



## Christopher David Beebe

June 9, 1993 - February 21, 2011

Castleton on Hudson-Christopher David Beebe, 17, passed away suddenly at home in the early hours of Monday, February 21, 2011. Chris was a junior at Maple Hill High School, where he was an active member of the Varsity Wrestling Team, Key club, Media Club and Peer Leadership. In his short 17 years Christopher was able to touch the lives of so many with his outgoing personality and positive outlook on life. Although he is now in heaven with his beloved Pop, his love and care for everyone in his life carries on through those who were so blessed to meet him, and call him a friend. Chris was born premature, but he never let that get in the way of what he wanted to accomplish. In addition to his family, his passions included the New York Yankees, the New England Patriots and the Los Angeles Lakers.

Chris is survived by his parents, Donna and Dick Beebe, his twin sister, Caitlin and his brothers Matthew and Gerard. He also leaves to mourn his passing his beloved grandparents, Kathleen Gent, Bob and Jeanne Beebe. He is survived by his loving and fun uncles Dean Gent, Nick and Mark Beebe as well as his Aunt Laurel and special cousins Alex and Shannon. Chris was also the proud uncle of Stephen and Alex. He was predeceased by his loved Pop George Gent and his Uncle David Beebe.

A Memorial Mass will be celebrated Friday, February 25, 2011 at 10:00 am at Sacred Heart Church, Castleton; followed by an 11:00 am celebration of his

life at Maple Hill High School. All are invited to attend.

Those wishing to remember Christopher in a special way may send a contribution to Maple Hill High School to establish a memorial scholarship in his name.

To leave the family a special message on their guest book; obtain a Memory Card or directions, or share a photo or E-card with them, please visit [www.McveighFuneralHome.com](http://www.McveighFuneralHome.com)

# Previous Events

## Service

FEB **25**. 10:00 AM (ET)

Sacred Heart Church  
3 Catholic Way  
Castle-On-Hudson, NY

## Service

FEB **25**. 11:00 AM (ET)

Maple Hill High School  
1216 Maple Hill Road  
Castle-On-Hudson, NY

# Tribute Wall



“ *McVeigh Funeral Home, Inc. created a Tribute Video in memory of Christopher David Beebe*



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**McVeigh Funeral Home, Inc.** - February 21, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ *Christopher David Beebe*

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October 08, 2023 at 09:24 PM



“ *Donna, I am truly sorry to hear of Christopher's passing. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family at this difficult time.*

*Dia##imported-begin##Dia Hearn##imported-end##*

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March 03, 2011 at 03:59 PM



“ Dear Donna, Dick, Aunt Tass, Caitlyn, Matt-  
I am so sorry for your loss and wanted you to know that you have all been in our constant thoughts and prayers. Michael and Scott have also asked that I express the same for them. I wanted to attend the service on Friday but was just not emotionally able to do that yet. My memories of Christopher are of his wonderful outgoing and engaging personality. I hope that even though his life was too short that his strength and personality will help you in the days ahead. Love to all of you.##imported-begin##Marcia Card##imported-end##

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February 27, 2011 at 08:20 AM



“ Donna & Dick, Caitlin, Matthew, Gerald,

I am so sorry for the loss of Chris. We only hit one time but he appeared to be a nice young man. He was respectful and tried and that is about all I ask of anyone to try your best. He had a smile and twinkle in his eye. He seemed to enjoy just being there. I know what it is like to lose a brother, although my younger brother was 22 when he died in a plane crash. I am truly sorry for your loss. My heart and thoughts are with you. Semper Fi, John##imported-begin##John Eaton##imported-end##

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February 26, 2011 at 10:04 PM



“ Dear Donna and family-

*I am so, so sorry for your loss. My prayers go out to you.*

*Although it's difficult today to see beyond the sorrow, may looking back in memory help comfort you tomorrow. ~Author Unknown*

*Karen###imported-begin##Karen Buehler###imported-end##*

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February 26, 2011 at 05:48 PM



“ *I am so sorry for your loss.###imported-begin##Helen Wisniowski Eickhoff###imported-end##*

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February 26, 2011 at 09:21 AM



“ *Dear Dicky, My heart is with you in your grief. Life isn't fair as you well know but you will endure. Your family with keep you strong and time as always heals. With my heartfelt condolences to you and your wife. Debbie###imported-begin##Debbie Miller Brandt###imported-end##*

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February 25, 2011 at 10:10 PM



“ Dear Beebe Family,  
Christopher has left an indelible mark on our lives. You can be proud to be called his parents. He could light up a room with his smile and great attitude on life. I am so lucky t have had the pleasure to have worked with him as his teaching assistant. He was so proud when he passed a test in a difficult subject. He always tried harder at everything and never gave up. Everyone should learn from his work ethic and push themselves just a little bit harder to achieve what they want. He is up in heaven now telling God how to run things and I bet he gets his way. I will now consider him my personal angel that will look after me. My family and I will never forget Chris. Until we meet again.  
Love Irene Skalij###imported-begin###Irene Skalij###imported-end##

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February 25, 2011 at 06:14 PM



“ We remember Chris with fondness. Our prayers are with the family during this difficult time###imported-begin###Sven and Elvi Nygard###imported-end##

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February 25, 2011 at 01:49 PM



“ Dear Donna , Caitlin , Matt and Dick ,  
I am so sorry for your loss . I always loved being with Chris and watching him live his life to the fullest. He was an inspiration to all of us ! On behalf of the entire " JMU 4 Kids family " if there is anything we can do to help or to continue the celebration of Chris' life please let me know .

