

NATHANIEL BRUCE KATO



Nathaniel Bruce Kato, 18, best known as “Nathan,” entered into heaven Wednesday, November 22, 2023. Nathan was the son of Daniel Kato and Amy and Travis Horne. He was born October 21, 2005. He was a junior attending the Lighthouse Christian School in Callahan.

Nathan’s life revolved around his family and music. He was a talented guitar player and he loved singing karaoke. He was very involved with his church family at The Anchor Church. Nathan had also been enjoying spending time in the gym working out. He will be dearly missed by his family, friends and church. He is preceded in death by his grandmother Vicky Kato.

He leaves behind to cherish the memories his parents Amy (Travis) Horne of Callahan; and Daniel Kato of Homosassa; his siblings Daniel Kato, Jr. of New York, Dalton Kato of Fernandina Beach, Gavin Horne of Jacksonville, Grace Horne of Callahan, Jordan Kato and Isaac Kato; grandparents Robert and Kathy Ellis, Patricia and Ken Marks, Wayne and Debbie Dennis, Tammie and Richard Davis, Roy and Collette Horne and Dan Kato; aunts and uncles Natalie and Dan Villano, Robert and Maricel Ellis and Ethan and Allie Boger; as well a host of extended family and friends.

A celebration of Nathan’s life will be held Thursday, November 30 at The Anchor Church, Callahan, at 6 p.m. with Rev. Ethan Thompson officiating. The family will receive friends from 5-6 p.m. In lieu of flowers the family requests that donations be made in memory of Nathan to Rising Star Guitars for Kids <https://www.paulwanemusic.com/guitars-4-kids>.

Forbes Funeral Home is assisting the family, Macclenny, (904) 259-4600.

Please leave condolences at: www.forbesfuneralhome.net.