



Dillon Scott Kluttz

August 28, 1992 - January 11, 2019

Dillon Scott Kluttz, 26, of Rockwell, NC entered the arms of our Heavenly Father after suffering from addiction and depression for several years, on January 11, 2019 at his residence.

Born August 28, 1992 in Rowan County, NC he was the son of Michael Scott Kluttz and Amy Kent Kluttz. He was a graduate of West Rowan High School Class of 2010 and worked with his father as a machinist at Piedmont Alloy, Inc.

Dillon enjoyed running in high school on the cross-country team. He attended Southern Wesleyan University for a year. He enjoyed the beach and surfing, spending time with his son, and was avid about fitness and working out for his health.

Dillon accepted Christ as Savior at the age 12.

Preceding his in death was his grandfather, Bobby Lee Kluttz and grandmother, Joyce Kent.

In addition to his parents, Michael and Amy, Dillon is survived by his son, Brayden Lee Royston; sister, McKayla Kluttz; grandmother, Betty Threadgill; grandfather, Max Kent; and the mother of his son, Brooke Royston.

The family will receive friends from 4:30 PM – 6:45 PM, Thursday (Jan. 17) at First Reformed Church of Landis Fellowship Hall with the memorial service beginning at 7 PM, conducted by Pastor David Franks.

Romans 8:38-39 states "For I am convinced that neither death nor life, neither angels nor demons, neither the present nor the future, nor any powers, neither

height nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God that is in Christ Jesus our Lord.”

In lieu of flowers, the family request that memorial donations be made to the First Reformed Church of Landis 210 N. Central Ave Landis, NC 28088 to be placed in trust account for Dillon’s son, Brayden.

Summersett Funeral Home is serving the Kluttz family. Online condolences may be made at www.summersettfuneralhome.com.

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 17. 4:30 PM - 6:45 PM (ET)

First Reformed Church
Landis, NC

Memorial Service

JAN 17. 7:00 PM (ET)

First Reformed Church
Landis, NC

Tribute Wall

DM

“ Our kids went to Sunday School together. We understand the agony of watching your child suffer with addiction and depression. Our thoughts and prayers are with you Mike and Amy.

Debbie Martin - January 18, 2019 at 10:03 AM

HH

“ Praying for comfort and peace for all the family. Warmly remembering Dillon whose presence remains in thoughts and prayers and as a great swim teammate and athlete. Our deepest condolences..Hannah Hawkins/& all of RAC.



Hannah Hawkins - January 18, 2019 at 09:59 AM

BD

“ He went to school with my grandsons. You have my sincere condolences . May your hearts be filled with good memories of childhood. God hold you in his arms. My prayers to you .

Bernice Davis - January 17, 2019 at 01:25 PM

SI

“ Shannon, Jenny,Jose & Chris @ Patriot Insurance purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Dillon Scott Kluttz.



Shannon, Jenny,Jose & Chris @ Patriot Insurance - January 17, 2019 at 01:23 PM



“ *Simply Chic Mixed Plant Basket was purchased for the family of Dillon Scott Kluttz.*



January 16, 2019 at 11:34 PM



“ *So sorry for your loss, all loved one are in my thoughts and prayers, May God grant you all comfort and strength for the days to come.*
Tony McLeoud and Kathy



Emma Katherine Christopher - January 16, 2019 at 03:14 AM



“ *Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of Dillon Scott Kluttz.*



January 15, 2019 at 10:34 PM



“ *So sorry for your loss. We first met Dillon and his parents at Halls Gym where they played basketball. Very young age because that was our son, Dylan's first sport. They became friends all through school. May God bless and hold you during this time.*
Sincerely, Randy and Mary Ann Whitley

Randy and Mary Ann Whitley - January 15, 2019 at 09:57 PM

BG

Dear Amy and Mike, I pray that God gives you that PEACE THAT surpasses ALL UNDERSTANDING. I am so sorry for your loss.

