in Des Moines, Iowa, he is the son of Sandra (Gooding) and Darcy Rasmussen and Michael McCrary. Connor attended school at the East Marshall Community School District, where he was involved in band, choir, cross country, large group speech, individual speech, trap shooting, plays, and musicals. He worked at McNally's Grocery Store and Hy-Vee in Grinnell, Iowa. He enjoyed hunting, fishing, woodworking, trap shooting, running, biking, riding the four-wheeler, home remodeling, and working on the farm (especially driving the skid loader).

Left to cherish his memory are his parents, Sandra and Darcy Rasmussen (mother and stepfather) of Montour, Iowa, and Michael McCrarry (father) of Unionville, Iowa; sister, Megan McCrarry, and brother, Brennan Rasmussen; grandparents, Robert Gooding of Marshalltown, Mac and June McCrarry of Marshalltown, and Evelyn Rasmussen of Appropriata, aunt and uncle, Carol (Gooding) Brittle of Ft. Scott, Kan., David Gooding (Glen) of Marshalltown, Cathy Gooding of Marshalltown, Chrisy (Gooding) Metter (George) of Newton, Kim (Rasmussen) Junker (Ted) of New Hartford, and Tracy Rasmussen (Kathy) of Evansdale; cousins, Katie Brittle, Ben Brittle, Lacy Gooding, Parker Gooding, Preston Gooding, Troy Gooding, Nichole Triplet, Madison Gooding, Morgan Metter, Paige Metter, Greg Metter, Nolan Junker, Isaac Rasmussen, Ian Rasmussen, Olivia Rasmussen, and Brittany (Wright) Davis; and his animal companions, Drago and Xena, Great Pyrenees dogs, Jake, a black lab, Dorian the Rooster, and his chicks; and 10 barn cats.

In death Connor joins Nancy Gooding (maternal aunt), Pamela McCrarry (Wright, paternal aunt), and Harriet Gooding (maternal grandmother).

Montour man killed in Feb. 2 accident

At a little before 4 p.m. on Friday, Feb. 2, Connor J. McCrarry, 16, of Montour, was driving a 2002 Buick Century south toward Grinnell on Hwy. 146 about a half mile south of County Road F 17, the Newburg Rd. At the same time Marc E. Ware, 47, of Grin- nell, was driving north from Grinnell on Hwy. 146 in a 2017 Nissan Maxima. According to the Iowa State Patrol, McCrarry's car drifted to the west shoulder, and McCrarry overcorrected and lost control of the car, crossing the center line into the path of the Ware vehicle. The Ware vehicle struck the McCrarry vehicle on the passenger side. The McCrarry vehicle came to rest in the east ditch, and the Ware vehicle came to rest in the northbound lane of Hwy. 146.

The State Patrol reports that McCrarry was pronounced dead at the accident scene and that Ware was injured and driven to Grinnell Regional Medical Center by private vehicle. Ware was treated and released.

The State Patrol was assisted at the accident scene by members of the Poweshiek County Sheriff's Office and the Grinnell Fire Department.