



## Shawnn McPherson

January 30, 1978 - October 12, 2015

Shawnn McPherson, 37, of Neptune, passed away on October 12, 2015. He was born on January 30, 1978 in Mt. Holly, N.J. Shawnn worked as a graphic designer in New York. Shawnn loved life and enjoyed spending time with his family and friends.

He was predeceased by his maternal grandmother Dolores M. Price. Surviving is his mother; Crystal D. McPherson of Neptune, his father; Johnathan McQuinn of Richmond, Va., his brother; Keith McPherson of Neptune, his sister; Taylor McPherson of Neptune, his grandmother; Ruth McQuinn and his aunt LaKisha Green of Wayside. He is also survived by a host of cousins and friends.

Visitation will be from 4 p.m. to 8 p.m. on Friday October 16, 2015 at the Bongarzone Funeral Home, 2400 Shafto Road, Tinton Falls. A funeral service will begin at 8:00 p.m. on Friday. All other services are private.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT **16**. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Bongarzone Funeral Home  
2400 Shafto Road  
Tinton Falls, NJ 07712  
(732) 918-6200

## Funeral Service

OCT **16**. 8:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Missing you everyday, big bro. I still can't believe you're gone. You were such a wonderful and uplifting person to be around. I will always cherish the memories I have with you, from you and Nick sneaking me into the disco in Dominican Republic to you showing my friends and I around the city to having margaritas with your family in your backyard. I'm so upset that these memories had to be cut short here, but I will never forget the fun times we had together. You took me under your wing as a little sister since that trip to Dominican Republic and I truly appreciate that. You were always someone I looked up to and I will continue to look up to you, old man.*



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**Steph Waryasz** - November 15, 2015 at 05:44 PM

BJ

“ *Brenda Jordan-Shelton lit a candle in memory of Shawnn McPherson*



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**Brenda Jordan-Shelton** - November 06, 2015 at 06:56 PM

MV

“ *Missing you terribly, friend. I hope you are smiling and dancing with the Angels. I just wish our time together wasn't cut so short.*



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**Missy Valette** - November 04, 2015 at 08:12 PM

SF

“ *I remember Shawnn as a child. My son Sean and he played together when we lived in Middlebrook Apts. There he was this beautiful, light. My most heart felt love to Crystal and her family. Both Sean and I were deeply grieved to hear of his passing.*  
*Sheila Fuccile*



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**sheila fuccile** - November 04, 2015 at 11:03 AM

SE

“ *Sasha Elliott lit a candle in memory of Shawnn McPherson*



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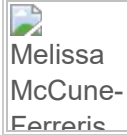
**Sasha Elliott** - October 20, 2015 at 08:44 AM

DO

“ *Crystal my heart goes out to you and your family. You are in my prayers.* ❤️

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**Donna Ortiz** - October 19, 2015 at 09:27 AM



“ *Melissa McCune-Ferraris lit a candle in memory of Shawnn McPherson*



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**Melissa McCune-Ferraris** - October 19, 2015 at 08:16 AM

MG

“ *Sending sincere condolences to you all. May the memories of Shawnn bring you all peace.*



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**Marci Grabelle** - October 18, 2015 at 10:11 PM

AN

“ *Ann Marie Nasso lit a candle in memory of Shawnn McPherson*



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**Ann Marie Nasso** - October 18, 2015 at 09:01 PM

LR

“ *Lakia Render lit a candle in memory of Shawnn McPherson*



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**Lakia Render** - October 18, 2015 at 07:39 PM

LR

*I went to high school with Shawn at ocean Twp high. He was a nice young man and so much fun. May God bless his family. Earth has no sorrows that heaven cant heal.*

**Lakia Render** - October 18, 2015 at 07:42 PM

TE

“ *I love u and will miss u greatly.....*



**Tanya Edwards** - October 18, 2015 at 03:59 PM

DH

“ *Shawnn touched the lives of so many, that was so evident at his memorial, he was so loved, you did a good job Crystal, May the memory of the happiness he brought to you and others console you in your time of grief.*



**Donna Hunt** - October 18, 2015 at 03:55 PM

EA

“ *Edna Ayler lit a candle in memory of Shawnn McPherson*



**Edna Ayler** - October 18, 2015 at 01:58 PM

YG

“ *Crystal, so hard to believe this happened after we spoke on Sunday, your birthday. My heart goes out to you. Although I did not know your son, I have a son as well. My deepest sincere sympathy and God's peace and comfort to you and your family. All my love, Yvonne Gottlieb*



