



## Mason Colby Babb

May 6, 1999 - August 28, 2015

Mason Colby Babb passed away on Friday, August 28, 2015 at the age of 16. He is survived by his loving parents, Michelle Smith (Eric) and Chris Babb (Ember); a sister, Brooklyn Babb; three brothers, Dylan Babb, Logan Babb, and Parker Smith; along with a host of loving grandparents, aunts, uncles, cousins, and extended family members.

A Memorial Service will be held on Thursday, September 3, 2015 at L. A. Muhleisen & Son Funeral Home at 2607 Williams Blvd., Kenner, LA. Visitation will be held from 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. with services immediately following at 7:00 p.m. In lieu of flowers, the family asks that you consider making a donation in Mason's honor to the American Foundation of Suicide Prevention by visiting <http://afsp.donordrive.com/campaign/MasonColbyBabb>.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP 3. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

L.A. Muhleisen & Son Funeral Home  
2607 Williams Blvd  
Kenner, LA 70062  
(504) 466-8577  
info@muhleisen.com

## Memorial Service

SEP 3. 7:00 PM (CT)

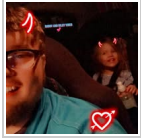
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# Tribute Wall



“ *Mason Colby Babb*

October 15, 2023 at 09:39 PM



“ *Well.....its been 1 month....we have all been missing you...your instagram comment all are to you....we also posted goodbye notes on your locker but administration kept taking them off....we still miss you... Reat easy bud...*



**Trey Guthrie** - October 05, 2015 at 07:29 PM



“ *Warren Simmons IV : Jrotc lit a candle in memory of Mason Colby Babb*



**warren simmons IV : Jrotc** - September 09, 2015 at 07:55 AM



“ *I don't how to say how much you will be missed. I have so many memories with you and your family. I will always be looking for you when the grass gets too high at your house for you to be out there mowing and never complaining. You are a blessing to us all and thank you for sharing your life with us. I look forward to seeing you when I get up there.*

**donnie stansbury** - September 04, 2015 at 11:27 AM

RW

“ Sending prayers and comfort to your family! God Bless and may God heal your pain. So sorry for your loss. R.I.P Mason another Angel in Heaven!

Renell Webre - September 04, 2015 at 10:28 AM

TE

“ Bless you all... Prayers in the loss of your beautiful son.

teresa eggerud - September 04, 2015 at 09:51 AM

DE

“ My sincerest condolences to friends and family of Mason Babb. My deepest sympathies to those grieving from this loss. (Ps. 55:22)



Dee - September 04, 2015 at 06:48 AM

AH

“ Babb I am thinking and praying for you!!!! God Bless!

Antoinette "Toni" Hartford

Antoinette Hartford - September 03, 2015 at 10:01 PM





“ Angie Granier lit a candle in memory of Mason Colby Babb



Angie Granier - September 03, 2015 at 09:00 PM



“ Ms.sharon lit a candle in memory of Mason Colby Babb



ms.sharon - September 03, 2015 at 06:32 PM



Your in my prayers may God carry you thru this difficult time.

ms.sharon - September 03, 2015 at 06:36 PM



“ Danny Draughon sent a virtual gift in memory of Mason Colby Babb



Danny Draughon - September 03, 2015 at 05:27 PM

DD

“ *Danny Draughon lit a candle in memory of  
Mason Colby Babb*



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**Danny Draughon** - September 03, 2015 at 05:26 PM

DV

“ *Your family is in our thoughts and prayers.*

*Fondly, Donna and Alice*

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**donna viviano** - September 03, 2015 at 03:25 PM

RR

“ *Mason was a joy to us and we are all so grieved, will miss him. I  
hope all his loved ones will think that maybe he would have liked the  
verse...*

*"Grieve Not,  
Nor Speak of Me With Tears,  
But Laugh And Talk of Me,  
As if I Were Here Beside You.  
I Loved You All So.....  
But to Heaven I had to go..."*

*Rob and Rona Smith Reitz*

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**Rona Reitz** - September 03, 2015 at 08:01 AM

SD

“ *Mase. I miss you. We been friends since third grade. We dated. We  
were bestfriends. Now your gone. Its hard its rilly hard. I miss you.  
Nd i hope your no longer in pain. Fly easy babe.*

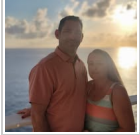
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**Sydney Doescher** - September 03, 2015 at 07:46 AM

AK

“Michelle & Eric we are so sad for you both. Mason was very young when you visited us in Destin years back. So very sorry for your loss.

