



Alex Forristal

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Alex Forristal, 25, of Hiram, OH, born August 7, 2000, passed away August 16, 2025. Alex was the son of Vernon & Amanda (Cox) Forristal.

Alex was a 2018 graduate of Crestwood High School, and 2022 graduate of Cleveland State University, where he majored in Mechanical Engineering. Alex was a key part of the CSU Baja Society of Automotive Engineers Baja team where he led the design and build of the Baja car, traveling to several states, competing against hundreds of other colleges as the driver.

Alex enjoyed playing guitar, snow skiing, frisbee, volleyball, and just about any other activity that involved his friends. He enjoyed riding his bike anywhere he needed to go. It was not uncommon for Alex to ride 50+ miles a day. He enjoyed making mead and entering it into competitions. Alex was mastering the languages of German and Croatian. Alex was a true Mechanical Engineer through and through, building countless designs of his own. Alex loved the outdoors and loved to travel. He had the privilege to travel to Hawaii twice, many times to California, Philippines, a 30-day sailboat trip to the Caribbean islands of Antigua, Saint Martin, and Saint Barthelemy, and a 30-day trip to Germany, Switzerland, Italy, Croatia, Belgium, Morocco, Spain, Bosnia, and France.

Alex is survived by his father & mother, Vernon & Amanda Forristal, siblings include his brother, Zack, and his sister, Rylee. Grandparents include Mona Hubbard & Jim Brettell, Jim & Valerie Cox, Don & Grace Slaby. He has many aunts, uncles, and cousins. Alex has a massive global network of friends and connections, and we are beyond grateful for each and every one of them. Alex is preceded in death by his paternal grandfather Joseph Forristal.

We will forever miss Alex's free spirit and his beautiful smile.

Visitation will be held Saturday, August 23, at Green Funeral Care, 4668 Pioneer Trail, Mantua, from 11am - 3pm, with a eulogy starting at 3:00pm.



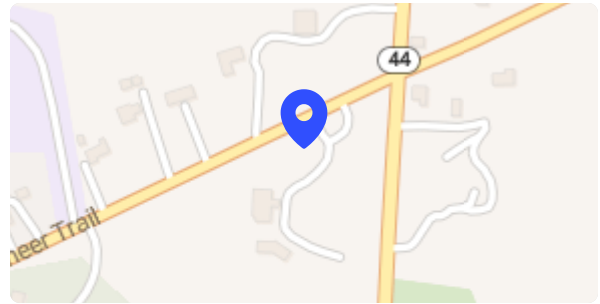
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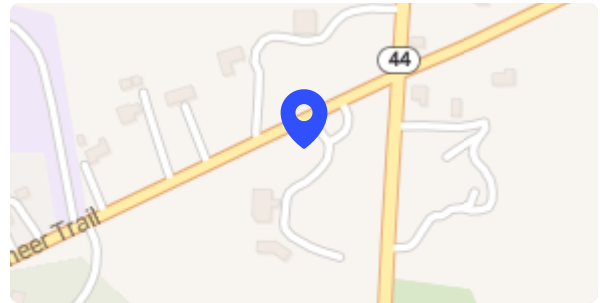
Visitation

- Saturday**, August 23, 2025
- 11:00 AM - 3:00 PM ET
- Green Funeral Care**
4668 Pioneer Trail, Mantua OH 44255



Funeral Service

- Saturday**, August 23, 2025
- 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM ET
- Green Funeral Care**
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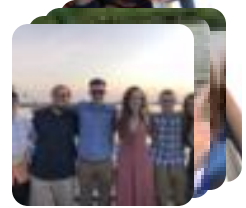
Anonymous planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Alex.



August 24 at 5:14 AM



Valerie Shelton shared 6 photos to the **Tribute Wall** album.



August 19 at 3:17 PM



Anonymous sent a Beautiful in Blue to the Forristal family.



August 22 at 9:58 PM



Anonymous planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Alex.



August 22 at 3:59 PM



Anonymous sent a Medium Dish Garden to the Forristal family.



August 22 at 2:21 PM



Anonymous planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Alex.



August 22 at 2:21 PM



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Anonymous sent a Pretty Please to the Forristal family.

August 22 at 1:54 PM



Anonymous planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Alex.

August 22 at 1:54 PM



Anonymous planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Alex.

August 22 at 1:46 PM



Russell And Michelle Wessollek sent a Strength & Solace Spray to the Forristal family.

August 22 at 6:08 AM



Nick Downing posted:

I had the pleasure of going to the Nike Cross Country Midwest competition with Alex alongside Jake. We carpoled down to Terre Haute, Indiana and had many laughs along the way. He really was an absolute joy to be around and will be greatly missed.

