



## Tyler Mason Crosby

November 10, 1988 - November 2, 2023

Tyler Mason Crosby, 34, of Duncan, passed away November 2, 2023. A native of Atlanta, Georgia, he was the son of Robert Mark and Tracy Lee Sheets Crosby of Duncan. Having earned a master's degree in educational research, Tyler loved all history and was an educator and coach at Broome High School in Spartanburg School District Three, and a member of Duncan First Baptist Church. He loved his family, friends, and beyond, as well as the Clemson Tigers, culinary arts, movies, music, all sports, and traveling. Surviving in addition to his parents are two sisters, Andrea Paige Crosby and Courtney Lee Crosby both of Greenville; maternal grandparents, Bob Sheets of Ohio and Maryann "Grammy" Pursley (Jack) of Ohio; paternal grandparents, Stan Crosby (Mary Kay) of Easley and Pat Kay "Nana" Bolen (Steve) of Piedmont; aunts, Tamara Brumfield (Will) of Ohio, Tricia Mullens (Bill) of Ohio, Amanda Sheets of Ohio, Kay Crosby Ingram (Kent) of Columbia, and Chelsea Crosby Bunn of Seneca; uncles, Daniel Crosby (Tresh) of Greenville, Clay Crosby (Jordan) of Greenville, Matt Tollison (Leah) of Greenville, and Will Bolen (Amie) of Greenville; cousins, Rachel Brumfield, Robby Brumfield, Ryan Brumfield, Christopher Mullens, Ryan Ingram (Joann), Hilary Roberts (Tyler), Zach Ingram, Isaac Ingram, Dylan Langston, McKenna Crosby, Silas Crosby, Cullen Crosby, Anna Crosby, Anderson Tollison, Stella Tollison, Abel Bunn, Miles Bunn, Hopkins Crosby, Zeke Crosby, Willa Crosby, Luke Crosby, Katelyn Bolen and Mary Bolen; as well as numerous collective colleagues, friends, students, and musicians.

A Celebration of Life will be held at 1:00 p.m. Saturday, November 11, 2023, at Lyman Methodist Church conducted by Rev. Kevin Bowers and Mr. Grey Pennell.

Visitation will be held from 5:00-8:00 p.m. on Thursday, November 9, 2023, at The Wood Mortuary.

The family is at the home.

In lieu of flowers, Tyler would have loved you to donate to the charity of your choice.

Online condolences may be made at [www.thewoodmortuary.com](http://www.thewoodmortuary.com).

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV **9**. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

The Wood Mortuary, Inc.  
300 W Poinsett St  
Greer, SC 29650-1595  
(864) 877-3351

## Celebration of Life

NOV **11**. 1:00 PM (ET)

Lyman Methodist Church  
106 Groce Road  
Lyman, SC 29365

# Tribute Wall



“ *The Wood Mortuary created a Tribute Video in memory of Tyler Mason Crosby*



**The Wood Mortuary** - November 09, 2023 at 02:34 PM

TC

“ *The cards have stopped coming but that's okay as I still feel you with me each and every day. It's been a month since you left us for heaven but I know you're by our sides.*



**Tracy Crosby** - December 02, 2023 at 09:54 AM

BH

*Was just thinking about him today*

**Bethany Dawn Harris** - December 15, 2023 at 08:57 PM



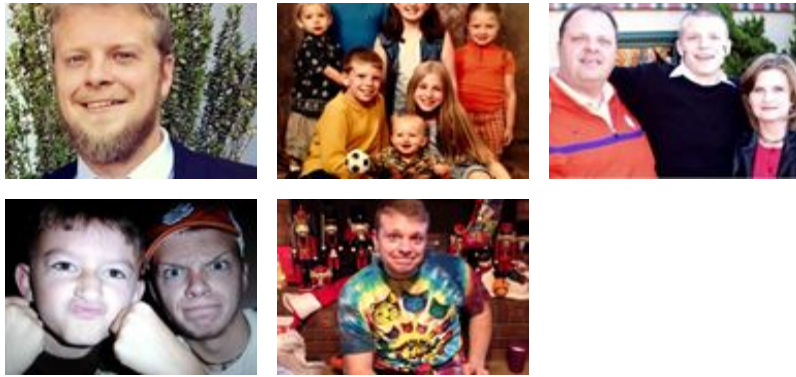
“ Thinking of you and your beautiful family Tracy!