Alex & Andrea Koskey - September 03, 2015 at 06:38 AM



“Words cannot explain what we are all feeling, some more than others. I just hope everyone takes a moment and reaches out to your family, near or far, and say hello if nothing else. We never know what tomorrow has to offer. My best friend and his family, no matter how mad they were at each other, always told one another "I love you". I was never the type to tell another man, I love you. As i have gotten older, I'm not scared to speak those words. I encourage you all to profess your love for one another. Try to build loved ones up instead of tearing them down. Think before you speak. I don't think that I ever told any of my nieces or nephews that I loved them and that is my fault. But I guarantee you that I will not fall short there again. Telling my sisters to say "tell the kids i love them" doesn't count. Let them hear you! Take nothing for granted, because tomorrow isn't promised. I am a work in progress, and God knows that we all are. Just try not to have the same regrets that I do. Do not let my nephews death go in vein. Love a little more and argue a little less. I love you Mason and I'm sorry that I wasn't there more. I'm sorry that I checked up on you, but I didn't check in on you. I will do better now and I will check in on you more. I'm sorry for everyone's loss, family and friends.  
R.I.P.



Jonathan Davis - September 03, 2015 at 01:35 AM

SR

“It's been a long day without you, my friend and I'll tell you all about it when I see you again.”

*This song as been playing in my mind the last few days. I'm still in shock. I will always remember you as the sweet and silly kid that I grew up with and who became the younger brother I never had. I have no doubt in my mind that you made it to Heaven. You will be missed by many and your memory will live on in the hearts of many who love you, including me. My heart and prayers go out to Brooklyn, Mrs. Michelle, Parker, Eric and the rest of your loved ones. I will see you again someday.*



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**Sara Ramos** - September 03, 2015 at 01:11 AM

DY

“Mason you are forever in my thoughts and I love u dearly. You will be very sorely missed and life will never be the same without you. You take wings and fly with the Angels



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**Diane Yokiel** - September 03, 2015 at 12:59 AM

JP

“Mason was such a kind, special person. There's no doubt in my mind that he's now an angel in heaven. We miss him and we will never forget him.



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**Joelle Perret** - September 02, 2015 at 11:27 PM

AR

“ I'm not very good with new people and Mason knew that so I'll try to say this tomorrow if I get the chance at all but if not here it goes. I'm so sorry to the Babb family that I never got to meet you. I know many people say they were close to mason but truthfully I was though that doesn't matter. I'm sorry I didn't get the pleasure I just thought I had more time though that's also not important. Just understand I'm am so thankful I got to have Mason as a bestfriend he constantly reminded me I was beautiful when I didn't feel it and we both reminded eachother we loved eachother and I'm so glad I got to have him as a part of my life. I'm sorry I didn't have more time with him but most of all I'm sorry you all didn't. He was a blessing to know and I'm very sorry for your loss. This is the hardest for you all and I'm praying every night.

Abbey Richardson - September 02, 2015 at 10:01 PM

MB

“ Mason you are forever in eric's heart. You will be missed. I will miss driving you guys everywhere.



Marie Basse - September 02, 2015 at 09:39 PM

BF

“ Prayers chris for you and your family...bee jay fennell

Bee jay fennell - September 02, 2015 at 09:22 PM

LS

“ I am so sorry for UR loss of UR son loosing a child is a parent worst nightmare and with God next to your family with faith U will pull through this You will meet again that was God's promise have faith HUGS



lesha schreiber - September 02, 2015 at 09:20 PM

PC

“ Michelle & family, you all are in our thoughts & prayers. Praying for God's love & peace to be so evident in your lives.

Paricia Coleman - September 02, 2015 at 09:14 PM

BB

“ Mason, I've been knowing you since freshmen year. I remember in Balthazar's class there was a substitute and you and Holden were messing with my boyfriend on Instagram. That was the most hilarious thing. And then last year I saw you every morning all school year and you would say a joke that would make me laugh even when I didn't want to laugh. All your corny jokes were so funny. I can't believe you are gone it seems so unreal. Just be sure to watch over us and protect us. RIP angel. We miss you more than you know. 💕💕

beverly bagby - September 02, 2015 at 09:08 PM

JW

“ Our sincere condolences to the family of Mason Babb. Please know that you have our prayers and support for the duration of your suffering after such a tragic loss. May he rest in eternal piece with God. With Love and sympathy  
Jon and Amanda Williams

Jon Williams - September 02, 2015 at 08:57 PM

AG

“ *Mason, you always had a clever joke to make or some new interesting thing you discovered the night before that you were so willing to share with anyone willing to listen. I did not know you on a very deep level, but have known you since middle school and have always appreciated how intelligent and hard working you were and that you knew we had to do what ever had to be done to be successful. We all miss you so much Mason. Rest easy.*