Joe Urschel###imported-begin###Joe Urschel###imported-end##

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February 25, 2011 at 01:05 PM



“ To the Beebe, Gent families, Chris has held a special place in our hearts for many years. If you ever needed a smile you could depend on Chris to help you get one. The "Hey Mr. or Mrs. Laurin" with his hand wave will be forever in our memory. Most people cannot accomplish in their lifetime what Chris accomplished in his seventeen years. Great Job Chris! We love you.##imported-begin##The Laurin Family##imported-end##

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February 24, 2011 at 08:03 PM



“ Dick, Donna and Family

Words can not express how sorry I am for your loss. Chris is with the Lord now and surrounded by love.##imported-begin##Jill Boswell Delaney##imported-end##

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February 24, 2011 at 03:47 PM



“ You are in our thoughts and prayers. I hope you find comfort in this passage, which has helped us through some difficult times.

*All is Well*

*Henry Scott Holland • 1847-1918*

*Canon of St. Paul's Cathedral*

*Death is nothing at all. I have only slipped away into the next room. I am I, and you are you. Whatever we were to each other, that we still are.*

*Call me by my old familiar name, speak to me in the easy way which you always used. Put no difference in your tone, wear no forced air of solemnity or sorrow.*

*Laugh as we always laughed at the little jokes we enjoyed together. Pray, smile, think of me, pray for me.*

*Let my name be ever the household word that it always was, let it be spoken without effect without the trace of a shadow on it.*

*Life means all that it ever meant. It is the same as it ever was; there is unbroken continuity. Why should I be out of mind because I am out of sight? I am waiting for you, for an interval, somewhere very near, just round the corner.*

*All is well.##imported-begin##Linda Meyer##imported-end##*

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February 24, 2011 at 11:46 AM



“ Donna, Dick and family. Christopher and you will be in our prayers. God must have needed another angel, I hope your angel helps heal your pain.

*Nancy Carey Cassidy & Family##imported-begin##Nancy Carey Cassidy##imported-end##*

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February 24, 2011 at 11:46 AM



“ Dear Dick and Donna, Dean and Laural, Aunt Tass, Please accept our most heart felt sorrow at Christophers passing. Although we didn't see him often, we both have fond memories of our time together with him. His spirit was the strongest we have seen. That spirit is what will keep him (and all of you) in our thoughts and prayers. I'm sorry we're not in town to help you through this most difficult time. Rich, Elaine and family##imported-begin##Rich and Elaine Braunfels##imported-end##

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February 24, 2011 at 11:10 AM



“ I am so sorry for your loss.##imported-begin##A mom##imported-end##

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February 24, 2011 at 10:38 AM



“ My sincere condolences go out to you and your entire family for your loss.##imported-begin##Donna Perry##imported-end##

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February 24, 2011 at 10:25 AM



“ I used to work with Caitlin and am truly sorry for your loss. May God bless you and your family in this time of sorrow.##imported-begin##Rich Van Apeldoorn##imported-end##

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February 24, 2011 at 08:57 AM



“ Chris Fly with the angels, you are a very special person, you touch everyones heart, you may be gone but NEVER FORGOTEN!!!!!! Keep us all smiling. my thoughts and prayers are with you all.. you have a great kid.##imported-begin##Mrs Kolb##imported-end##

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February 24, 2011 at 08:48 AM



“ Chris was an absolute joy to be around. He always brought a smile to our faces when he would come in to visit us in the main office. My thoughts and prayers are with your family during this most difficult time.##imported-begin##Lisa Nichols##imported-end##

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February 24, 2011 at 07:58 AM



“ Dear Beebe Family and Friends-  
We are so very sorry to hear of Chris' passing. While we no longer live right in the Maple Hill Community Alycia spent her early school years with Caitlin and Chris and has fond memories of Chris' spirit and sense of humor! Please take comfort in knowing that he is a young man who will not soon be forgotten as his spirit will live on in many people's memories! Take care of each other and may god bless all of you! The Appelbaum Family##imported-begin##Appelbaum Family##imported-end##

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February 24, 2011 at 07:31 AM



“ My sincere condolences to you all for your immeasurable loss. May God's love bring you strength. Sending prayers.##imported-begin##Paula Johnson##imported-end##

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February 24, 2011 at 06:07 AM