Bev Gaston - January 16, 2019 at 08:05 PM

GR

“ *Gratia.Alley lit a candle in memory of Dillon Scott Kluttz*



Gratia.Alley - January 15, 2019 at 04:33 PM

SJ

“ *Sara And Bob Jarvis sent a virtual gift in memory of Dillon Scott Kluttz*



Sara and Bob Jarvis - January 15, 2019 at 01:28 PM

SJ

“ *Sara And Bob Jarvis lit a candle in memory of Dillon Scott Kluttz*



Sara and Bob Jarvis - January 15, 2019 at 01:26 PM

 Judy Klusman

“ Dear Kluttz family. My deepest condolences on the death of your son. I can't imagine the pain you are going through and you all will be in my prayers.

Thank you for your courage of sharing how Dillon died. Your strength to share will help other families to do the same and help educate the public about the reality of how pervasive the drug problem is in Rowan County. I am so grateful you shared. My thoughts and prayers are with you all.

*Judy Klusman
County Commissioner*

Judy Klusman - January 15, 2019 at 12:13 PM

BI

“ Dillon, you touched the lives of all who had the privilege of knowing you, your son, Brooke Royston and your entire beautiful family in a most meaningful way. Your smile, your appearance of joy and your courteous personality were contagious. Your presence would light up the room. You and your family will always be loved. With deepest sympathy, Bob and Opal Ingram .

Bob and Opal Ingram - January 15, 2019 at 11:32 AM

RH

“ My heart simply breaks for your family. Dillon was one of the sweetest souls and had the most beautiful eyes. I can't imagine your pain and how much you and so many others will miss him. I'm praying for God to wrap his arms and love around you and to hold you up in the coming days. Praise God that he was saved and you will be reunited. Love and hugs to you all.

Robin Huden - January 15, 2019 at 09:35 AM

CH

Dillon was not only my 1 cousin but best friend we grew up together one 1.5 years about he was the only good person. That I could be around and make me smile... his death has really effected me because I lost a brother and bestfriend... dillo. If your seeing me from above be my angel guardian because I don't think I could possibly ever heal from this but after around 2 years I miss him every day... I love you Dillo keep your arms around me and guide me bc I need you

Cole harrell - March 09, 2022 at 03:52 AM

TH

“ *Dillon was part of a lot of great memories for me as a teenager. We went to the same youth group and even shared an interest in skateboarding where we would go to the YMCA's skatepark on the weekends.*

He always knew how to make people laugh and I regret not spending more time with him while he attended Southern Wesleyan University during my Junior year. Prayers are lifted for the Kluttz family as I have always known them to be a loving and wonderful group of people.

Travis Hayes - January 15, 2019 at 09:31 AM

JH

“ *I did not know your son. However, I applaud your courage to tell the truth about his death. Addiction and mental health are two things our community is fighting everyday. I don't think people realize the lack of services in our county for these issues. God bless your family. I hope you find peace and comfort knowing your precious son is in the arms of Jesus.*

Jackie Harris, Rowan County United Way

Jackie Harris - January 15, 2019 at 09:15 AM

RN

“ Mike and Amy, my heart breaks for you and the entire family. You will be in my thoughts and prayers in the coming days and weeks.
Roxie Neal

Roxanne Neal - January 15, 2019 at 09:01 AM



“ Ocean Breeze Spray was purchased for the family of Dillon Scott Kluttz.



January 15, 2019 at 07:33 AM

GS

“ My heart breaks every time of I think of this handsome young man not being here anymore. I have known Dillon since he was at NHCS. He always had a smile, running, laughing and always made me smile just to look at him. He had a presence about him that I adored, a carefree little boy full of energy. I saw him through out his years, always the same...I look at this picture and see that little boy who is no longer with us but he has gone on to Heaven where the struggles are no more. Dillon you may not be here on earth, but you will never be forgotten.

Gail Stokes - January 14, 2019 at 05:57 PM

TH

“ I remember when we were drawing names at the church for young adults to pray for. I drew Dillon's name. Dillon was about the same age as my oldest son Nick so it was easy to be excited about praying for Dillon. It was always easy to pray for Dillon it was as if I was praying for my own children. I remember taking a drive up near Hickory/Asheville to watch Dillon's cross country meet. Boy did that bring back memories. Most important was the enthusiasm that Dillon had about running. He looked tired at the end of the race, much like all the kids did, but, when Dillon finished he was just smiling so proudly that he had given his all. Dillon's smile was contagious and you could definitely see the reflections of both Mike and Amy in his appearance.



