



## Brett M. Urbas

April 25, 1992 - July 30, 2015

Brett M. Urbas, of Warren, passed away on Thursday, July 30, 2015 at the age of 23. He was born to Vicki and Paul Urbas on April 25, 1992.

Brett was a Pro Inline Extreme Skater and was the drive and motivation of Modern Skate Park in Royal Oak. If it was not for this amazing young man and his family, Modern Skate Park would not exist as it is today.

He began as a naturally gifted skater that eventually became World Champion. He was loved and respected by EVERYONE that crossed his path. We need for him to live on through us by living our lives with his positive spirit.

He is the loving dad of Audrey. Beloved son of Vicki and Paul Urbas. Dear brother of Melinda (Terry) Redman, Michelle (Daniel) Livings, Jason Farnam, Sara McWherter, Paul Urbas Jr., Stephanie Urbas, Cortny McAdoo and Brandon Urbas. Loving uncle of 9 nieces and nephews. He is also survived by many loving aunts, uncles, cousins and friends.

Visitation Monday 2-8 p.m. at the Wasik Funeral Home, Inc., 11470 Thirteen Mile Road (west of Hoover) Warren.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

AUG 3. 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Wasik Funeral Home - Warren  
11470 Thirteen Mile Road  
Warren, MI 48093  
(586) 751-3131  
warren@wasikfuneralhome.com

# Tribute Wall

WA

“ To the family of Brett Urbas: Please accept my sincere sympathy for the loss of your loved one. While we don't know one another, experiencing the devastation of losing a loved one is something we all face in our lives. The Bible promises a time when "death will be no more" (Rev 21:3.4) and assures us that God hears our prayers (Ps 55:22). I hope this brings you some peace during this difficult time.

Wanda - August 08, 2015 at 10:15 AM

AA

“ I went to parker with Brett and he was my elementary bf I can't believe I am seeing this tonight I send my deepest regret as a parent and a friend he will truly be missed by many



ashly agrusa - August 06, 2015 at 11:34 PM

ML

“ The first time I met Brett he was skating of roofs over and over again until he got it right. He was always determined. There was never a dull moment with him he would always say something random or hilarious that will keep away silence. I'm happy I met Brett and the time i got to spend with him. My prayers go to his family and the fid crew. May he rest in peace and skate on in heaven

maddie laird - August 03, 2015 at 02:10 PM

SW

“ Our deepest sympathy goes out to The Entire Urbas Family . May you rest in peace Brett gone way too soon - Sincerely , Joe and Shannon Whalen & Family



Shannon Whalen - August 03, 2015 at 10:33 AM

SW

I'm sorry the spelling was wrong in my post . May you rest in peace Brett M . URBAS

Shannon Whalen - August 03, 2015 at 10:38 AM

DR

“ Dezire & Maxwell Russell lit a candle in memory of Brett M. Urbas



Dezire & Maxwell Russell - August 03, 2015 at 09:25 AM

BD

“ I'm sorry to hear the news. I saw Brett grow up and spent time teaching with him at Modern. He will be missed  
Bill Danforth

bill danforth - August 03, 2015 at 07:40 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Brett M. Urbas.*



---

August 02, 2015 at 10:03 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Brett M. Urbas.*



---

August 02, 2015 at 09:46 PM



“ *Once when I was young I went down too Brett's room sat on the floor and watched him fix his skates I wish I could've done it one last time 😞 long live Brett urbas 💕*

---

**cassidy farnam** - August 02, 2015 at 09:38 PM



“ *So very sorry to hear of your passing. My prayers go out to your family and friends. My sincerest wish is your legacy and passion for skating continues to motivate others forever. My daughter Sydney was filled with great sadness when she told me of your passing.*



---

**Melba Wright** - August 02, 2015 at 03:21 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Brett M. Urbas.



---

August 02, 2015 at 03:09 PM



“ I've known Brett since he was very little, and I've watched him grow up to become one of the best skaters anyone, anywhere has ever seen. His dedication to perfecting our craft was unparalleled. He and his dad Paul have become like family to me and I'm going to really miss Brett a lot. I wish I could say how I feel but there are no words, so I'll just say bdddddap! Let's not be sad for brett, instead lets strap our blades on and never quit! EVER

---

lj fanti - August 02, 2015 at 01:55 PM



“ Dear Paul and Vicky, my heart is so heavy hearing about the loss of your wonderful son Brett. Whenever I saw him at family events he was a happy spirited polite young man. I am praying for your family that the good Lord will help you in dealing with losing your wonderful son. With sincere love, Kathleen Cucchiara , Nick Cucchiara (Linda s sister)

---

Kathleen Cucchiara - August 02, 2015 at 11:19 AM



“ Brett will always be an inspiration to young bladers/athletes. He put his heart into what he loved to do and the people that came into his life.

---

LL - August 02, 2015 at 12:29 AM

CS

“ You are missed



---

**Carla (Farnam) Simpson** - August 01, 2015 at 09:08 PM

Lori  
Schubring

“ I didn't know Brett, but on 7/30/15, our worlds came together. I witnessed Brett's accident. I want you to know he wasn't alone. I kept close to him and put my hands on his leg. His friends and I encouraged him to fight, told him his family and friends needed him, just hold on, that he was loved...I'm so sorry I couldn't do more...



---

**Lori Schubring** - August 01, 2015 at 07:39 PM

JM

“ Brett was probably about 10 in this memory. My mom and I were at their house and we were getting ready to leave. He was getting something out of the fridge stopped came over to both of us, hugged us, and told us he loved us. It was so genuine and touching coming from such a young boy. He always showed how big his heart was. I'll never forget the genuine love he showed.

---

**Jen Myslinski** - August 01, 2015 at 06:33 PM

CG

“ *Crystal Gracz lit a candle in memory of Brett M. Urbas*



---

**Crystal Gracz** - August 01, 2015 at 04:47 PM

RS

“ *To Brett's family and friends.... We offer our thoughts, prayers, and heart-felt condolences. He was an amazing young man and will be missed by so many.*

*Sincerely, Rod & Debra Short*

---

**Rod Short** - August 01, 2015 at 03:53 PM

CD

*I just met him and my new neighbor Jeb. you seem like a real cool guy my prayers go out to his family and friends.*

---

**Carlo DiTrapani** - August 02, 2015 at 01:30 AM



*Posted on Modern site by Tim Stauber:*

*Brett I can not thank you enough for everything you did for my family and son Benjamin .... Before knowing what the world of skating was; I thought skaters and boarders were people I would not want to associate with or would not want my son to emulate or idolized ... But you Brett changed the way I felt ... You always had patients, you were caring and respectful in your teachings of my son .... The skating was only part of the lessons you taught him ... Brett I will always thank you for what you did for my son but, you also impressed me with the respect you had for my wife as you also taught her the things she needed to know as the mother of a skater ... Brett you are the kind of guy that a kid will remember forever and he will undoubtedly tell others about you for the rest of his life .... That's what you call leaving a legacy and having your name be remembered for a long time ... The sad part other than losing one of my son's idol's is, although I told you many times thank you; I never really told you how you have help Benjamin's mother and I mold our son into the athlete and all around great kid he is becoming... So for all that, I thank you sir ....*

*I'm sure this is just another story of many, of how a boy's love for big ramps, rails and half pipes brought him and his family into Brett's world and how that chance meeting changed everyone for the better; including me, and to think I once didn't want skaters and boarders to be part of my life ... Thanking God we walked into Modern just a few years ago ...*

*Like · Reply · 7 · July 31 at 10:10pm*

---

**Quincy Dee** - August 02, 2015 at 10:35 AM