



# Mr. Shawn C. Burr

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**S**hawn C. Burr, age 47, of St. Clair, died August 5, 2013. He was a loving and devoted husband and best friend for 24 years to Amanda-Jane Freeman-Burr. Proud father of Madison and Maison, who were the center of his world and his most proud accomplishment. He will always be their biggest supporter. Son of Fran and the late Gerry Burr, special son in law of "Nannie and Gramps" Valerie and Peter Freeman, brother of Kelly (Paul) Gorjup and their children Natalie and Rachel. Best friend of Brad, Kim, Lauren and Aaron Drury. He also survived by many other family and friends.

Shawn was drafted in 1984 by the Detroit Red Wings and played 11 of 16 seasons with the Red Wings retiring in 2000. He was an active and passionate member of the Detroit Red Wings Alumni. The Shawn Burr Foundation was founded on Shawn's birthday, July 1, 2000. The original purpose was to raise funds for children and those less fortunate. However, in February, 2011 the foundation took on a new vision and focus after Shawn's diagnosis of Acute Myeloid Leukemia. All proceeds since that time have gone to blood cancer research and treatment. If you would like to make a memorial gift in honor of Shawn, then please send donation to; Shawn Burr Foundation, P.O. Box 610812, Port Huron, MI 48061-0812

Cremation has taken place and a private family memorial service will be conducted.

Arrangements by Young Funeral Home, China Twp. [www.youngcolonial.com](http://www.youngcolonial.com)




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### Cemetery Details

 Cremation



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**Anonymous** sent a Basket of Memories to the Burr family.



August 8 at 5:42 PM



**Craig Wolanin** posted:

Much too early, Shawn. I don't know the words but my thoughts are with your family. As I am typing this, it is really hitting me that you are gone...in a better place. I will miss you immensely.

August 8 at 10:16 AM



**Thomas Catterall** posted:

To the Family of Shawn Burr, I am POSITIVE you know how much the Red Wings fans LOVED Shawns hard nosed approach to the game and his AWESOME sense of humor. We have missed him since he retired and even more that he is now playing again in Heaven. Thank God for the times you had and will again in Eternity... TomCat - Ypsi

August 7 at 2:12 PM



**Sue Mastrovito** posted:

Thank you Shawn for the many years of watching you skate! You were an amazing player and I so enjoyed the Red Wings in the era you played. You have now traded your Red Wings in for Angel's Wings. My heart, thoughts and prayers go out to your wife, children, mother, and the rest of your family and your many friends. God Bless you!

August 7 at 12:45 PM



**David Ullin** posted:

Shawn, it was great knowing you when you worked at Shearson at the ColumbiaCenter in Troy. May you rest in peace in your Eternal Home that God has prepared for you. God Bless your family and many friends during this difficult time of sorrow. David Ullin

August 7 at 5:17 AM



# Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Shawn by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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