

SAMUEL YOOMIN CHOI MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

b. December 14, 2012

d. October 30, 2016



Samuel Yoomin Choi was born in Weslaco, Texas where his parents were a music teacher at the Valley Grande Adventist Academy. Starting with beginning of 2013-2014 school year, his father Mr. Joseph Choi became the music director of Highland View Academy and his mother (Mrs. Angela Choi) became the music teacher of Mt. Aetna Adventist School where Samuel was a student starting January, 2016 when he was 3 years old and he was a student of Mrs. Robin Correia's Pre-K class when his life was cut short by Hay-ride accident that occurred on Sunday, October 30, 2016.

At the time of his passing, his brother Nathaniel Yoosung Choi was in 4th grade and they have missed their time together going to the church and Pathfinder/Adventure campouts and family trips since then.

Samuel loved the lord and at the church that Friday night vespers, when Pastor Ray Valenzuela (Youth Pastor of Hagerstown SDA Church then), when he asked the youth who wanted to go to the heaven, Samuel wrote his name by making some scribble lines on the cardboard where the family still keep to this date. Samuel enjoying singing, and going to his Sabbath school classes. He was a member of Williamsport SDA Church (MD) Adventurers where he learned more about God and how to use his talents to bless others. He was loved by many and his joy for life was contagious.

Samuel loved singing and he enjoyed watching trains go by behind his home and he loved seeing garbage truck coming by the school to pick up garbage from dumpsters. He was taking cello lessons at the time of his passing.

Samuel Yoomin Choi scholarship was created upon his death and it is our hope that other students who seek Christian education have chance to learn and be more like HIM.

We ask you to keep his legacy going by contributing whatever amount you can so that any Kindergarten students wishing to continue their education at the Mt. Aetna Adventist School will continue their studies as a first grader.

We have already presented five Samuel Yoomin Choi Memorial Scholarship and it is our hope that you will continue his legacy at the Mt. Aetna Adventist School.