



## Tyler Anthony Russo

November 5, 1995 - January 12, 2021

Tyler Anthony Russo died on January 12, 2021, in Annapolis, MD. He was 25.

He was born in Betterton, MD on November 5, 1995, the son of William Anthony and Karen Elizabeth Russo.

Tyler was a graduate of Kent County High School Class of 2014, where he was part of the swimming, lacrosse, and soccer teams. He then graduated from Stevenson University in 2018 with a Bachelor's of Science, majoring in Business Administration. He played lacrosse for Stevenson, where his team won the MAC Division III Championship all four years.

He worked for Great Oak Marina, and upon graduation, went to work with Lighthouse Point Marina in Canton. He then began his career in Finance, working with New Day USA in Columbia, and most recently, New Res Mortgage Company. He was an avid boater and athlete, he played lacrosse with Blue Bird Tavern.

Tyler was well-known, well-loved, and a friend to all. He loved the water, his family, especially his nieces, and his dog, Ollie.

Tyler is survived by his parents, William A. and Karen Elizabeth Russo; sister, Jessie Bonass; beloved nieces, Christina, Marley, Gillian, and Aisling Bonass;

aunts and uncles, Susan and Charles Mathews, David and Holly Brendel, Joseph Russo, Linda Gavin, Anna Vogelsang, Carlyn and Joseph Diamond; and maternal grandparents Joseph and Karen Brendel. He was also loved and cherished by Sheila E. Russo, along with many loving cousins.

Funeral services will be held privately and a Celebration of his life will be held at a later date when it is safe to do so.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Tyler Anthony Russo* ”



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**Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home** - January 18, 2021 at 08:55 AM



“ *Tyler Anthony Russo* ”

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October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ *Tyler Anthony Russo* ”

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January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ *Tyler Anthony Russo* ”

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January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM



“ *Mary Gygrynuk lit a candle in memory of Tyler Anthony Russo* ”



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**Mary Gygrynuk** - September 14, 2021 at 08:56 PM

WR

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



will Russo - January 31, 2021 at 06:25 PM

WR

*Just a Boy and His Dog*

will Russo - January 31, 2021 at 06:26 PM

WR

*Miss You Sonshine*

will Russo - January 31, 2021 at 06:27 PM

MW

“ Tyler, you were such a genuine friend at Stevenson. You lit up every room with that constant smile & positive attitude. I'm so thankful for the time you spent in my life and for the memories we share. My thoughts & prayers go out to all his family and friends.

MaryKate White - January 22, 2021 at 11:56 PM

NR

“ New Rez purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Tyler Anthony Russo.



New Rez - January 22, 2021 at 12:43 PM



“ Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of Tyler Anthony Russo.



January 21, 2021 at 08:38 PM



“ Thank you everyone for sharing your stories, pictures and all the well wishes. 🥺💔

will russo - January 20, 2021 at 09:02 PM



“ THAT SMILE- most contagious one you'll ever see. A direct tribute to who Tyler was. Wanted to take this opportunity to personally thank Tyler for being the best friend a kid like myself could ever ask for. Growing up together was one hell of a journey that I'll never forget. Our memories together have and will always stay with me. (Growing up as “teenagers” together you can only imagine some of the stories Tyler and I share, after all, we had A LOT of life figuring out together). I'll miss that smile, your competitiveness, and your desire to be the best at every little thing you do. You showed me what true friendship meant, and you know I loved you like a brother.

To the most amazing kid, inside & out- rest in piece, brother. Till we meet again.



matt minner - January 20, 2021 at 09:16 AM

WR

*Thanks for sharing Matt.*

**will russo** - January 20, 2021 at 08:59 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Tyler Anthony Russo.*



January 19, 2021 at 07:16 PM

RC

“ *This type of grief has no bounds, except for love. And there is that in abundance. My family and I send our prayers for the loss of your beloved Tyler. It is totally heartbreaking.....*



**richard cookerly** - January 19, 2021 at 10:43 AM

EM

“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



**Erin Mathews** - January 18, 2021 at 10:23 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Tyler Anthony Russo.* ”



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January 18, 2021 at 08:40 PM



“ *19 files added to the tribute wall* ”



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**Christina Bonass** - January 18, 2021 at 07:53 PM



“ *The Oberink family is heartbroken to hear of Tyler's passing. We have such fond memories of Little School days, and many other years at Kent School. We send much love to Karen and Will and the rest of his family.* ”

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**Christine C Oberink** - January 18, 2021 at 03:56 PM

WR

“ 1 file added to the album Tyler



will russo - January 18, 2021 at 03:04 PM

WR

Tyler # 24

will russo - January 18, 2021 at 03:07 PM

WR

Shot denied by # 24

will russo - January 18, 2021 at 03:08 PM

WR

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



will russo - January 18, 2021 at 02:57 PM

DS

“ Todd and I are so very sad to learn of Tyler's passing. Please accept our deepest sympathy. Diane Smith



