



## Anthony J. Glusko

June 24, 1996 - February 15, 2020

It is with an exceptionally heavy heart that we communicate the passing of Anthony Jean Glusko, 23, on Saturday, February 15, 2020. Anthony was stubborn, indecisive, and a great debater. He was nerd – a real honest to God nerd - one that had a Star Wars tattoo on his back. He loved procrastinating. He spent Sunday nights in high school finishing projects that were due the previous week. And yet, he was loved by everyone that met him. Anthony was exceptional. He was smart, kind, and respectful of whoever he met. He was a vibrant young man with a passion for rocketry. Anthony was very involved in community through Boy Scouts, achieving the highest rank of Eagle Scout. He spent countless hours volunteering and was active in his school community. A band geek and Dungeons-and-Dragons player, Anthony spent weekends building rockets and playing strategy games with his friends. He attained his Bachelors in Mechanical Engineering from Penn State University and was working towards finishing his masters in Mechanical Engineering with a focus in thermal-fluids. Anthony was an active student leader in Model United Nations and was a part of the National Rocket Association. After graduating, he got a job as an assistant research scientist for Combustion Research and Flow Technologies, Inc in Pipersville PA. Anthony always looked to the sky. He dreamed of either being a Navy pilot or working for a rocket company. His memory will live on through The Gift of Life- in a liver, a pancreas, two lungs, two kidneys, and a heart that will be woven into the fabric of others and allow them the opportunity to give of themselves to the world. He was a little boy

who loved trains, cranes, and rockets... a young man who soared as an eagle in scouting, a son, a brother, and a friend. The world will benefit from his donation of time and self.

He is preceded in death by his father, George Glusko. In addition to his mother, Priscilla, and sister, Jeaneatte, Anthony is survived by his brothers George and Jonathan, and sisters Lisa, Heather, and Stephanie; as well as seven nephews and three nieces. His family will hold a scripture service on Wednesday, February 19, 2020 at Holy Name of Jesus Church at 4pm, followed by a Celebration of Life at Tall Cedars of Lebanon (off Jonestown Road) at 5pm. In lieu of flowers the family requests donations may be made in memory of Anthony to Boy Scouts of America, Penn State Harrisburg Counseling Services or Model UN, Penn State Harrisburg, 777W. Harrisburg Pike, W110 Olmstead, Middletown PA 17057. Checks made payable to Penn State Harrisburg and designated towards Counseling Service or Model UN.

The Musselman Funeral Home is Honored to Serve the Glusko Family. 324 Hummel Avenue, Lemoyne, PA 17043.

[www.musselmanfuneral.com](http://www.musselmanfuneral.com)

# Previous Events

## Service

FEB **19**. 4:00 PM (ET)

Holy Name of Jesus Church  
6150 Allentown Blvd  
Harrisburg, PA 17112

# Tribute Wall

JB

“ Dear Glusko family,

*Anthony and I attended martial arts school together. He was my sparring partner, and I always looked forward to working with him. We often had conversations after class, and this gave me the opportunity to acquaint myself with a fine young man. It was a pleasure to get to know him. I, as do others here, miss him very much. I will not forget him.*

*My sincere condolences,*

*Jeff Brems  
Doylestown, PA*

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**Jeff Brems** - February 28, 2020 at 12:25 PM

DE

“ Priscilla- my heart goes out to you! Even at this difficult time, you are not alone. We care about you and hold you close in heart and wish you peace. Denise

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**Denise** - February 24, 2020 at 06:08 AM

JR

“ Priscilla my heart goes out to you. I cannot imagine the heartbreak you are going through. Please know my thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. I love you, Joan (Pugh) Rigby

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**Joan Rigby** - February 20, 2020 at 07:05 PM

HE

“ *Glusko family,*

*Although we've never met, our heartfelt prayers are extended to all of you. We are so very sorry for your loss. It is our prayer for the Lord to bring the peace the passes all understanding into your hearts and for His grace and mercy to envelop you.*

*The Benders*

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**Heather** - February 20, 2020 at 08:49 AM

AH

“ *I worked closely with Anthony in his undergraduate years with his rocket project and more recently with MUN and IAA. He was so kind, driven and hardworking. A true model student. I always looked forward to meeting with Anthony. I will truly miss him being on campus and stopping into say hi and talking with him for sometimes hours. My heart truly and deeply aches for the Glusko Family. Sending love, prayers and support in this difficult time.*

*Andrea Hoerner  
Penn State Harrisburg*

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**Andrea Hoerner** - February 19, 2020 at 10:52 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Anthony J. Glusko.*



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February 19, 2020 at 07:58 AM

JV

“ I am shocked and saddened at the passing of Anthony. I remember him as a beautiful, bright young man who always offered to help out whenever needed. Got to know him through Scouting in which he was in the troop with my son. My heart breaks for you, Priscilla and family. Thoughts and prayers are with you at this difficult time.

