffany lit a candle in memory of Justin Allen Ely



Tiffany - June 12, 2025 at 12:41 PM

TT

“ I love y'all and I'm here if you need anything.



Tonya Tyson - June 06, 2025 at 04:28 PM

JM

“ Jammie Melton lit a candle in memory of Justin Allen Ely



Jammie Melton - June 04, 2025 at 12:47 PM

KG

“ Katie Garcia lit a candle in memory of Justin Allen Ely



Katie Garcia - June 04, 2025 at 11:03 AM

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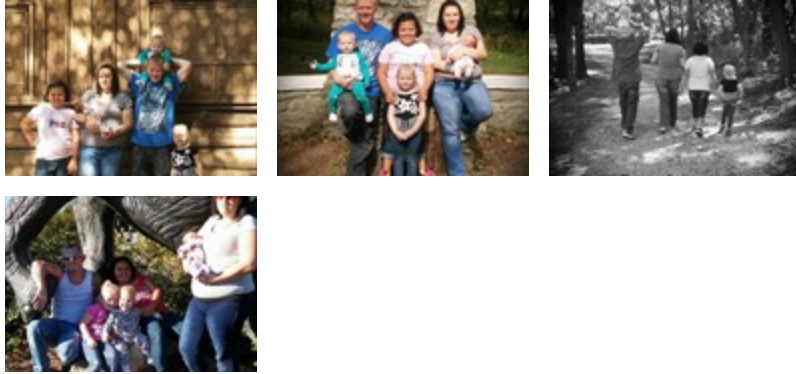
“ *Aliyah Crump lit a candle in memory of Justin Allen Ely*



aliyah crump - June 03, 2025 at 09:19 AM

AC

“ *Justin, never thought we would be here thank you for stepping up and filling shoes you didn't have to I will forever miss you and love you until we meet again bonus dad* 🥰👉



aliyah crump - June 03, 2025 at 09:19 AM



“ *Amber Crump lit a candle in memory of Justin Allen Ely*



Amber Crump - June 03, 2025 at 12:13 AM



“ Millions of memories I'll cherish til the end of my time. Til we find each other again ❤️



Amber Crump - June 03, 2025 at 12:12 AM