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**Adam Gonzalez** - September 02, 2015 at 08:40 PM



*Praying for your family in this time of need, I can't imagine losing a child . May God Bless you and your family. My heart goes out to you and your family Chris .*

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**Elaine Garcia** - September 03, 2015 at 06:36 AM

KF

“ *Hey Mason :) it's already so weird that you aren't sharing your intelligent ideas with our class, or giving me a piece of gum when every other person told me no. You always had a way of making us laugh, whether it was computers, or some game, or challenging Mr Plasse. I miss you dearly, and my heart is with your family. Please watch over us. Rest easy bud ❤️*

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**katie fisk** - September 02, 2015 at 08:39 PM

DC

“ Hey Mason. I've known you since we were little!!! :). You were the only person to invite me to their birthday parties, and I remember those parties! We played football in your front yard, and ate cake. One year, we went to laser tag and I wailed on you with friendly punches! Last summer you were my best friend. You cared enough to listen while everyone else was tired of hearing my crap. I also remember talking to you for hours and hours over the phone, just talking about anything. You always begged me for monster energy drinks, and I'd always get you one :). We saw Spider-Man together at the movies, and played goat simulator in your room! It was hilarious. I remember when you were messaging Josiah things I didn't want you to, so we wrestled over the keyboard! You were cracking me up so much. I remember staying with you at tlc just to talk, and I kept torturing you by tickling you. It was too funny. I miss you so much, my friend... I miss my friend every day. But you never fail to bring a smile to my face, even now. Things are hard. But. You stayed strong for us, and that is the least we can do for you. We love you so much Mason.

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Daphne Campo - September 02, 2015 at 08:33 PM

ML

“ Mason,

*We had some great times in ROTC. Ever since meeting you freshman year, I could tell we were going to be friends. You made my ROTC class fun, and you made PT on Fridays so much more enjoyable being able to run with you. My most memorable Friday for PT was when we ran the entire mile in step with each other. On our out of state trip we roomed together and stayed up late shining our shoes and getting our uniforms ready for the next day. You made sure everyone was shaved and hair was good, and even gave people a trim with your razor. On bus rides you would tell me about your programming, and all the coding languages you knew. I would get so confused but just listening to how interested you were in it made me happy. Sophomore year you joined the drill team and were naturally amazing at it. We'd always compare our ribbons and awards and see which others we wanted to earn before we graduated. Friday, our last conversation was about ROTC and the year to come. I miss you Mason, life really won't be the same without you. You have made an impact on my life, and school has been so weird without you.*

*Love,  
Matt*

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**Matt Lewis** - September 02, 2015 at 08:01 PM

AM

“ Mason, Where do I begin you were my best friend and I know you are in better place now and I wish you were here I love you best friend. You were amazing at J.R.O.T.C with my best friend like sister Carolyn and Fly high my handsome angel 🥂😌😍

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**Audrianna Gabrielle Maugham** - September 02, 2015 at 07:46 PM

TN

“ *Mason, it seems like it was only yesterday that you and me were laughing together. It hurts so much that your gone, but I know that I'm gonna be strong. I love you so much that no word in any language could express how I feel. There are so many memories of us, that I don't know where to start, or if I could even pick a favorite.*



*I think the one that will always stick out is when you came to me and gave me the biggest hug and called me your brother when mine was leaving for basic training. And that's what we'd always call each other, and that's what we still are.*

*I love you. Rest In Peace buddy.*

*Love, Tariq.*

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**Tariq A. Nurmohamed** - September 02, 2015 at 07:44 PM

 Alicia Hartley

“ *Mason, where do I begin? Lol We have had so many memories together and not a moment goes by where I don't think about u every single day! Landon misses you like crazy and nobody knows but me, he asked about you the other day and I didn't know what to tell him.. You loved your ROTC, and you told me and Brenna that you wanted to go to college one day to become a video game technician . you are forever always in our hearts and your family will miss and keep u in mind everyday... We love you mason Babb your not suffering anymore . Rest in peace I love you !!*

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**Alicia Hartley** - September 02, 2015 at 07:35 PM

BR

“ hey mason, it's Brenna. I just want you to know I love you with all of my heart. you were my best friend that I could always count on. every lame family reunion we never liked, and all the New Year's Eve parties , and I can't forget the waterpark, you were always my only friend there. thank you so much for being such a big part in my life, especially over this summer. It has been very hard on me since Saturday, and not a day goes by when I don't think about you. you & our memories will forever live in my heart. I love you so much. love, Brenna.