Kate McRae - November 26, 2023 at 10:20 PM



“ 188 files added to the album LifeTributes



The Wood Mortuary - November 09, 2023 at 01:45 PM



“ Prayers for you Mark & Tracy and family. My condolences, & may the Lord comfort you during this time.



Peggy Lister - November 08, 2023 at 04:11 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Tyler Mason Crosby.

November 08, 2023 at 03:59 PM



Bradley  
Coker

“ I knew Tyler a long time ago. He was my brother’s friend and he substituted for a few of my classes in high school. He was a nice guy and truly cared for his students.

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**Bradley Coker** - November 08, 2023 at 09:56 AM

MB

“ I remember being in Mr. Crosby’s class every day last year, second semester. That was the only time I ever had his class, I wish it could have been more than that, but I thank him endlessly for the positive ways he changed my life in that short amount of time. I have always struggled with enjoying school or even just attending school, and he made me look forward to attending school every day. I remember one day, there was a spider about as big as the palm of my hand in his classroom, everyone was freaking out, even him, and him and I were arguing whether or not to kill it or let it out of his classroom window. I ended up winning that argument, so we let the spider out of his window, and he told me, “you’ve got my adrenaline up first thing in the morning, Maxwell!” And we continued with class. I also remember him being one of the first teachers to call me by my preferred pronouns. He was always so sweet and respectful and he’ll always hold a place in my heart as my favorite teacher and the one teacher who treated me like a human rather than just a student. I can speak for everyone when I say we love and miss Mr. Crosby. I hope the family is coping in healthy ways and I have them in my thoughts and heart always.

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**Max Bryant** - November 08, 2023 at 07:17 AM



“ *Love's Journey was purchased for the family of Tyler Mason Crosby.*



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November 08, 2023 at 02:38 AM



“ *Amanda and the barnett family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Tyler Mason Crosby.*

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**Amanda and the barnett family** - November 07, 2023 at 10:26 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Tyler Mason Crosby.*



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November 07, 2023 at 10:26 PM

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“ *Mr. Crosby was my history and historical films teacher when I attended Broome High School. He made a huge impact on me in several ways. His history class was not a typical one as he challenged his students to critically think about history and their own political and moral views. I remember we once had to fill out this form and the form showed us which way we leaned on certain issues and then he asked us to defend our view. That opened up my eyes to a lot of things and gave me the confidence to share what I believe. He was the kind of teacher to speak to everyone. I was one of the lesser-known quiet students and I remember how he sought me out and made me feel seen. Also, as I was telling him about my plans to move to Minnesota for college and then to travel while doing ministry, he was very excited and supportive. Now, as I am finishing up my ministry degree and moving to South Africa for three months, I am sure he would have loved to know that I am doing what I talked about those years ago. What an amazing man, friend, teacher, coach, and mentor.*

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**Bethany Harris** - November 07, 2023 at 08:25 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Tyler Mason Crosby.*



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November 07, 2023 at 01:54 PM



“ *Ocean Breeze Spray was purchased for the family of Tyler Mason Crosby.*



November 07, 2023 at 12:03 PM



“ *Bradley Construction, LLC planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Tyler Mason Crosby.*

**Bradley Construction, LLC** - November 07, 2023 at 12:03 PM



“ *Fiery Lily and Rose was purchased for the family of Tyler Mason Crosby.*



November 07, 2023 at 11:39 AM



“ *I remember having Mr. Crosby as my home room teacher 10th grade year at Broome. He was always so kind to me after I graduated high school in 2014. We stayed in contact with each other. I am going to miss Mr. Crosby a lot.*

**Michael McHamJr** - November 07, 2023 at 11:27 AM

HA

“ I had the pleasure of meeting Tyler on our USC Upstate 2011 Europe Trip. My mom accompanied me on the trip, and Tyler was always so sweet to help her with her bags when our tiny hotels didn't have an elevator. She was impressed with his chivalry. lol Everyone was drawn to Tyler though. They could feel his kind, positive energy. I am honored to have crossed paths with Tyler and I know his smile will be missed by many. Sending my deepest condolences to his family and friend.



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Haley - November 07, 2023 at 10:56 AM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Tyler Mason Crosby.



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November 06, 2023 at 11:17 PM