



Grant Neil Cherry

July 20, 1998 - February 9, 2023

Grant Neil Cherry, born July 20th, 1998, unexpectedly passed away on the afternoon of February 9th, 2023, at the age of 24 in his hometown of Montgomery, TX. Grant found his passion at a young age serving as a firefighter in the Montgomery Fire Department. He took his responsibility to protect the people in his town very seriously. Despite experiencing many sleepless nights and serving many strangers during their most traumatic moments, Grant always made an effort to work as many shifts and help as many people as he could. In his three years of service, Grant helped more people and contributed to saving more lives than most people would be able to in a lifetime. However, you would never know that if you didn't witness it firsthand; Grant was the strong silent type, and he had a habit of letting his actions speak louder than his words. He was named Most Outstanding Cadet during his fire academy, and he received the awards 100 Club Firefighter of the Year (2020), 100 Club Rookie of the Year (2021), and Montgomery Fire Department Officer's Choice Award (2020), Commissioner's Special Act Award (2020). He received the latter three awards for helping to save a victim from a house fire.

The only thing that Grant loved more than his career in the fire service was his mother, Jane Lindsay Cherry. He demonstrated this by sacrificing much of his time, energy, and plans to make sure that she was taken care of. At a time when Grant was developing a bright career as a ship captain, he abandoned that future so that he could come home to care and provide for his mother

who needed her son. And instead of just moving back in with her, he decided to also pursue another difficult career as a firefighter so that he could help others as well. Grant was the epitome of “quiet strength”, and you did not have to know him long to understand that about him. He was deeply loved, deeply respected, and he will be deeply missed.

He is survived by his mother Jane Lindsay Cherry, his father Brandt Camron Cherry, brothers Brandon William Cherry (wife Riley) and Camron Maxwell Cherry, and grandparents Neil and Joyce Fernie, William Cherry, and Katrina Rogers.

There will be a public memorial service for Grant at Lone Star Cowboy Church, Montgomery, Texas on Thursday, February 16th at 11am.

You may leave written memorials to his family at www.shmfh.com

Previous Events

Funeral Service

FEB **16**. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

Lonestar Cowboy Church
21627 Eva St
Montgomery, TX 77356

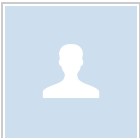
Tribute Wall



“ According to those who knew him he had so much potential, so much to live for. He was a dedicated son to his mother and a dedicated servant to the residents of Montgomery and those who were just passing through. As a Montgomery Firefighter Grant Cherry was passionate about his chosen profession as a firefighter, he was passionate about doing all he could to save the lives of those in need. There are few professions that have the bond as firefighting does. The bond is built on trust, dedication, professionalism, and valor. It says in 1 John 3:16 This is how we know what love is: Jesus Christ laid down his life for us. And we ought to lay down our lives for our brothers and sisters. Every firefighter in Montgomery had a vested interest in Grant. This is where the trust comes in, each one of them would have trusted their life on Grant and his abilities, and valor! This builds a brotherhood that only those who place their lives in the hands of others can understand. The Montgomery Fire Department will have a big void with Grant gone but they will keep on marching forward, they have to, the next tragedy waits around the corner and they will be there to serve the public.

Grant Cherry was a member of a very special group, and he excelled at it. God custom made Firefighters, they are the only living thing on earth that will willingly run into fire. Grant will be missed.
Rest in Peace Brother

Dale Jenkins - February 15, 2023 at 10:23 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Grant Neil Cherry.



February 15, 2023 at 02:47 PM



“ *Serenity Wreath was purchased for the family of Grant Neil Cherry.*



February 15, 2023 at 02:42 PM



“ *Serenity Wreath was purchased for the family of Grant Neil Cherry.*



February 15, 2023 at 01:21 PM



“ *Laurie, Megan and your Q-Centrix Team purchased the Peaceful Reflections Garden Chimney "Memories" for the family of Grant Neil Cherry.*



Laurie, Megan and your Q-Centrix Team - February 15, 2023 at 12:45 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Grant Neil Cherry.*



February 15, 2023 at 12:36 PM



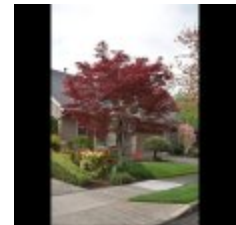
“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray* was purchased for the family of Grant Neil Cherry.



