## Black Balloon

Day

2021



#### The Purpose of Black Balloon Day:

- To remember the people who have lost their lives to overdose
- To acknowledge the grief felt by the friends and family members left behind
- To call for change in drug policies around the world to reduce the number of overdose deaths
- To end the stigma of drug-related deaths

www.overdoselifeline.org/events/black-balloon-day

# In Memory Of...

# Marty Calzada

SON

BROTHER

LOVER

**FRIEND** 

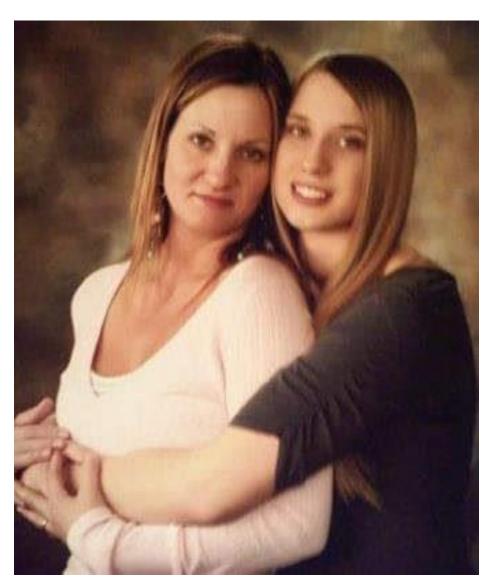




ATHELETE

SISTER





#### DAUGHTER

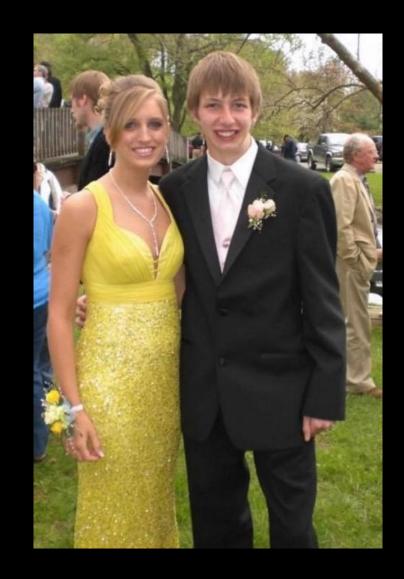




# Nick Lambkin

# Timmy Parker





#### Tom Poduszlo





# Ashley Poland

August 11th 1989-August 10th 2018

SISTER-IN-LAW

**FRIEND** 

**MOTHER** 

**FIANCE** 

DAUGHTER-IN-LAW

We love you and miss you.

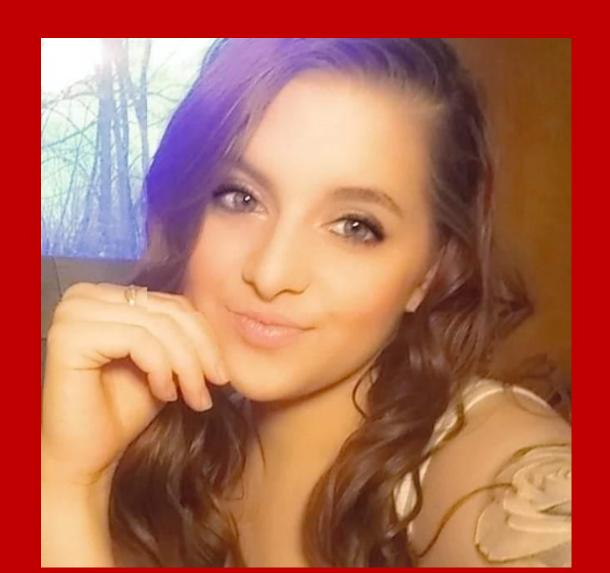
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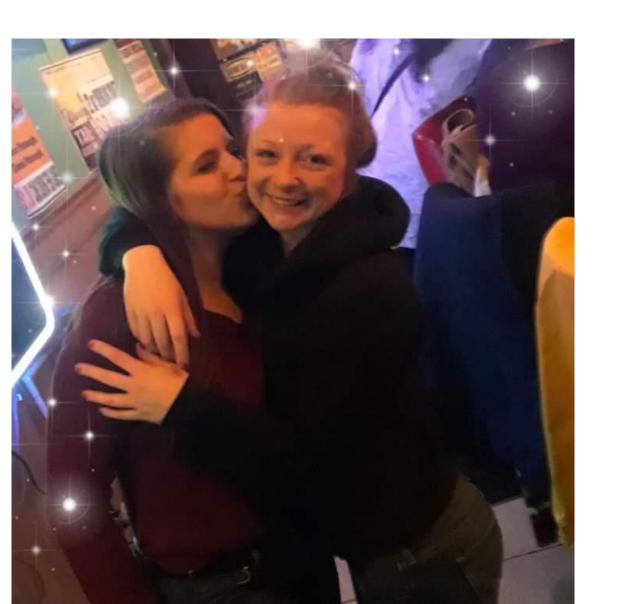
# Jessica Pursley



Jan. 30 1997- May 24 2020

Lauren graduated from the cosmetology program at Crawford County Vo-tech.





#### SISTER

**BEST FRIEND TO MANY** 

She was employed at Country Kidz daycare and ICC.

#### **DAUGHTER**

#### **AUNT**

She enjoyed cheering, riding horses, kick boxing, and pageants.





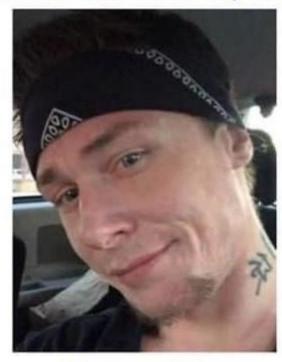


Lauren's story is a rescue story.



#### Brandon Miller

Drug Induced Homicide Victim Murdered Match 25, 2019



Forever 33
Fentanyl Poisoning
Lancaster County
Susquehanna Valley PA

#### Brandon Miller

8/26/1985 - 3/25/2019

#### **BIG BROTHER**

**FATHER** 

SON

**GRANDSON** 

My son was murdered by pure fentanyl. He is a big brother, a father of 3, my first child, an amazing grandson, and a terrific young man. He had a great sense of humor, always smiling, making others laugh. He did not deserve to die this way. He did not ask to die. His investigation is at a halt. He passed away in Lancaster PA. I am his mom and I moved from Lancaster to Meadville in August 2020 due to the triggers surrounding his death and my PTSD. My life has changed forever and it gets harder every day! He will be angel in Heaven 2 years this month on March 25, 2021. I miss him and love him so much. We all do!

# Every Suspected Drug Toxicity Death Warrants A Criminal Investigation





### Tyler "EvilEye" McNeilly

**FRIEND** 

Long Live EvilEye!

## Bob

1/10/84 - 6/19/15



# STOP THE STIGMA

# SURROUNDING ADDICTION



#### Resources...