August 21 at 5:51 PM



Faith S. planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Alex.

August 21 at 2:29 PM





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Jeremiah Fitzgerald shared 3 photos to the **Tribute Wall** album.

Alex was a great teammate and friend, one of those people who was effortlessly hilarious and always fun to be around. I know he'll be missed dearly by many, including all of his former teammates at Crestwood. Thank you Alex for all of the great memories.



August 19 at 3:17 PM



Anonymous sent a Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet to the Forristal family.



August 21 at 1:06 PM



Anonymous planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Alex.



August 21 at 1:06 PM



The Hanyok Family sent a Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum to the Forristal family.



August 21 at 11:59 AM



Brian And Melanie Cumberledge sent a Basket Full of Wishes to the Forristal family.



August 21 at 7:50 AM



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Matthew Slodov shared 3 photos to the **Tribute Wall** album.



Al was someone who lived life to the fullest, tackling any project or challenge that he set his mind to. He heard me say my family's house needed a new roof and he said "I could do that". And he did it. Al was interested in some of my woodworking projects and guitar playing; so I taught him how to make a cutting board and he took off with that building many of his own and even getting contracted to build doors for a new home. I had been teaching Al guitar for the past year and he was quickly mastering it. I wish more people could have heard his rapid progress like I did. We learned many songs together like Purple Haze, High Flying Bird, Country Roads, Wish You Were Here and more. Just a few days ago we learned our last song together, Life By the Drop by SRV. I've learned so much from Al too, including recently how to make mead, and have always been impressed by his incredibly active and adventurous lifestyle. I'll miss him dearly as I know we all will.

August 19 at 3:17 PM



Greg Smith posted:

I had the privilege of being Alex's supervisor for his first engineering internship. He was really smart, respectful and had a great personality. I believed he would have a bright future ahead of him when he left. It's very sad to hear that he is no longer with us.

August 20 at 10:56 AM



Jolana Arndt posted:

Dear Mandi, Rylee, and family, I am so deeply sorry to hear of Alex's passing. I wish I could be there with you to give you a hug and offer comfort in person. From all the posts and videos being shared, it's clear he was a truly one-of-a-kind man who touched many lives. Please know that you are in my thoughts and prayers, and if you need anything at all, I am here for you. With love and sympathy, Lana Arndt

August 20 at 9:00 AM



Anonymous sent a Peaceful White Lilies Basket to the Forristal family.



August 20 at 8:02 AM



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Penny Brungardt posted:

I don't know Alex but I know his father as a young boy. Grace is my best friend. This is just awful. When I have questioned why the passing of someone so young , I was told heaven would be not heaven with just old people. Love to all

August 19 at 10:19 PM



Kirill Dubrovsky shared 4 photos and a video to the **Tribute Wall** album.

I will never forget the day we spent skiing with Milan. You were always so bright and full of life, and immersed yourself fully into anything that challenged you. Even with skiing, you mastered it quickly. It's been an honor to call you my friend, I miss you and I love you Al. You've left a mark on all of us



August 19 at 3:17 PM



Darren, Danyel, And Family sent a Full Of Love Bouquet to the Forristal family.



August 19 at 8:33 PM



Darren, Danyel, And Family planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Alex.



August 19 at 8:33 PM



Uncle Ed & Aunt Pam sent a Beautiful in Blue to the Forristal family.



August 19 at 8:13 PM



Uncle Ed & Aunt Pam planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Alex.



August 19 at 8:13 PM



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Your Uh Family sent a Peaceful White Lilies Basket to the Forristal family.

August 19 at 6:36 PM



Anonymous sent a Serene Retreat to the Forristal family.

August 19 at 3:36 PM



Anonymous planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Alex.

August 19 at 3:36 PM



Imane Laalaji shared 2 photos to the **Tribute Wall** album.

'll never forget that night on the roof with Alex, talking about our goals and dreams. Somewhere in the middle of it, I randomly mentioned my birthday. Months later, on the actual day, he remembered and sent me a happy birthday. I was a little sad that so many friends I'd known for years forgot... but he didn't. And that simple gesture meant the world to me. (And some how when i do hand stand i remember him he was my guest but fr i felt that I know him for too long rest in peace Alex you will always have a part of my heart and m sure anytime ill do hand stands ill remember you

August 19 at 3:17 PM



The Drebus, Bruncak And Kosh Families sent a Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum to the Forristal family.

