



Connor James Chandler

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Connor James Chandler, 18, passed away far too soon, leaving behind a family and community heartbroken by the loss of a young man whose kindness, curiosity, and spirit touched everyone around him.

Connor loved the outdoors and found peace and purpose in nature. He worked as a landscaper, where his strong work ethic and willingness to help others quickly became evident to everyone who knew him. He was eagerly looking forward to beginning college at North Central Michigan College in the fall, excited for the opportunities and experiences that lay ahead.

Connor had a heart bigger than words can describe. He showed compassion and kindness freely, never hesitating to lend a hand, listen without judgment, or make someone feel seen and valued. He thought outside the box and viewed the world with wonder and curiosity. He loved deep conversations about conspiracy theories, the mysteries of life, and what truly makes the world go around. His mind was always searching, questioning, and exploring.

That search for truth naturally led Connor toward philosophy and faith. Through conversations, reflection, and reading, he found comfort and meaning in the teachings of Jesus Christ. His growing faith became an important part of who he was, and he often reflected on the verse, "Faith as small as a mustard seed can make anything possible." Those words brought

him hope and peace and became a guiding light in his life.

Connor will be remembered for his thoughtful soul, infectious curiosity, hardworking nature, and the genuine love he carried for others. Though his time here was far too short, the impact he made on those who loved him will endure forever.

He leaves behind countless family members, friends, coworkers, and loved ones who will miss his smile, his conversations, his laughter, and the warmth he brought into their lives. His memory will continue to live on in every act of kindness, every quiet moment in nature, and every search for truth and understanding.

May Connor James Chandler rest in eternal peace. A celebration of Connor's life will take place the first week of June, further details will be posted.

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“ *I'm not even sure where to begin. Connor had the sweetest most absolutely shining soul.
He was always so kind and cheerful.
He could make anyone laugh or smile.
He just had that kind of humor and energy.
He had the most amazing smile.
God how I am heartbroken.
Fly high Connor, maybe you rest easy.*

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