



# **Alberto "A.J." S. Ortiz, Jr.**

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**A**lberto Shaquan Ortiz Jr. known to all as A.J. passed away on Saturday, November 7, 2020. He was 24 years old.

A.J. was born on June 19, 1996 at Nanticoke Memorial Hospital in Seaford, Delaware to Angela Satchell and Alberto Ortiz Sr. A.J. was the life of the party and always had a smile, told many jokes and often had a nickname he liked to give out. A.J. loved and adored his mother, family and friends. He loved to dance, music, movies, and lots and lots of tee shirts he collected of various artists. He often spent his time with his special cousin/best friend Aaliyah Satchell traveling to various places. He also enjoyed spending time with Kennell Baine his mentor/friend and gave his motorcycle the nickname Thelma. A.J. graduated from Indian River High School in 2014 and worked for Easter Seals of Georgetown from 2016 until his passing.

A.J. was preceded in death by his maternal grandfather William Lee Satchell.

He leaves to mourn his mother Angela Satchell of Millsboro, DE, father Alberto Ortiz Sr. of Philadelphia, PA., maternal grand-mother Sally Satchell of Selbyville, DE, four aunts Denise Johnson of Pungoteague, VA, Sharon Satchell of Laurel, DE, Francine Satchell of Salisbury, MD, and Charlene Satchell of Ocean City, MD, two uncles Richard Satchell of Georgetown, DE and Gregory Satchell of Frankford, DE and a special cousin Aaliyah Satchell of Millsboro, DE and a host of other cousins and extended family.

A funeral service will be held at 12:00 Noon on Wednesday, November 18, 2020 at the Watson Funeral Home, 211 S. Washington St., Millsboro, DE 19966, where friends may call from 11:00 A.M. to 12:00 P.M. for viewing and visitation. Interment will follow at Zoar Golden Acres in Bishopville, MD. Due to the Coronavirus restrictions masks and social distancing will be required.

Electronic condolences via [www.watsonfh.com](http://www.watsonfh.com)



## Tribute Wall

**Alberto "A.J." S. Ortiz, Jr.**

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**Watson Funeral Home & Crematorium** shared an album called **Megan Easter**.



February 14 at 2:33 PM



**Jacqueline Clark** lit a candle in honor of Alberto "A.J.".



November 17 at 8:00 PM



**Josh Sweetman** lit a candle in honor of Alberto "A.J.".

AJ was one of the first students I ever had the privilege of teaching. I was lucky enough to teach him during high school and continue to be apart of his life while he was a student in the 21 and over program. AJ and I would always work on telling jokes together, sharing laughs and talking about things we did over the weekend.

Every time we saw each other he would always say, "Hey Mr. Sweetman, you have sweets in your name". He will be greatly missed.



November 17 at 8:00 PM



**Anonymous** lit a candle in honor of Alberto "A.J.".



November 16 at 8:00 PM



**Cori** lit a candle in honor of Alberto "A.J.".

AJ will always be one of my best teachers. He brought my heart so much joy and I will forever remember our time together. Angie please know that you are loved by many. May you find peace in your heart. Cori



November 16 at 8:00 PM



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**Anonymous** lit a candle in honor of Alberto "A.J.".

November 15 at 8:00 PM



**The Compassionate Friends** lit a candle in honor of Alberto "A.J.".

THE COMPASSIONATE FRIENDS We are so very sorry you have had to experience the loss of your child, children, and/or grandchild, and we are here for you. The Compassionate Friends is a national nonprofit, self-help support organization offering friendship and understanding to bereaved parents, siblings, and grandparents. There are no religious affiliations, membership dues, or fees. We meet together to learn to cope with the struggles of living life without our precious children. We, too, are on this journey of grief and extend our hearts and arms to you. Please feel free to join us on the second Wednesday of each month at 7:00 PM in the Clubhouse at Chapel Green, 104 Ancient Oak Court, Lewes, DE 19958. For more information or to Zoom with us instead, call Bill & Jill Hicks 610-368-0236 or e-mail us at: lighthousectcf@gmail.com or JHicks510@verizon.net. We wish you peace, fond memories of happier times, and healing. Your Lighthouse Chapter of The Compassionate Friends

November 13 at 8:00 PM



**Vanessa Williams** lit a candle in honor of Alberto "A.J.".

Vanessa and Mervin Williams. AJ and our son Jaivon were best of friends in school together. He brought out something in Jaivon that no one else could and for that we will always be grateful. His smile and zest for life will be truly missed. RIP

November 13 at 8:00 PM



**Megan And Tom Easter** lit a candle in honor of Alberto "A.J.".

I am so grateful for the time I spent with A.J. at Indian River High School. Although I was the teacher I learned much from him. A.J. taught me to find joy in everyday. He was a role model when it came to having fun, dancing, and smiling. He was a delightful student, loyal friend, and loving son. A.J. will be missed by many. Love to you Angie.

November 12 at 8:00 PM





## Media

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**Watson Funeral Home & Crematorium** shared a photo to the **Megan Easter** album.

February 14 at 2:33 PM



Always the love of the party. AJ loved to dance. He gave us so much joy!



## **Memories only last if you share them**

Join us in honoring Alberto "A.J." by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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