August 19 at 3:17 PM





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August 21 at 1:37 PM





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August 20 at 8:00 PM





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Kirill Dubrovsky shared 4 photos and a video to the **Tribute Wall** album. August 19 at 9:31 PM



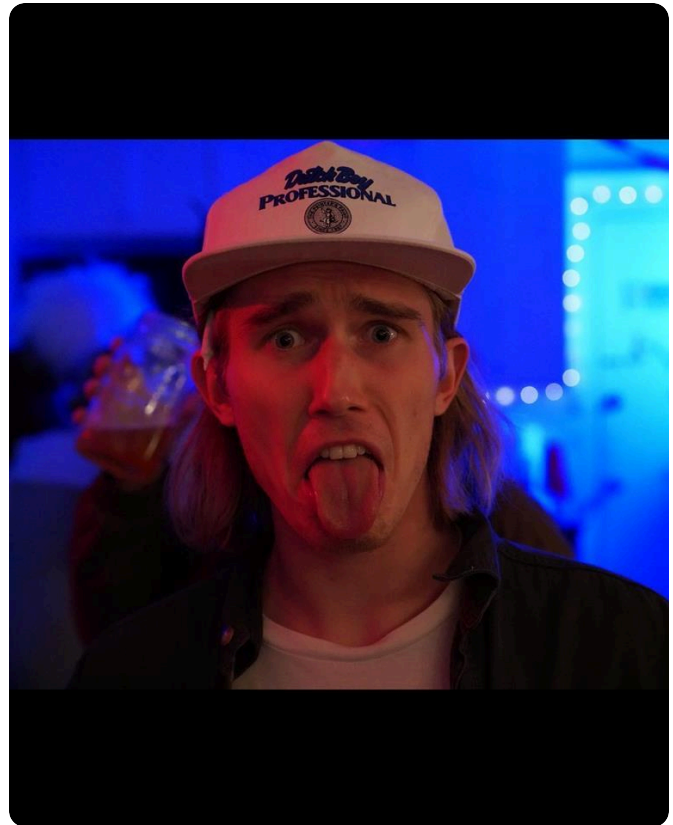


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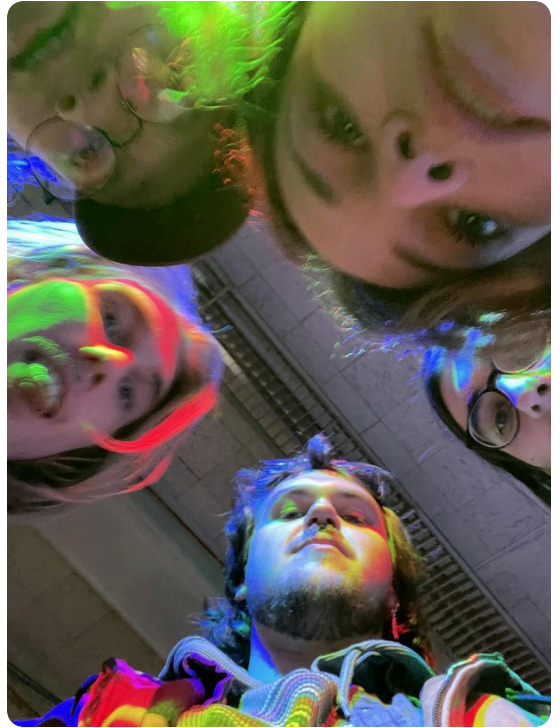




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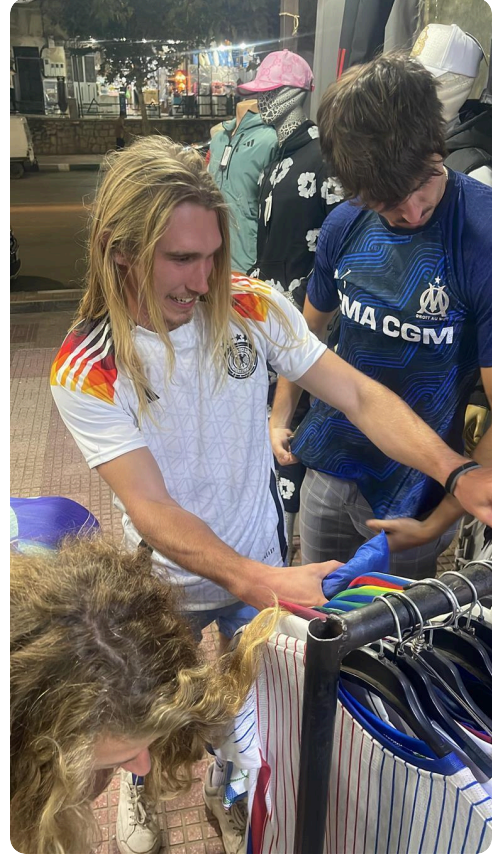
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Imane Laalaiji shared 2 photos to the **Tribute Wall** album.

August 19 at 3:24 PM





Memories only last if you share them

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



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