



## William Casey Welborn

January 13, 1983 - June 8, 2017

William 'Casey' Welborn passed away Thursday, June 8th at the University of Mississippi Medical Center in Jackson. Casey is survived by his Mother, Kathy Welborn (Tommy Walters) and son, Will Welborn. He is also survived by two brothers: Jason Welborn and Stan Welborn and his wife, Kristie and daughter, Allie Kate. He is preceded in death by his Grandparents, William Patrick Axton and Dorothy (Dotsy) Axton and his father, Jay Welborn. Casey is also survived by 16 aunts and uncles who cherished him as a son and 18 cousins who loved him as a brother.

Casey will be remembered as a loyal friend and hard worker with a gentle spirit and a quiet, reflective demeanor. Never one to boast, Casey was revered by his friends for his ability to listen, empathize and offer realistic advice. Friends and family members will recall his love of music, the outdoors and his rich, genuine laugh that came out when he was tickled.

As a member of the large, Irish-Catholic, Axton family, Casey embraced his

heritage and was known to sport a Notre Dame hat. You could find him on a Friday evening listening to Neil Young and unwinding from his job as a talented screen printer. In his final weeks, he spent time kayaking down gentle Mississippi creeks and rivers; a fitting sendoff for a man with a tranquil disposition.

Visitation services for Casey will be held Sunday, June 11 from 5:00 pm-8:00pm at Memory Chapel in Laurel. Funeral services will be held at Immaculate Conception Catholic Church on Monday, June 12 at 2:00 pm.

In lieu of flowers, remembrance may be made to Special Olympics of Mississippi. Information can be found at [www.SpecialOlympicsMS.org](http://www.SpecialOlympicsMS.org).

# Cemetery Details

## Sunset Gardens Cemetery

1206 Wansley Road  
Laurel, MS 39440

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUN 11. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Memory Chapel Funeral Home  
3100 Audubon Drive  
P. O. Box 674  
Laurel, MS 39440  
(601) 428-5235  
memorychapel@comcast.net  
<https://www.memorychapellaurel.com/>

## Service

JUN 12. 2:00 PM (CT)

Immaculate Conception Catholic Church  
833 W Sixth Street  
Laurel, MS 39440

# Tribute Wall

EP

“ Evelyn Poole lit a candle in memory of William Casey Welborn



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**Evelyn Poole** - June 13, 2017 at 02:03 PM

JL

“ Jerry And Lorene LaPanj lit a candle in memory of William Casey Welborn



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**Jerry and Lorene LaPanj** - June 12, 2017 at 11:37 PM

JL

“ Our prayers and thoughts are with all of Casey's family, our hearts are sad. We know that the world will forever be a lesser place without Casey's presence. Although he is in heaven, he lives on here on earth through his gift of life to others. Looking at Will is like looking at Casey when he was that age. A part of Casey is still with you in Will. We prayer God will bless you and comfort you as journey through the days ahead.

*Jerry and Lorene LaPan*

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**Jerry and Lorene LaPanj** - June 12, 2017 at 11:36 PM



“ *Morgan Ashley Gadbois lit a candle in memory of William Casey Welborn*



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**Morgan Ashley Gadbois** - June 12, 2017 at 07:02 PM



*Im so very sorry for your loss. Words cannot express the sorrow that I truly feel. May God comfort you in this difficult time. Casey and your family are in my thoughts and prayers. He will truly be missed. God bless.*

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**Morgan Ashley Gadbois** - June 12, 2017 at 07:05 PM



“ *Susan Holmes lit a candle in memory of William Casey Welborn*



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**Susan Holmes** - June 12, 2017 at 12:21 PM



“ *Kathy & family - I'm so sorry for your loss; I just learned today. My thoughts & prayers are with you & your family.*

*Sam Goodwin*

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**Sam Goodwin** - June 11, 2017 at 08:23 PM

BH

“ *Becky Hinton lit a candle in memory of William Casey Welborn*



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**Becky Hinton** - June 11, 2017 at 08:22 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of William Casey Welborn.*



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June 11, 2017 at 02:59 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of William Casey Welborn.*



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June 11, 2017 at 02:48 PM

NB

“ *Stan and family, I am so sorry for your loss. He was one of a kind and I will always remember the fun times and laughter he always gave. May God hold you tight in the days to come. Love, Natalie Brand and family*

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**natalie brand** - June 11, 2017 at 09:54 AM

RG

“ Roma Rahaim Graham lit a candle in memory of William Casey Welborn



Roma Rahaim Graham - June 11, 2017 at 08:29 AM

RG

“ Kathy and Family, May the Peace of Christ be with you now and the days ahead. Our prayers for all of you. Love, Rick, Roma Rahaim Graham, and family.

Roma Rahaim Graham - June 11, 2017 at 08:28 AM

JM

“ Praying for the family of Casey Welborn



Jody Davis Maxey - June 11, 2017 at 12:41 AM

MT

“ Michael And Maria Terrell lit a candle in memory of William Casey Welborn



Michael and Maria Terrell - June 10, 2017 at 09:28 PM

DJ

“ *Dennis And Laura Jensen lit a candle in memory of William Casey Welborn*



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**Dennis and Laura Jensen** - June 10, 2017 at 07:15 PM

SC

“ *Sheila Chung lit a candle in memory of William Casey Welborn*



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**Sheila Chung** - June 10, 2017 at 04:39 PM