Michigan State University remembers Spartans we have lost each academic year with a Memorial Tribute, as well as a tree planted in their honor with a plaque recognizing each of these students. We may not always fully know or understand the impact each Spartan makes on their community, however, we do know these impacts live on through others. These memorials seek to pay homage to the lasting spirits of these Spartans.
Acer griseum
Paperbark Maple
20’-30’ H x 15’-25’ W
Good Fall Color

2013 - 2014

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Tilia tomentosa ‘Sterling’
Silver Sterling Linden

- 50’-70’ H x 30’-50’ W
- Showy Yellow Fragrant Flower from June to July
- Colorful leaf
- Attract butterflies

2014 - 2015

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Maura E. Branch
Jiang Dai
Caroline Elowsky
Anthony John Hawley
Morgan Nicole McGregor
Brady Lane Morton
Vinh Tran

Maxwell John Pardington
Tyler Bryce Parsons
Stephen Root
Navaniraj Singh Sahi
Kelly H. Smith
Stephanie M. Stanley, D.O.
Xinyue Ye
Acer rubrum ‘October Glory’
Red Maple

- 40’-50’ H x 30’-40’ W
- Good Fall Color

2015 - 2016

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MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY
Student Memorial Trees
Quercus shumardii
Shumard Oak

- 40'-60' H x 30'-40' W
- Good Fall Color

2016 - 2017

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In honor of the students who died during the 2016-17 academic year
Dedicated April 21, 2017

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Jonathan M. Cordes  Amelina Catherine McGoff
Dana Eugene Creasy  Marcus Nathan Lewis Moses
Hannah K. Hakala  Maxwell Robert Moewig
Tyler A. Hanley  Sally Anna Ottenhoff
Drew Evan Hercauf  Abhi Praktik Shoh
Mitchel Arthur Krider  Miles Lane Whitmore
Rebecca (Recca) Anne Lasel  Zhenming Zhang
Timothy M. Lee

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In honor of the students who died during the 2015-16 academic year
Dedicated April 25, 2017

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MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY
Student Memorial Trees
Quercus rubra
Red Oak

- 50'-75' H x 50'-75' W
- Good Fall Color

2017 - 2018

MSU STUDENT MEMORIAL TRIBUTE
In honor of the students who died during the 2017-18 academic year
Dedicated April 20, 2018

“Always a Spartan”

Kyle Baldwin
Griffin Anthony Boyd
Koferly Alexander Deskins
Ki Weok Kim
Matthew Ronald Maher
LaTayah DeAndrea McClane
Ryan N. Stephen
Mitchell J. Taylor
Nicholas ( Nikki) Trzcienski
Evangelos Spiridon Tzanakis
Tyler Walker
Mingyi Zheng

MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY
Student Memorial Trees
Quercus shumardii
Shumard Oak

- 40’-60’ H x 30’-40’ W
- Good Fall Color
In honor of the students who died during the 2019-2020 academic year
Dedicated September 23, 2020

“Always a Spartan”

Lyniah Kani Ann Bell
Skyler James Dyer
Saraí García
Jeffrey Langolf
Xiaorui Li
Donald Milton
Laura K. Osaer, D.O.
Josiah Keith Rice
Katie Rogers
Jackson William Stegmeyer
Sebastian Alexander Tyll

Liriodendron tulipifera
Tulip Tree

- 60’-90’ H x 30’-50’ W
- Showy Flower
- Good Fall Color
MSU STUDENT MEMORIAL TRIBUTE
In honor of the students who died during the 2020-2021 academic year
Dedicated July 27, 2021

“Always a Spartan”

Quercus bicolor
Swamp White Oak

- 50’-60’ H x 50’-60’ W
- Full Sun
- Good Fall Color
- Medium to wet

Kevlar William Azar
David Yongchan Cho
Davson James Compo
Ashlee Nicole Conley
Austin Jeffrey Covey
Rico T.D. Curley
Dominic Duhn
Ian Stewart Finley
Vedaant Garg
Caitlyn Q. Herr
Javier Ernesto Jerez
Josiah Owen Leach
Tara Marie McMahon
Jarek James Troyer

2020 - 2021