



Jerick "Hutch" Hutchinson

July 3, 1977 - January 9, 2022

Jerick "Hutch" Payeton Hutchinson, age 44, passed away January 9th, 2022, at his home in Fayetteville, Arkansas. Jerick was born July 3rd, 1977, in Fayetteville, Arkansas, to Frank and Joyce Hutchinson. Jerick was born with the spiritual gifts of 1 Corinthians 13:4-7. He knew how to love, was patient, kind, selfless, loyal, and truly cherished his family, friends, and Huntsville School family. He provided a helping hand to more people than we will ever know.

Jerick graduated from Fayetteville High School in 1995. While attending the University of Arkansas, he was a member of Alpha Gamma Rho, graduating with an undergraduate degree, BS of Poultry Science, and a master's degree in AgriScience and Technology. Jerick was the Agriculture Teacher at Huntsville High School from 2003 until the present. He was the Trap Team Coach with three state team titles, Future Farmers of America (FFA), involved with the Madison County Fair, the District Fair in Berryville, and the Arkansas State Fair.

Jerick was preceded in death by his dad, Payeton Franklin Hutchinson. His maternal grandparents, Ed and Maydean Williams. His paternal grandparents, Pate and Margurite Hutchinson. His grandmother-in-law, Thelma Hughes (Granny Donuts).

Jerick leaves behind to cherish his memory, the love of his life, Stephanie Hagan Hutchinson. Jerick and Stephanie have known each other since they were fourteen years old. They were married on August 30th, 2003, sharing 18

years of love, hopes, dreams, fun, laughter, hardships, and raising three beautiful daughters together. Jerick also leaves the three "apples of his eye," his daughters, who will carry on his love for life, Emily Phillip, Arden Hutchinson, and Avery Hutchinson. His first love, nurturer, teacher of God, and role model; his mother, Joyce Williams Hutchinson. His first childhood friends, partners in crime, possibly taught him the meaning of defending himself; his sisters, Shannon (Michael) Hutchinson Parrish and Kemah (Jason) Hutchinson McClain. His father and mother-in-law, John and Charlene Hagan, loved and respected very much. Sister-in-law, Amy (Brad) Lawrence, and Brother-in-law, Tom (Shannon) Hagan. Nieces: Sarah Parrish and Bailey Hagan. Nephews: Braxton (Whitney) Leichner, Mac (Andrea) Leichner, Quinn McClain, Bailey Parrish, Bryce Parrish, Blake (Suzanne), Hagan, Zach (Kristen) Lawrence, Hagen (McKenzie) Lawrence, John Kade Lawrence, and Trevor Lawrence. Great Nephew, Kasen Leichner. Great Nieces: Addy Leichner, Gracie Mae Lawrence, Charlie Rose Lawrence, Elizabeth Lawrence, and Ellie Leichner.

Also left to cherish Jerick's memory is his Huntsville School Family, including past and present students, co-workers, and families. He had a special place in his heart for his students; he loved them and truly cared about them. He tried his best to help them on their journey in life, hoping to instill a love for learning and self-confidence to carry along their way. And last but not least, a host of friends far numerous to name them all.

The family will receive friends Wednesday, January 12th, from 5:00-7:00 pm at Brashears Funeral Home, 509 North Gaskill Street, Huntsville. Memorial Services will be held at 1:00 pm Thursday, January 13th, at the Charles Berry Gymnasium, Polk Street, Huntsville; with Clayton Williams and Steve Shaefer officiating. Due to COVID-19, the family requests wearing masks for both services.

Honorary pallbearers are Michael Parrish, Jason McClain, Jaden Williams, Jamie Coleman, Brad Lawrence, Tom Hagan, Blake Hagan, Bailey Parrish, Zach Lawrence, Hagan Lawrence, John Kade Lawrence, Trevor Lawrence,

Mac Leichner, Braxton Leichner, Quinn McClain, Bryce Parrish, Randy Riley, and Ryan Goodman.

In lieu of flowers, a scholarship account has been set up at Arvest Bank (ending in 1616) c/o Stephanie Hutchinson and Kemah McClain.

In honor of Jerick, love God, your family, and your friends. Be respectful, patient, and kind, especially to children and elderly folks. Remember to laugh, hug, and pester those you love and help others all you can. Embrace life, dance in the sunshine and the rain. Throw snowballs, build snowmen, go sledding. Take good care of your animals and your garden. Go barefoot in grass, mud, and water. Properly use your gun and keep it clean. Learn to hunt and fish. Leave your loved ones with sweet memories of your love and laughter!

Services entrusted to Brashears Funeral Home and Crematory, Huntsville.

Tribute Wall

CR

“ So sorry for your loss of Hutch, he will be missed by so many.
Continued prayers for all the family!

Charlinda Reeves - January 13, 2022 at 12:00 AM

KC

“ Prayers for the family and sorry for the lose of a great man. Hutch was a one of a kind person he will truly be missed by past and present students he made an impact on anyone and everyone he met. He always would make sure to make you smile on a day that he could tell was rough on you and was always one to listen when you needed to talk I know I wouldn't of made it through the rough days with out him and MR. Johnson in high school almost 11 years ago so fly high Hutch and we know your a guardian angel for many of those still down here



Kelsey Counts - January 13, 2022 at 12:00 AM

RW

“ Prayer of comfort in a most difficult time for all Jerick's family and friends. Truly one in a million Jerick is as he lives on now in so many. From where he came who will deny the void, but where he is now what none will deny is the absence of void. What assurance!!



