



Olivia Nevaeh Andrews

August 25, 2008 - November 16, 2022

Olivia “Livi” Neveah Andrews, 14, of Independence, Kansas passed away after a hard-fought battle on Wednesday, November 16, 2022 at home with her family by her side. She was born on August 25, 2008 to Deedra Bright-Phillippi and Jackson Andrews in Chanute, Kansas.

A loving, selfless girl, Olivia was always thinking of others before herself. Her friends and family were of the utmost importance to her. She grew up attending Chanute and Cherryvale schools, though her illness rendered her an online student through the Humboldt Virtual program. She was a member of Crystalbrook Church in Independence, Kansas.

In May of 2021, Olivia was diagnosed with an aggressive brain tumor. Her battle began and she fought valiantly. However, in March of 2022 she was given the unfortunate news that her condition would not be one to improve. This didn’t stop her bravery and selfless acts. She began a “bucket list” of things she wanted to do. During this time, she and her family went to Royals games – where she was recognized as the “Fan of the game”, the Butterfly Palace in Branson and then during trips to Memphis for her treatments, she and her family would put bags together for the homeless to provide them with just a little something to brighten their day. Olivia was constantly documenting events and special times in her life and like many other teenagers enjoyed her Tik-Toks and social media.

Olivia's fighting spirit and compassionate heart touched many in her fourteen years as an angel on Earth and she will now watch over her family as an angel in Heaven.

She is survived by:

Her mother, Deedra Bright-Phillippi and step-father Bradley Phillippi of Independence, Kansas

Her father, Jackson Andrews of Wichita, Kansas

Sisters:

Faith Holt of Cherryvale, Kansas

Makenzie Johnson of Independence, Kansas

Lily Phillippi of Independence, Kansas

Jaylee Maggard of Coffeyville, Kansas

Alexia Miller of Coffeyville, Kansas

Esleigh Tracy of Wichita, Kansas

A brother, Hurley Trayler of Wichita, Kansas

Grandmother Elizabeth Phillips of Chanute, Kansas

And Grandmother Shryl Stewart of Coffeyville, Kansas.

She was preceded in death by:

Uncle Darren Bright

Grandfather Bennie Bright

Grandfather Jack Andrews

Great-grandmother Kathleen Zdziembariski

And great-grandparents Fred and Frankie Bright.

Memorial contributions have been suggested to St. Jude's Children's Hospital or to the family and may be left with or mailed to the funeral home.

The family will receive friends and relatives for a visitation on Tuesday,

November 22, 2022 at Countryside Funeral Home in Chanute, Kansas from 6-8 pm.

Funeral service will be held on Wednesday, November 23, 2022 at 1:00 pm at the First Presbyterian Church in Chanute, Kansas.

A private family burial will take place at a later date.

Online condolences can be left at www.countrysidefh.com. Services entrusted to Countryside Funeral Home, 101 N. Highland, Chanute, Kansas 66720.

Cemetery Details

Memorial Park Cemetery

E.. 14th St.
Chanute, KS 66720

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV **22**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Countryside Funeral Home - Johnson Chapel
101 N. Highland
Chanute, KS 66720
(620) 431-1220
<https://www.countrysidefh.com>

Service

NOV **23**. 1:00 PM (CT)

First Presbyterian Church Chanute
15 N. Steuben
Chanute, KS 66720

Tribute Wall



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Olivia Nevaeh Andrews.*



November 22, 2022 at 07:04 PM



“ *Shryl I remember her at the park when she ran to give me and Kayden a hug and kiss on the cheek. Also when you took her to little house. She was so sweet, beautiful and kind. The two of you shared so much love. Now she and Kayden are both in Heaven with their Angel wings. I am so sorry for your lost.*



Portia Huntley - November 22, 2022 at 08:14 AM



“ *Fly high sweet girl ❤️ You will be forever missed*



Amber Morse - November 19, 2022 at 07:54 PM

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“ *Amber Morse lit a candle in memory of Olivia Andrews*



Amber Morse - November 19, 2022 at 07:45 PM

SW

“ *Rest in LOVE sweet girl until We all see you again. Love you always.
Bill, Suzie, Jake and Barret Wunderlich*

Sue Wunderlich - November 19, 2022 at 04:24 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Olivia Nevaeh Andrews.*



November 19, 2022 at 02:22 PM

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“ *You inspired so many people. You fought hard now your in no more pain. Fly high Olivia*

Nichole Ga - November 18, 2022 at 09:12 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Olivia Nevaeh Andrews.*



November 18, 2022 at 08:10 PM



“ *Emma Hole lit a candle in memory of Olivia Andrews*



Emma Hole - November 18, 2022 at 03:37 PM



“ *10 files added to the tribute wall*



Emma Hole - November 18, 2022 at 03:37 PM