*Joann, Luis, and Tyler Villegas*

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**Joann Villegas** - February 19, 2020 at 06:15 AM

MC

“ My dearest Anthony words alone can't begin to express the pain that is in my ❤️ right now. I miss your beautiful smile and the fact that I will never hear those three simple words “Hi Mrs Clark” that brought a smile to my face. I have always said you were my adopted son, the bond between you and Jonathan could not be any stronger than if you shared the same blood he has truly lost a brother. Thank you for the love and friendship you have show to so many. You have gone from our sight way to soon but you will never be gone from our hearts. I will now say goodbye but that we will see each other again remember to save me a seat at Our Lords Table. Priscilla my thoughts and prayers are with you, Jeannette and the family. Friends forever. FLY HIGH ANTHONY



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**Mrs Clark** - February 19, 2020 at 05:45 AM



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February 18, 2020 at 11:10 PM

RC

“ Priscilla, you and your family are in the hearts and minds of the Advanced Office Environments (AOE) family. Our sincere condolences on the passing of your son. We all offer our thoughts, prayers and well-wishes to help you through these challenging times. We have donated in Anthony’s name to the Boy Scouts of America so his memory will live on in the future leaders that he inspired by his achievement of becoming an Eagle Scout.

RICHARD CUSTER - February 18, 2020 at 02:57 PM

BW

“ Priscilla, Brother Bob sent me the sad news about Anthony. I don't think Roger & I ever met him, but he sounds like a great guy. I'm sorry he was taken from the family at such a young age, and I pray that our loving God will wrap His arms around you and strengthen you during this time of grieving. May the memories you and the family have of him sustain you. Warm regards, Barbara (Kessler) Wesby, Staten Island

Barbara K Wesby - February 18, 2020 at 02:45 PM



“ Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Anthony J. Glusko.



February 18, 2020 at 02:45 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Anthony J. Glusko.*



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February 18, 2020 at 12:47 PM



“ *Anthony you were always like a little brother to me. I can't think of many moments growing up or any important moments where I saw Jonathan without you. You have always been a part of my family and then when I had kids you were part of their lives as well. You cared for them you looked out for them and whenever possible you involved them. You were there for Mikki and Waze I could never thank you for. You even became such a wonderful part of my husband's life. We will always be loved and never forgotten.*

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**jenny morales** - February 18, 2020 at 08:33 AM



“ *Dr. Clem Gilpin, Founder and Director of PSHMUN purchased the Sweet Tranquility Basket for the family of Anthony J. Glusko.*



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**Dr. Clem Gilpin, Founder and Director of PSHMUN** - February 18, 2020 at 08:10 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Anthony J. Glusko.*



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February 17, 2020 at 08:40 PM



“ *So very difficult to believe. My heart and sympathy go to Priscilla, Jeanette and the family. Anthony was such a kind and lovable person. Sentences two through six in his obituary describe him so well. I am enriched for having known him. God Bless You Anthony and thank you for allowing your life to change the lives of so many people for the better.*  
*Gemma Phillips*

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**Gemma P** - February 17, 2020 at 07:16 PM



“ *Combustion Research and Flow Technology, Inc. purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Anthony J. Glusko.*



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**Combustion Research and Flow Technology, Inc.** - February 17, 2020 at 07:02 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Anthony J. Glusko.*



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February 17, 2020 at 06:32 PM

NS

“ My heart is so very very heavy hearing this sad news. I just can not believe this sweet boy has passed. My prayers for strength and peace go out to the entire family. I will always remember his days at Holy Name! God bless

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**Nancy Staffaroni** - February 17, 2020 at 06:30 PM

MW

“ When Jonathan couldn't be there for me due to him being in the military. Anthony told me he will always be there for me when Jon can't. He took me to dinner several times and helped me get through incredibly tough times. Even though he is no longer here in physical form I still believe that Anthony will always be there for me. I'm so great full for the time we did spend together and growing up with him looking at him and Jon as my older brothers. They both taught me so much.

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**Mikki Wittman** - February 17, 2020 at 06:17 PM

TA

“ A set of memories I will always keep close to heart Is all of the cookouts and parties. Seeing Anthony every time never failed to make me smile. We would always play in the pool and swim around. The most memorable time was when Jonathan him and I were all floating around on the floats. I have countless of memories watching him and my uncle mess around. Ever since I was born he was there. My heart is broken for his family I love you all.

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**Tynase Arnal** - February 17, 2020 at 06:15 PM



“ *My deepest condolences to Priscilla and the Glusko family. Anthony was a delight to know through my own children and a true friend to them. He will truly be missed.*

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**Shelley Tuzzato** - February 17, 2020 at 05:38 PM