Diane H. Smith - January 18, 2021 at 02:35 PM



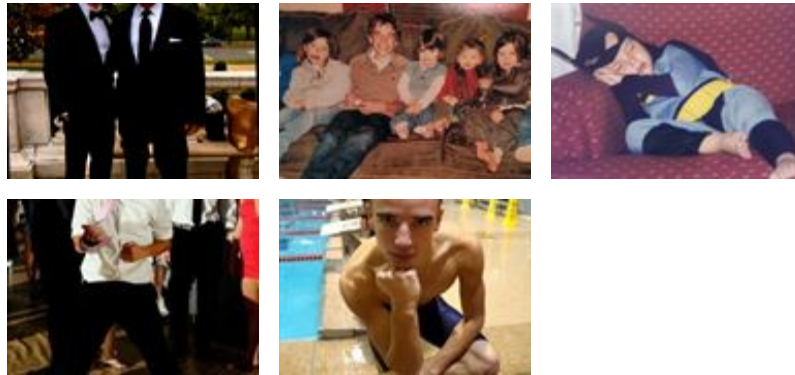
“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Tyler Anthony Russo.*



January 18, 2021 at 01:07 PM



“ *98 files added to the album Life Tributes*



**Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home** - January 18, 2021 at 08:55 AM



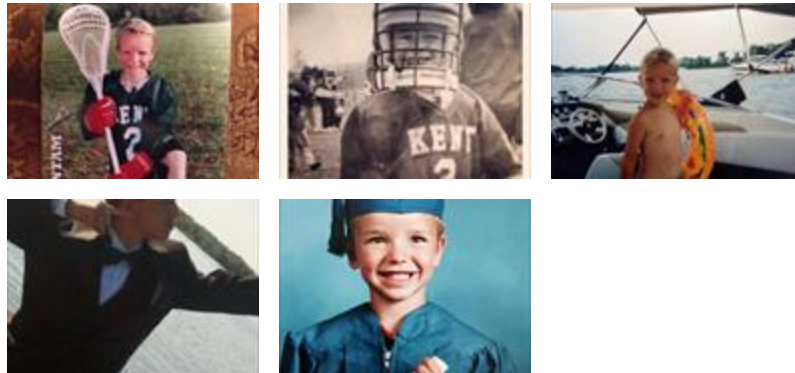
“ *3 files added to the album Tyler*



**Susan Mathews** - January 18, 2021 at 08:15 AM

WR

“ 14 files added to the album Memories Album



will russo - January 17, 2021 at 09:10 PM

SL

“ My heart is broken for you. I'm still at a loss of words. My thought and prayers are with you and the family. ❤️



spencer legg - January 17, 2021 at 08:52 PM

PL

“ I'm at a loss for words! My sincere condolences to all of you. Such a handsome, kind hearted young man. Our thoughts are with all of you!

Bill and Peg Lincoln 🙏🙏

peg lincoln - January 17, 2021 at 05:58 PM

JD

“ Karen, Will, Jess and family!

*We were so sorry to hear about Tyler. What a wonderful young man. A young man that had a lot going for him. Always, smiling and so kind. Praying for your comfort and all his memories will live inside your hearts. Rest In Peace Tyler. god Bless!*

*Jeffery and Joni Dawson*

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**Joni and Jeffrey Dawson F Dock** - January 17, 2021 at 04:23 PM

TF

“ Karen. Will and Family

*Bernie and I and our family send our thoughts to you all. Remember the happy times and they will get you through. I will miss your cell phone calling Mom, Mom, MOM and you dropping everything you are doing to pick it up with a smile on your face. He will always be in your heart.*



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**The Puszcz Family** - January 17, 2021 at 03:48 PM

KI

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



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**Katie Inch** - January 17, 2021 at 01:33 PM

WR

*Thanks Kate, I couldn't get this one to post. Great picture*

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**will Russo** - January 17, 2021 at 02:24 PM

WR

“ 3 files added to the tribute wall



will russo - January 17, 2021 at 12:56 PM

SN

“ My heart breaks you Tyler and for your sister and your family. The love they had for you and proudness they all shared for you was unbelievable. Your smile reminded me so much of Your sisters. It was contagious. Rest Easy Tyler 🙏🙏🙏🙏



Sabrina Newton - January 17, 2021 at 12:05 PM

NS

“ Tyler always lit up the room, with his smile and attitude ❤️ I'm so sorry for your loss and i want to do anything i possibly can to help. Tyler's sister and his nieces loved him more than anything in this world and my heart hurts for them. I know he loved them more than anything as well. sending so much love to all of you 🙏



natalie seward - January 17, 2021 at 11:49 AM

KI

“ We love you, Tyler. Always and forever.



