Rustle Robert Rice

Funeral Liturgy for Rustle Robert Rice, 2, was held Jan. 4, at Saint Patrick Catholic Church in Wheatland, with Father Jan Santich as celebrant. A Vigil for the Deceased was held Jan. 3, at Saint Patrick Catholic Church. Interment was in the Wheatland Cemetery with Chaplain Larry Benjamin of the Wheatland Volunteer fire Department serving as eulogist.

Rustle died Sunday, Dec. 29, at The Children's Hospital in Denver, Colorado, after winning his battle with cancer.

Rustle was born Sept. 9, 2000, in Laramie, the son of Jefree Robert and Victoria Lynn (Munier) Rice. He loved the outdoors, looking for animals with his Dad and Mom.

He also enjoyed fire trucks, the members of the Wheatland Volunteer Fire Department, and playing in the families business. Rustle was a caring young man, giving a teddy bear to another child who also has cancer.

He is survived by his parents, Jefree and Victoria of Wheatland; paternal grandparents, Mike and Joanne Rice of Wheatland; maternal grandparents, Charles E. and Nancy F. Munier of Wheatland; paternal great grandparents, Robert and Ruth Rice of Wheatland; maternal great grandparents, Jeannie Munier of Tulsa, Oklahoma and Fred Munier of Las Vegas Nevada; and numerous aunts, uncles, and cousins.

Serving as pallbearers were Willie Deglman, Bob Glasson, Jim Krein, and Derek Marker.

The family would appreciate memorials to The Children's Hospital Oncology Department, in care of Platte Valley National Bank, P.O. BOX 337, Wheatland, Wyoming 82201-0337.