February 15, 2023 at 12:13 PM



“ *Red Leaf Japanese Maple* was purchased for the family of Grant Neil Cherry.



February 15, 2023 at 11:53 AM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray* was purchased for the family of Grant Neil Cherry.



February 15, 2023 at 11:32 AM



“ *Beautiful Heart Bouquet* was purchased for the family of Grant Neil Cherry.



February 15, 2023 at 08:56 AM

SM

“ Susan Mckinnon purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Grant Neil Cherry.



Susan Mckinnon - February 15, 2023 at 07:44 AM

JB

“ What I want to say is too hard to express simply with words. From the moment we (the entire C dock family at Walden Marina) met Grant, it was immediately apparent that he was truly a "One in a Million" soul. He was adopted by one and all; Michael & Wanda, Steve & Brandi, Aggie Steve & his crew, PJ and Sherry, Jay and his mon, English Tom, Chris, Daniel and Deb & I to name just a few.

Grant was the pure representation of what we all seek in life and yet, never seem to master. Things such as wisdom, courage, maturity, honesty and love consume daily conversations yet, are very seldom seen. While all of us certainly have heavy hearts, knowing him was an absolute blessing, a blessing that God gave us. That, my friends, lifts my heart and makes me smile a little bit. I hope this message makes you smile a bit, even a little smile would be a win in my book.

John Blue Jr.

Johh Blue - February 14, 2023 at 08:54 PM

JC

thank you.....never had the nerve to come back to this site. Appreciate the kind words.

Jane Lindsay Cherry - June 30, 2023 at 09:35 PM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Grant Neil Cherry.*



February 14, 2023 at 06:48 PM



“ *Blue Caribbean Bouquet was purchased for the family of Grant Neil Cherry.*



February 14, 2023 at 05:32 PM



“ *Ocean Breeze Spray was purchased for the family of Grant Neil Cherry.*



February 14, 2023 at 04:59 PM



“ *Elaine Maduzia purchased the Simply Elegant Sp athiphyllum for the family of Grant Neil Cherry.*



Elaine Maduzia - February 14, 2023 at 04:17 PM

YT

“ *Your Quality Team purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of Grant Neil Cherry.*



Your Quality Team - February 14, 2023 at 02:45 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Grant Neil Cherry.*



February 14, 2023 at 01:54 PM

HF

“ *HMTW Facilities purchased the Lily and Rose Tribute Spray for the family of Grant Neil Cherry.*



HMTW Facilities - February 14, 2023 at 01:47 PM

HD

“ *HMW Quality Department purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Grant Neil Cherry.*



HMW Quality Department - February 14, 2023 at 12:49 PM

MH

“ *M. Hyvl sent a virtual gift in memory of Grant Neil Cherry*



M. Hyvl - February 14, 2023 at 11:31 AM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Grant Neil Cherry.*



February 14, 2023 at 10:28 AM

FF

“ *From Your DNV Healthcare Extended Family purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Grant Neil Cherry.*



From Your DNV Healthcare Extended Family - February 14, 2023 at 08:40 AM

TS

“ *The Suomela's lit a candle in memory of Grant Neil Cherry*



The Suomela's - February 13, 2023 at 11:50 PM

DW

“ Jane I am so sorry to learn of this... I can only imagine how painful it must be to lose your son! My prayers and condolences go out to you and the family. Be steadfast and proud of all that he accomplished during his time on earth. He is with the Lord and at peace

Denene Prophet Williams - February 13, 2023 at 04:38 PM

JC

Sorry Denene that I didn't see this sooner....the past months I haven't been able to return to this site. Thank you

Jane Lindsay Cherry - June 30, 2023 at 09:35 PM

DE

“ You know Grant was my best employee, he even staid working for me after his Fire Training. He always helped the new employees and did whatever I asked.
He was the only one who could throw the cord from the store to the shore at Christmas time. I will remember him forever as a kind and hard working young man that will be missed.

Dean Einstein - February 13, 2023 at 04:19 PM