Katie Inch - January 17, 2021 at 11:29 AM

SN

*This picture is everything!!!*

Sabrina Newton - January 17, 2021 at 12:07 PM

TS

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Tina Smith - January 17, 2021 at 09:54 AM

WR

*Thank you Tina, I was looking at this picture yesterday. I wanted to post it but mine wasn't clear. That's a great memory*

will russo - January 17, 2021 at 11:23 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Tyler Anthony Russo.



January 17, 2021 at 09:08 AM

TW

“ I have never witnessed a bond so strong between two individuals, Jess & Tyler, We were fortunate to get to know them through our Kent school years. A kind handsome young man gone way too soon. Our heart truly goes out to your family, you are in our prayers.

*The Walton's  
Bob, Peggy, Bobby & Martha*

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**The Waltons** - January 17, 2021 at 09:07 AM

TS

“ To all the angels up in heaven, I'm sure you realized this the moment Tyler arrived but I need to tel you anyway... Tyler is an amazing young man that I've know since he was a wee fellow. We dubbed him the Mayor because he was THAT confident and was able to converse with ANYONE about ANYTHING and always always had mesmerizing smile. Please give him hugs from me and those he left behind. Our world is a little less bright without him shining in it but heaven is glowing with his infectious smile.

*To Will, Karen, Jess and the girls ~ sending you HUGS and deepest sympathy. I know he meant the world to you as did you to him.*

*To Tyler ~ how I wish I could wrap my arms around you with the biggest hug. I hope you can feel it virtually though.*

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**Tina Smith** - January 17, 2021 at 07:30 AM

TF

“ Will, Karen and Jessie,

*There are not enough words to express our sorrow for your loss. Please find comfort in knowing that you have been and will continue to be in our thoughts often. We hope that as you heal in time you will be able to remember all the good times and special memories that Tyler brought to everyone who knew him. He will surely be missed.*

*With our deepest sympathy,*

*Billy, Debby, Riley and Brody Dopp*

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**The Dopp Family** - January 17, 2021 at 03:27 AM

LN

“ *Laura Newton lit a candle in memory of Tyler Anthony Russo*



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**Laura Newton** - January 17, 2021 at 02:18 AM

RC

“ *Tyler  
I just hugged you in my thoughts. I hope you felt the squeeze!!! Love you . Mãe*



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**Rita De Conti** - January 16, 2021 at 11:36 PM

KR

“ I met Tyler through my college roommate Regis and shared a lot of great memories with him through the following couple years. We’ve also worked together at Newrez this past 6 months. Im so glad i was able to have crossed paths with Tyler. He was a great friend and my thoughts are with his family and all of his loved ones.

Kyle Randall - January 16, 2021 at 11:25 PM

LU

“ So sorry to hear about the loss of Tyler. My thoughts, prayers and deepest sympathy are with his family.



laurie usilton - January 16, 2021 at 11:08 PM

RL

“ Bill & Karen,  
I am so sorry to hear of Tyler's passing. Your SHA family is here to support you however we can.  
Sincerely,  
Rebecca Lichtenstein

Rebecca Lichtenstein - January 16, 2021 at 10:08 PM

Hollie  
Larrimore

“ Tyler, you touched the lives of so many with your contagious personality and smile. I will always cherish all of our memories together over the past 6 years. Prayers for your family and friends and all of those missing you. Until we meet again.



Hollie Larrimore - January 16, 2021 at 06:47 PM



“ *Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of Tyler Anthony Russo.*



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January 16, 2021 at 06:24 PM



“ *Fly high Tyler. May the four winds blow you safely home! My condolences to your family. I hope you found your peace...*



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**Monica Russup** - January 16, 2021 at 06:19 PM

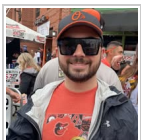


“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Tyler Anthony Russo.*



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January 16, 2021 at 04:08 PM



“ *Tyler it's been a pleasure knowing you and I can't wait to hangout without again one day. Rest easy my friend.*

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**Brendan Restly** - January 16, 2021 at 02:48 PM

JM

“ Jean Busch McMahon lit a candle in memory of Tyler Anthony Russo



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**Jean Busch McMahon** - January 16, 2021 at 02:22 PM

NM

“ My condolences, Tyler was a special student who made my job as his art teacher a joy. Rest peacefully Tyler, you will be missed.