**Yvonne Gottlieb** - October 18, 2015 at 01:58 PM

VM

“ *Vivian Mckay lit a candle in memory of Shawnn McPherson*



**vivian mckay** - October 18, 2015 at 01:55 PM

JA

“ *Our deepest condolences!Shawnn is going to be missed so much!!  
Our love and prayers with all of you!  
We love you,  
Jamie Ron, Elana and Samara Bohm  
XOXOXO*



**JAMIE** - October 18, 2015 at 01:38 PM

GV

“ *Gina Venezio lit a candle in memory of Shawnn McPherson*



**gina venezio** - October 18, 2015 at 01:26 PM

TF

“ We are all holding Shawnn's memory dear in our hearts as we remember the wonderful times that our families have shared together. Sending love and strength to you during this difficult time.

*In sympathy and friendship  
Jeff, Amy, Zak & Liana*

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**The Grandinetti Family** - October 18, 2015 at 01:22 PM



Markesse  
McQuinn

“ You will live in my heart forever. Miss you and love you lil cousin. R.I.P Shawnn



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**Markesse McQuinn** - October 18, 2015 at 01:17 PM

TF

“ The Grandinetti Family lit a candle in memory of Shawnn McPherson



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**The Grandinetti Family** - October 18, 2015 at 01:13 PM

GS

“ Oh, Crystal . . .all my thoughts and prayers and hugs. May his memory be for a blessing.



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**Gev Sweeney** - October 18, 2015 at 07:36 AM

MD

“ *Monica And Maria Delehanty lit a candle in memory of Shawnn McPherson*



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**Monica and Maria Delehanty** - October 16, 2015 at 10:19 AM

Tali  
Elshtein

“ *Tali Elshtein lit a candle in memory of Shawnn McPherson*



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**Tali Elshtein** - October 16, 2015 at 08:52 AM



“ *Treasured Lilies Spray was purchased for the family of Shawnn McPherson.*



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October 16, 2015 at 08:51 AM

CC

“ *Carol Chernin lit a candle in memory of Shawnn McPherson*



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**Carol Chernin** - October 16, 2015 at 06:40 AM

CC

*Our thoughts and prayers are with you during this most difficult time. May your memories be a blessing.*

**Carol Chernin** - October 16, 2015 at 06:41 AM

DA

*“ May Jehovah's promise comfort the family at this time and always!*

**Dawn** - October 16, 2015 at 04:42 AM

MS

*“ Molly Mendes (Harrison and Star) purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Shawnn McPherson.*



**Molly Mendes (Harrison and Star)** - October 15, 2015 at 11:09 PM



*“ Memories to Treasure was purchased for the family of Shawnn McPherson.*



October 15, 2015 at 09:41 PM

KH

*“ Katrina High lit a candle in memory of Shawnn McPherson*



**Katrina High** - October 15, 2015 at 07:30 PM

SH

“ Shannon Hess lit a candle in memory of Shawnn McPherson



Shannon Hess - October 15, 2015 at 01:36 PM

ME

“ My deepest condolences on your loss. May the wonderful memories of your loved one and knowing that God is near during this time of grief, brings a measure of comfort and strength to your family now and in the days to come.  
Psalms 46:1



Mel - October 15, 2015 at 12:44 PM

LF

“ Linda Hamel Finley lit a candle in memory of Shawnn McPherson



Linda Hamel Finley - October 15, 2015 at 12:08 PM

PJ

“ Our deepest sympathies to you Crystal, Keith and Taylor. We heard a lot about Shawnn from Crystal and felt that we knew him. We pray that memories of Shawnn and your love of him will help you in the days ahead.  
Love, Dennis and Patricia Joiner

Patricia Joiner - October 15, 2015 at 11:46 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Shawnn McPherson.*



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October 15, 2015 at 11:27 AM



“ *My thoughts and prayers are with you. Deepest sympathy to the entire family.*

*Trudy Goldsmith*

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**Trudy Goldsmith** - October 15, 2015 at 11:10 AM

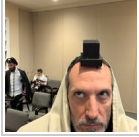


“ *Carl Stryker purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Shawnn McPherson.*



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**Carl Stryker** - October 15, 2015 at 11:00 AM



“ First I'd like to say how sorry I am for not being able to attend his service. If it was at all possible I would be there.