Robert Whelpley - January 13, 2022 at 12:00 AM

TL

“ *Hutch was a great guy! I met him as a youth leader in my god daughter's church and then as a teacher. My son was a big guy too and Hutch loved to compare their height. Praying for you and your family to feel the comfort of God at this time.* ”



Tamara L Long - January 13, 2022 at 12:00 AM

MK

“ *Hutch was an amazing man and will be missed by so many. Prayers for the family today and the days to come.* ”



Mikayla Phillips Kolb - January 12, 2022 at 12:00 AM

PM

“ *My prayers and thoughts to Jerick's family. I never saw him that he wasn't happy with a big Ol' smile.* ”

Perry Mason - January 12, 2022 at 12:00 AM

JP

“ *I am so sorry for your loss! Hutch was such a good, kind and caring man, and he always had a big smile on his face. He will be missed by everyone he ever came in contact with.* ”

Judy K Phillips - January 12, 2022 at 12:00 AM

DI

“ I feel like I need to say how sorry I am to Jericks family for there loss.Ive been reading the different things that people have said about Jerick.Im not surprised he was a unique special person, never heard anyone speak a bad word of him he was loved by his dad Frank Hutchinson,loved him so much he was always talking about Jerick and how proud he was of him. Frank was proud of all his children and grandchildren and loved them very much. Now Frank and Jerick are in heaven together.This is such a loss to us on earth,but heaven has gained another angel.

Diana - January 12, 2022 at 12:00 AM

TJ

“ Such an amazing man with the biggest heart. Continuous prayers for the family

Tiara jackson - January 12, 2022 at 12:00 AM

CR

“ Sorry for your loss. Hutch will be greatly missed.

Curtis & Marcia Reeves - January 12, 2022 at 12:00 AM

KD

“ He had a huge impact on all students. He will be missed



Katie Drumwright - January 12, 2022 at 12:00 AM

PS

“ One of the memories that sticks out the most about Hutch was when I was a freshman at the U of A. It was late at night and I was outside the AGR house smoking an old fashioned pipe when Hutch showed up. He was large and intimidating and he was sure I had something other than tobacco in the pipe. He threatened to "whoop my ..." if I was smoking dope. I had a hard time convincing him and I thought he was going to whoop me! He was a great guy and helpful to the other pledges that year.



Patrick Smith - January 12, 2022 at 12:00 AM

KF

“ I do not know what to say for comfort. I just know that we love Jerick's family and feel for them.

Katherine Ferguson - January 12, 2022 at 12:00 AM

TL

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you at this time. He had just a huge impact on our daughter Courtney's life. He was a great role model and person. He will forever be missed.

Tony and Randi Lawhorn - January 12, 2022 at 12:00 AM

LH

“ He will truly be missed!

Lori Hawkins - January 12, 2022 at 12:00 AM

DS

“ We are so sorry for your loss. He was such and good man. Our hearts and prayers go out to all of you. May God be your strength and comfort.

Mathew 11:28-30

Come to me, all you who are weary and burdened, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you and learn from me, for I am gentle and humble in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. For my yoke is easy and my burden is light.



Dena and Todd Socia - January 11, 2022 at 12:00 AM

JS

“ You will greatly be missed Hutch! You have touched the lives of so many!! My prayers and sympathy go out your family, friends and all those who have had the pleasure of knowing you!



Jennifer R Smith - January 11, 2022 at 12:00 AM

LL

“ Our deepest sympathy. We are truly sorry for your loss. You are in our prayers.



Lori & Clea Leichner - January 11, 2022 at 12:00 AM

KC

“ Words cannot express our deepest sympathy for you and your family. We do ask God to comfort each and everyone of you during this time of pain and sorrow. We also ask God to keep his Angels of Mercy around you and to give you peace while he takes you through your next journey. Jerick was a very special man of God who had a tremendous influence on everyone he knew. He will be greatly missed by all that knew him but comfort comes in knowing that he is most certainly in the arms of God and his loved ones will see him again. The outpouring of love from family and friends is a testament to the life of Jerick.
"It is not length of life, but depth of life." - Ralph Waldo Emerson
Much Love to the entire family.. Kevin and Nicole Curry



Kevin and Nicole Curry - January 11, 2022 at 12:00 AM

TB

“ We are so terribly sorry for the loss of such an amazing guy. Heaven gained an agitator, funny man and most of all a guy that you could just simply talk to. We would only cross paths a few times a year but always right back into the picking and good conversation. Hutch was the protector of the AGR house and often moral support for those difficult poultry Science classes we endured. We will be greatly missed but certainly left his mark. In our thoughts and prayers...The Barber's

Tom & Scharidi Barber - January 11, 2022 at 12:00 AM

MD

“ We are so sorry for your lose. We are continuing to pray for you and your family.

Mark and Lee Ann Dedmon - January 11, 2022 at 12:00 AM

VC

“ You will be dearly missed. prayers and sympathy for the family. Rest easy hutch.



Victoria Collins-Wise - January 11, 2022 at 12:00 AM

PT

“ Just know that You were one of a kind! I also hope Devon was waiting at those pearly gates to welcome you, so he could talk your leg off!

Peggy Terrell - January 11, 2022 at 12:00 AM

TM

“ Joyce, I'm so sorry for your loss.



Tom Miller - January 11, 2022 at 12:00 AM

SM

“ Hugs and prayers. My heart goes out to you. I'm so sorry.

Stacey McGhee - January 11, 2022 at 12:00 AM

PS

“ What a loss for not only Jerick's family but also the students and faculty at Huntsville High School, past and present, who loved him so. My deepest sympathy to you all.

Pattie Shinn - January 11, 2022 at 12:00 AM

SP

“ *We are so sorry for the loss you have to endure. Our thoughts and prayers are with the family.* ”

Sherman and Donna Phillips - January 11, 2022 at 12:00 AM

HC

“ *My love and support will continue on for y'all.* ”



Hayley Cooper - January 11, 2022 at 12:00 AM