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**NMorris** - January 16, 2021 at 01:43 PM

WK

“ Will, So sorry for your loss my old friend. Prayers for you and your family. Words are never enough ... Bill Kelly and family

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**William Kelly** - January 16, 2021 at 01:33 PM

LP

“ I have known Tyler through his mother Shiela Russo and not a day went by when she didn't mention how much she loved him and how proud she was of him. Tyler was very loved.

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**Lana Popok** - January 16, 2021 at 01:21 PM

SG

“ *Shirley Garner lit a candle in memory of Tyler Anthony Russo*



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**Shirley Garner** - January 16, 2021 at 12:51 PM

SG

*Remembering so many happy and fun family get togethers. Always fun with Tyler. My love to family and Tyler's friends. May he look over all of us.*

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**Shirley Garner** - January 16, 2021 at 12:55 PM

BA

“ *Brandon Apgar lit a candle in memory of Tyler Anthony Russo*



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**Brandon Apgar** - January 16, 2021 at 12:47 PM

WR

“ *William Russo lit a candle in memory of Tyler Anthony Russo*



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**william russo** - January 16, 2021 at 12:33 PM

RI



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**Rita** - January 16, 2021 at 11:22 PM

WR

“ 2 files added to the album Tyler



william russo - January 16, 2021 at 12:24 PM

RI



Rita - January 16, 2021 at 11:22 PM

TF

“ I was only blessed to know Tyler for a few months as his manager at NewRez but in that short time I came to adore him as one of my work sons. His spirit and energy was contagious. He was polite, kind, and funny. I am blessed to have had the opportunity to know him and extend my deepest sympathies to his family and friends. Rest easy Tyler.

Tia Fenner - January 16, 2021 at 12:19 PM



“ Cheeseboard Complete was purchased for the family of Tyler Anthony Russo.



January 16, 2021 at 12:08 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Tyler Anthony Russo.*



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January 16, 2021 at 12:07 PM



“ *I remember Jess always being so excited to be with you when you were just a baby and so little. Prayers are with her and your entire family.*



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**jennifer McDevitt** - January 16, 2021 at 11:59 AM



“ *The Clough Family. Prayers lit a candle in memory of Tyler Anthony Russo*



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**The Clough family. Prayers** - January 16, 2021 at 11:56 AM



*I'm so sorry for your loss*

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**The Clough family. Prayers** - January 16, 2021 at 11:57 AM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Tyler Anthony Russo.*



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January 16, 2021 at 11:55 AM



“ *Sending a million thoughts, prayers and hugs. I think of Tyler every time I drive past the exit to Stevenson University.*

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**Janet O'Connor** - January 16, 2021 at 11:33 AM



“ *So sorry for your loss.*



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**Bob Purcell** - January 16, 2021 at 10:37 AM



“ *We send our deepest and most sincere condolences. We love you always Tyler.*  
*-Gavin & Emma Williams*



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**Emma & Gavin Williams** - January 16, 2021 at 09:15 AM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Tyler Anthony Russo.*



January 16, 2021 at 09:13 AM



“ *George Short lit a candle in memory of Tyler Anthony Russo*



**George Short** - January 16, 2021 at 09:07 AM



“ *Brandi Moore lit a candle in memory of Tyler Anthony Russo*



**Brandi Moore** - January 15, 2021 at 08:48 PM



“ *Ed And Shelley Hillyer lit a candle in memory of Tyler Anthony Russo*



**Ed and Shelley Hillyer** - January 15, 2021 at 08:25 PM

BJ

“ *Brandy & Delaney Jewell lit a candle in memory of Tyler Anthony Russo*



Brandy & Delaney Jewell - January 15, 2021 at 08:16 PM

KM

“ *Kay McHenry lit a candle in memory of Tyler Anthony Russo*



Kay McHenry - January 15, 2021 at 07:39 PM

RO

“ *RJ & Kristi Osborn lit a candle in memory of Tyler Anthony Russo*



RJ & Kristi Osborn - January 15, 2021 at 07:23 PM

PH

“ *Peggy Hammer lit a candle in memory of Tyler Anthony Russo*



Peggy Hammer - January 15, 2021 at 04:31 PM

PH

*Jessie and family, I'm so sorry for your loss. Sending thoughts, prayers and hugs your way!*

**Peggy Hammer** - January 15, 2021 at 04:32 PM

JB

*Thank you Peggy. You and your family are always in my thoughts❤️*

**Jessie Bonass** - January 16, 2021 at 08:56 AM

KP

*Jesse, thinking of you at this sad time. So sorry for your loss.*

**Kay Pinder** - January 16, 2021 at 11:05 AM

CM

*Dear Karen, Will and Family: We are so sorry for your loss.*

*Please know that you and your entire family are in our thoughts and prayers during this very difficult time. Hugs to all!*

*Bud and Bernadette Mathews*

**Charles Mathews** - January 16, 2021 at 10:14 PM