



Maximus Christopher Schleeper

October 7, 2005 - February 27, 2024

Dateline: Alton

Maximus Christopher Schleeper, 18, of Alton, Illinois died at home on February 27, 2024.

Max was born on October 7, 2005 in St. Louis, Missouri to Christopher and Denise Schleeper.

On February 27th, 2024, our world was completely shattered. Our beautiful, blue-eyed baby

boy made a decision that no one saw coming. Maximus Christopher. We called him Maximus

Beauregard, Maxi BoBo or just Bo. Please don't remember him by this last action. Remember

him by his love of his family, his fierce loyalty, his clearly black/white vision on issues, sharp and quick wit, his quiet observation. He was a great hockey player and we loved to watch him and his teams play. Max was a senior at Alton High School. He had plans to go to SWIC for the Aviation Program and become a pilot after high school graduation. Max was preceded in death by his grandfather, Charles Schleeper. Max is survived by his parents, Chris and Denise and his sister Summer, his grandparents, Donavon and Jeanette Deeder and Carol Schleeper-Shenberger (Patrick). He is also survived by his aunt, Tracy Ducey (John), uncle, Zack Deeder (Kristen), aunt, Cheri Burris (Shad), aunt, Sonya Schumann (Ted). Also surviving are his cousins Reed, Ross and Rowe Schumann; Colton and Cale Burris and Olivia, Donavon and

Madeleine Ducey and Austin Olson. Visitation will be from 2:00 p.m. until time of funeral service at 4:00 p.m. Sunday, March 3, 2024 at Gent Funeral Home in Alton. Reverend Andre' Dobson will officiate. Donations to the 5 A's Animal Shelter in Alton would be greatly appreciated as Max was an animal lover who wanted to bring every stray home. Online guestbook and information may be found at www.gentfuneralhome.com

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 3. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (CT)

Gent Funeral Home & Cremation Services
2409 State Street
Alton, IL 62002
(618) 466-5544
<https://www.gentfuneralhome.com/>

Funeral

MAR 3. 4:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

PS

“ My 2 grandsons play hockey on the O’Fallon team. I am so sorry for your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with you all at this time.
Grandma Sova

Peggy Sova - March 10, 2024 at 09:17 PM

RK

“ Denise I am so sorry for your loss, you are in my thoughts and prayers! Hugs!



Roxann Kahl - March 05, 2024 at 01:20 PM

ML

“ Masja L. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Maximus Christopher Schleeper.

Masja L. - March 03, 2024 at 06:50 PM

AO

“ Our deepest sympathy on the passing of Max. He was a kind, respectful, funny, and wonderful young man we had the pleasure of working with daily during period 5 in our third floor offices at AHS. He is terribly missed and our thoughts are with his entire family.
Josh Adams, Naj Citrowski, Charmaine Downton

AHS Third Floor Office - March 03, 2024 at 05:46 PM

LK

“ Lori K. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Maximus Christopher Schleeper.

Lori K. - March 03, 2024 at 02:25 PM



“ Sending the deepest condolences from our Alton High School Field Ecology Class. Max was a special part of our family and this has been an incredibly difficult week for us. Prayers for your entire family and may his spirit live on through the lives of all those he touched through his daily life.



Dan Pettus - March 02, 2024 at 09:21 PM

CS

“ Cherishing the memories of little kiddos Max, Lillian and Savannah running around in the yard playing games and throwing water balloons, would love to turn back time. Love the day Max and Summer helped wrangle three orphaned kittens simply because of the love we share for animals and they found homes for all three.
❤️ Will love you forever

Cindy & Bill Schmittling - March 02, 2024 at 04:44 PM

UN

“ My heart breaks for you. Please accept my condolences 🌸

Unknown - March 02, 2024 at 12:23 PM

LM

“ *Lori Wooten-Mouser & Tristan Mouser purchased the Dreams From the Heart Bouquet for the family of Maximus Christopher Schleeper.*



Lori Wooten-Mouser & Tristan Mouser - March 02, 2024 at 11:37 AM

WS

“ *We love you Sonya!! Yours Sisters! purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Maximus Christopher Schleeper.*



We love you Sonya!! Yours Sisters! - March 02, 2024 at 10:54 AM

TA

“ *Tim Atterberry planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Maximus Christopher Schleeper.*

Tim Atterberry - March 01, 2024 at 09:52 PM

TA

“ *Tim Atterberry purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of Maximus Christopher Schleeper.*



Tim Atterberry - March 01, 2024 at 09:52 PM

JP

“ Jeff and Wendy Phipps purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Maximus Christopher Schleeper.



Jeff and Wendy Phipps - March 01, 2024 at 05:45 PM



“ Don and family, we are so sorry for your loss. We will keep you in our prayers.



Pamela Maxeiner - February 29, 2024 at 11:19 PM

JE

“ Jared and Jessica Edens planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Maximus Christopher Schleeper.

Jared and Jessica Edens - February 29, 2024 at 09:16 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Maximus Christopher Schleeper.



February 29, 2024 at 09:16 PM

HJ

“ Hank and Jane Gross Jamie Kathy & Jackso planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Maximus Christopher Schleeper.

Hank and Jane Gross Jamie Kathy & Jackso - February 29, 2024 at 09:09 PM

HJ

“ Hank and Jane Gross Jamie Kathy & Jackso purchased the Blue Caribbean Bouquet for the family of Maximus Christopher Schleeper.



Hank and Jane Gross Jamie Kathy & Jackso - February 29, 2024 at 09:09 PM

GB

“ Chris, Denise & family we are so sorry for your loss.



Gary & Ikca Bradley - February 29, 2024 at 05:27 PM

LF

“ Logan Jansen and Family purchased the Sweet Tenderness for the family of Maximus Christopher Schleeper.



Logan Jansen and Family - February 29, 2024 at 04:49 PM

FP

“ From your friends at the Achieve Program planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Maximus Christopher Schleeper.

From your friends at the Achieve Program - February 29, 2024 at 04:45 PM



“ Small Garden Dish was purchased for the family of Maximus Christopher Schleeper.



February 29, 2024 at 04:45 PM

MW

“ Michael and Heather Wallace planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Maximus Christopher Schleeper.

Michael and Heather Wallace - February 29, 2024 at 03:32 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Maximus Christopher Schleeper.



February 29, 2024 at 03:32 PM