*i sat right next to Shawnn... elbow to elbow, for 5+ years at Harrison and Star. We shared a lot of eye rolls due to the idiocy around us. He taught me a lot about photoshop. Every time I silhouette i think about him.*

*Our boss called him the unofficial official greeter of H&S. He was everyone's first friend there. The first day i was there he was playing yellowman and jay z and we bonded over that. He called me doogles once at random, and i told him that the only other person to ever call me that was my dad. he only called me doogles after that... so i called him shawnnels...*

*He was one of those rare people who would light up a room, that you wanted to know, and could never forget... He would always give you attitude if you asked for something, but would always be there in the end to help.*

*In Jewish tradition the day before your wedding your supposed to have a helper... someone to follow you around and take care of you... the thought being that your head is in the clouds and you might do something careless and get hurt... the day before my wedding i told Shawnn about that and later that i needed a tie for my suit... he immediately threw down his stylus, got up from his desk, and said, "we are going shopping" that he would be my guide... and on the way to the store he actually stopped me from walking in front of a speeding cab.*

*I will always remember him fondly. His smile, his honesty, his attitude, his complete disdain for idiocy.*

*May his memory be for a blessing.*

*My deepest Condolences, Love and respect to his family.*





**Doug Baker** - October 15, 2015 at 09:45 AM

ML

*amazing story doogles. he was a lively spirit.*

**Michael Leopold** - October 15, 2015 at 03:48 PM

IM

“ *Ivonne McPherson lit a candle in memory of Shawnn McPherson*



**Ivonne McPherson** - October 15, 2015 at 09:38 AM

PL

“ *Patricia Lopez lit a candle in memory of Shawnn McPherson*



**Patricia Lopez** - October 15, 2015 at 08:31 AM

PL

*My deepest condolences to Shawn's family. May he be resting in peace.*

**Patricia Lopez** - October 15, 2015 at 08:32 AM



“ *Written in the Stars was purchased for the family of Shawnn McPherson.*



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October 15, 2015 at 04:55 AM



“ *Amanda Landstrom lit a candle in memory of Shawnn McPherson*



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**Amanda Landstrom** - October 15, 2015 at 02:50 AM



“ *I'm sending respect to the family at this time of grief. Stay focus and continue to keep Shawn in hearts. Rest easy my high school friend I haven't seen since we graduated in 1996. Peace, Love, and Happiness.*



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**Divine Rivers** - October 15, 2015 at 12:07 AM




“ *Su Hola lit a candle in memory of Shawnn McPherson*



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**Su Hola** - October 14, 2015 at 10:49 PM

  
Vanesa  
Brun

“ *Vanesa Brun lit a candle in memory of  
Shawnn McPherson*



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**Vanesa Brun** - October 14, 2015 at 10:31 PM

KD

“ *Kyheem Davis lit a candle in memory of  
Shawnn McPherson*



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**Kyheem Davis** - October 14, 2015 at 10:24 PM

TF

“ *The Panduri Family lit a candle in memory of  
Shawnn McPherson*



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**The Panduri Family** - October 14, 2015 at 09:18 PM

FP

“ *Fatima Patel lit a candle in memory of  
Shawnn McPherson*



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**Fatima Patel** - October 14, 2015 at 07:55 PM

TB

“ *My deepest condolences to the family. My Prayers and strength are with you all.*



Tracey Berry - October 14, 2015 at 07:45 PM

MA

“ *Marika lit a candle in memory of Shawnn McPherson*



Marika - October 14, 2015 at 07:36 PM

MR

“ *It was a pleasure meeting you at H&S Shawnn. Your smile, sense of humor and honesty will never be forgotten. I hope that you are in a better place now. Rest easy my friend. Till we meet again - Melissa Rossini-Natorp*



melissa rossini-natorp - October 14, 2015 at 07:22 PM



“ *Kisha Green lit a candle in memory of Shawnn McPherson*



Kisha Green - October 14, 2015 at 07:05 PM

BH

“ *Bongarzone Funeral Home lit a candle in memory of Shawnn McPherson*



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**Bongarzone Funeral Home** - October 14, 2015 at 02:18 PM