I love the Klutz family and I love Dillon as my own son. He is now surrounded by many beautiful people and share peace without understanding. Ohhhh how beautiful that is.

tim Harper - January 14, 2019 at 05:38 PM

EM

“ I remember Dylan as a sweet young boy when we went to church together in Salisbury. He was always polite and had that shy smile. My own nephew, Jonathan, struggled with emotional illness so horribly that he finally succumbed to an overdose. I hope that Dylan and Jonathan get to meet in heaven. They will like each other and they are now free...free indeed. Sending love to Mike, Amy and McKayla. Evelyn Brown Marshall

Evelyn Marshall - January 14, 2019 at 05:37 PM

RB

“ Mike, Amy & Family,
We give you our Deepest Sympathy during this difficult time you are going through at this time. We are so sorry to hear of the Very Hard and Long Struggle that Dillion has been Trying to Deal with. Unfortunately, We have had to deal with a simular situation of what you all have been going thru~But, would not be able to fathom the thought of loosing a child, as you are going through~~♥ We pray God will surround you and hold you up with His Strength and Surround you with His Peace♥Like No One Else Can Do~~Know we are and will continue to Pray for you and yours,
God Be With You All & Bless You,
Rick & Loretta Y Bogle

Rick & Loretta Bogle - January 14, 2019 at 05:30 PM

SH

“ I would like to send my condolences to Dillon's family, his son, Brooke and friends. I was a neighbor briefly on Carolina Blvd. I am sorry to hear of his passing. I pray for comfort and strength during this time.

Stephanie (Beck) Husers & Peighton Husers

Stephanie Beck Husers - January 14, 2019 at 05:03 PM

JR

“ *Dillon was a kind soul. He is the father of my beautiful grandson Brayden. I had a rough time after rotator cuff surgery and he did a lot of yard work for me in 95 degree heat without being asked to and would not take money for doing it. We were both hoping to play basketball together again when I recovered. Sadly we won't have that chance. But Brayden and me are gonna ball like crazy when he is a little older. I don't care how hold I am. I am going to plant a tree in my yard for Dillon to remind me of how kind we was to me. God bless you son and hold you tight. Love you Dillon. Wish I would have said that before now.* ”



Jeff Royston - January 14, 2019 at 04:11 PM

AY

“ *Angela Yates lit a candle in memory of Dillon Scott Klutz* ”



Angela Yates - January 14, 2019 at 03:53 PM

EF

“ *I will never forget the Duathlon at South Y..and hear comes Dylan flying pass me towards the finish...that kid could run like the wind..and was very humble about it afterwards..Godspeed to Dylan and all of the family !!!!* ”

Edward Frye - January 14, 2019 at 03:21 PM

RS

“ I’ve know Dylan since he was about 10 yrs of age, and always thought he was a good kid and fine young man. About two years ago he asked if he could ride to church with me in Charlotte on a particular Sunday morning. We had a great talk on the way down. He shared about his struggle and how much he wanted to overcome it. He told me he loved the service that morning. I dropped him off at McKayla’s apartment in North Charlotte on the way home. Dylan expressed to me how much he wanted to live for Christ, and how much he loved his parents and sister. He said it hurt him to know that he had caused his Mom & Dad a lot of pain and worry.

Several months later I saw him in Rockwell and gave him a ride to his house. Again we talked for a few minutes and I encouraged him to keep fighting. I believe Dylan wanted to do the right thing and live for God, and am deeply saddened by the struggle that ended his life here on earth. I’m so thankful for a God of grace, love and mercy that knew Dylan’s heart, and his struggle. I’m praying for his family today.

Ron Scruggs - January 14, 2019 at 02:06 PM

RH

“ Ric Hodge purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Dillon Scott Kluttz.



Ric Hodge - January 14, 2019 at 01:30 PM