brenna - September 02, 2015 at 07:20 PM

TB

“ mason you were an awesome young man and you will be missed! I want to send prayers to your family and I will always remember you. love tammy buck and aaron buckwalter.



tammy buckwalter - September 02, 2015 at 07:16 PM

DA

“ Mason was my first freind when i move to this area and he will be missed very much




Destin Anderson - September 02, 2015 at 06:54 PM

TG

“ I just feel like all this is a nightmare that I can't wake up from 😞😞😞 I wish you could just have a second chance 🙏🙏🙏



Trey Guthrie - September 02, 2015 at 06:47 PM

  
Regena  
Jones

“ Michelle, Eric and family, my love and prayers are with you at this time. No one can tell you how you should feel. No one knows how you feel unless they have gone through losing a child. Just know that I love you and am praying for you to heal in your own way and time. May God comfort you as you go through this. Aunt Gena and Jim Jones.

Regena Jones - September 02, 2015 at 06:29 PM

TG

“ I'm sorry for your loss...Mason is a fallen cadet and won't be forgotten.I don't know him personally but we were in rotc together. May he rest in peace



Trey Guthrie - September 02, 2015 at 06:27 PM

AC

“ We did not know mason personally but he was a part of our family because his uncle is my brother in law. We are sending all our love and strength to you all especially Michelle. We may never know why this happened just know GOD has him in his arms and is holding him a little bit tighter for you all. Know that he was very loved by many and nothing or nobody can take his place. Remember all the good times. And remember how much he loved you all. GOD BLESS all of his family and friends and may you rest in eternal peace mason. Love andrea, al, Destiny, A.j and anastasia.  
Minnesota family

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**Andrea Copeland** - September 02, 2015 at 05:44 PM

MB

“ So sorry for the loss of your precious son! Prayers for comfort , strength and healing

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**Ming Beucler** - September 02, 2015 at 05:27 PM

DS

“ I am sorry for your loss. Your family is in my prayers. Darlene Santana

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**Darlene Santana** - September 02, 2015 at 05:17 PM

VB

“ I love you Mason Colby Babb



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**Victoria Burks** - September 02, 2015 at 04:37 PM

VB

“ I remember during a ROTC drill meet at school, Mason begged me to bring me a can of monster. I bring it the new day and he was so happy. The last snack I shared with him was nutty butter and he took the last one and I can't eat the entire pack on my own . I'll have to leave that one nutty butter in the pack.

Victoria Burks - September 02, 2015 at 04:37 PM

SD

“ A part of us went with you  
A part of you stayed with us  
We are forever changed  
Your life continues with us  
Your love lives on with us  
You are forever with us



*My heart is broken and I will miss him until we meet again. I love you all.*

Love,  
Aunt Stephanie

Stephanie Dambrino - September 02, 2015 at 03:45 PM

TB

“ Michelle, you and your family are in my prayers. I know I can send condolences, but it still won't take away the pain. Mason has fallen asleep in hopes of the resurrection that is yet to come and he will be reunited with the others who have gone Home. RIP Mason Love and hugs to all of you

Tania Brady - September 02, 2015 at 03:44 PM

AL

“ Michelle you & your family are in my prayers.  
I'm so sorry for ur loss! Love ya!  
Amy Radcliffe Luke



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**Amy Luke** - September 02, 2015 at 02:15 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for  
the family of Mason Colby Babb.



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September 02, 2015 at 01:51 PM

CD

“ PRAYERS FOR ALL OF YOU IN THE TIME OF NEED ,

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**CINDY DARBY** - September 02, 2015 at 01:15 PM

MW

“ Michelle and Chris and to each of your families I send my deepest  
and warm sympathies. I know there are no words that can ease  
your pain, but please know myself and many others are praying for  
you and your families during this time. Keeping you both in my  
thoughts and prayers.

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**Mindy McClain Whitten** - September 02, 2015 at 01:04 PM

HW

“ Chris and Michelle, I am so sorry to here of Mason's passing. My  
thoughts and prayers are with you and both of your families.

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**Heather Lott Welch** - September 02, 2015 at 12:37 PM

WA

“ *Im so sorry Michelle. You know how to find me. Love you. Wally Dees . Amite La*

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**wally** - September 02, 2015 at 12:17 PM

WR

“ *Mason you will be turely missed. Seen you grow up to be a kind and carrying young man. West B will not be the same. Rest in peace. Praying for the entire family.*

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**Wade Rogers** - September 02, 2015 at 12:01 PM