



# William Hayes

**Jerseyville | Saturday, September 20 2014**

**DATELINE:** Jerseyville

**NAME:** William “Will” Alan Hayes

**AGE:** 9

**DIED:** 6:40 p.m. Saturday, September 20, 2014 at St. Louis Children’s Hospital, surrounded by his family after a sudden illness.

**BORN:** September 29, 2004 in Alton



Will attended the 4<sup>th</sup> grade at Jerseyville East Elementary School. He loved to play baseball and football with his friends, he treasured the hours spent fishing with his Papi and enjoyed cooking up something in the kitchen. An active interest in how the world went together, Will loved to build with Legos, and to help out on projects, earning the title of “project manager” from his family. Most important to Will, was the time he spent just being the “Big Brother” to his brothers and cousins and the time he spent with his family. He loved to go on family vacations, with his dream to someday move to Florida so he could sell snow-cones on the beach. Always smiling, always happy, Will made everyone’s life he touched better and the world will miss him.

**VISITATION :** 4-8 p.m. Wednesday, September 24, 2014

At Alexander & Gubser Funeral Home in Jerseyville

**FUNERAL:** 10:00 a.m. Thursday, September 25, 2014

At First Assembly of God in Jerseyville

**OFFICIANT:** Rev. Carl Hayes

**BURIAL:** Oak Grove Cemetery in Jerseyville

**MEMORIALS:** In Lieu of Flowers, Memorial to Family in care of the Funeral Home

*SURVIVORS*

**PARENTS:** Jeffrey & Samantha (Davis) Hayes of Jerseyville

**BROTHER:** Andrew & Chase Hayes of Jerseyville

**GRANDPARENTS:** Richard & Deborah Hayes of Brighton, IL and Marcella Davis of Jerseyville, IL.

**GREAT-GRANDPARENTS:** Patricia Ezell of Doniphan, Mo. and Jim & Rosie Hayes of Arcadia, FL.

**AUNTS:** Kayla (Hayes) & Peter Greenberg and Kristina Davis

**COUSINS:** Isabella & Calvin Greenberg

**PRECEDED IN DEATH BY:** Great-Grandfathers: Louis Ezell and Fred Davis