



## Elijah C. Gustafson

September 26, 1997 - October 11, 2018

Elijah Cyrus Gustafson of Lansing passed away unexpectedly on October 11, 2018. Elijah will be greatly missed by his family and by the many lives that he touched. He was born September 26, 1997 in St. Paul, Minnesota to James H. and Laurie J. Gustafson. Elijah had a brilliant although complicated mind, very witty and full of fun banter and sarcasm.

Elijah graduated from Holt High School and was attending Lansing Community College. In high school he was in the ROTC program and was always interested in technology and computers. His passion in life was competitive PC gaming where he was known as Lazormonkey to his many online friends around the world.

He is survived by parents Laurie Gustafson and Jim (Kristin) Gustafson; sisters, Alexis, Elsie and Iliana; grandparents, James (Becky) Gustafson, Florence Gustafson and Linda (Don) Larson along with numerous aunts, uncles and cousins.

Visitation will be held Thursday, October 18, 2018, from 3:00 p.m. until the time of the closing prayer at 5:00 p.m. at the Holihan-Atkin-Barclay Funeral Home, Grand Ledge. Memorial contributions may be given, to be used according to the wishes of the family.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT 18. 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

Holihan-Atkin-Barclay Funeral Home & Cremation Services  
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## Service

OCT 18. 5:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

JD

“ *Joseph (Joey) Davidson purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Elijah C. Gustafson.*



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**Joseph (Joey) Davidson** - October 18, 2018 at 12:30 AM

JD

“ *Eli was one of my closest friends. I will hold all the memories of high school, going to Georgia, playing laser tag, and even playing Starcraft talking on Discord. He helped me a lot as a person and grow, and even helped me in my darkest times. He had an effect on others that brought people together and showed he cared in his own way. I really am gonna miss you I loved him as a brother (even tho we're not blood related I saw him as one), and a best friend. I'm so sad the demons got you, but I hope from the bottom of my heart you're at peace. For the rest of my life I will remember you. Thank you for all the amazing memories Eli, thank you for being an amazing friend.*

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**Joseph(Joey) Davidson** - October 18, 2018 at 12:05 AM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Elijah C. Gustafson.*



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October 17, 2018 at 10:02 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Elijah C. Gustafson.*



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October 17, 2018 at 09:55 PM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Elijah C. Gustafson.*



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October 17, 2018 at 08:18 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Elijah C. Gustafson.*



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October 17, 2018 at 11:22 AM



“ *My deepest sympathies to Eli's family. I was friends with Eli online. I, and our whole community, are shaken by his tragic departure which came so unexpectedly. He was easily one of my funniest friends. He was loved among our group and I very much enjoyed all the time spent with him. I will continue to pray God's peace is with everyone grieving the loss of this sharp, witty young man. Eli, you are so missed.*  
- GT

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**GT** - October 15, 2018 at 10:07 PM

LG

*Thank you GT.*

**Laurie Gustafson** - October 16, 2018 at 11:37 AM

KL

“ *My sincere condolences to cousin Jamie, Moms Kristin & Laurie, Alexis, Elsie, Iliana, and the entire family. I hadn't seen Elijah in recent years but recall his quick wit from family gatherings. I also recall how much Jamie's interactions as a Father reminded me of Uncle Jim's wonderful way with his own children when I used to babysit so, so, so long ago at Cedar Creek Apartments. My heart breaks for your loss and the gap Elijah's absence will leave in the entire family.*

*Cousin Karlene*

**Karlene Lehman** - October 15, 2018 at 09:04 AM

JG

“ *James Gustafson purchased the Lovely One Spathephyllum Plant for the family of Elijah C. Gustafson.*



**James Gustafson** - October 13, 2018 at 10:36 PM

JG

“ *Jody Gustafson lit a candle in memory of Elijah C. Gustafson*



**Jody Gustafson** - October 13, 2018 at 10:36 PM



“ *Small Garden Dish was purchased for the family of Elijah C. Gustafson.*



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October 13, 2018 at 10:21 PM