

Our Hero: Curtis McGuire



Plus he had some breathing problems, which meant that his Mother and Father had to have their hands on his chest or back to make sure that he was breathing while he slept.



Montgomery News: Jacob Montgomery, Reporter

Curtis at birth:

On the evening of March 17, 1982, in Las Vegas, Nevada, born six weeks before he was due, Curtis McGuire was born.

Since he was born six weeks pre-mature his Mother and Father had to keep a close eye on him.

The Growing up List:

When Curtis was five years old he had a list of things he wanted to do or be, and the list goes like this:



“He wanted to be a fireman, policeman and a cowboy, and

he wanted to drive a big truck, a boat and an airplane.” So far he has done all the things on his list.

Being Brave:

To define being brave, means “to show courage, to be excellent, splendid, bold, intrepid, courageous and valiant.” These are the things that Curtis is. He was fearless, like a Dare Devil.



He got so many stiches before he was five that he would get on the table and say “**I am ready!**”



Time for Football

When Curtis was in the eighth grade he wanted to play football.



In one of his games or practices as a Tight End, he was going in for a block and in the process of going in for that block, he got kicked in the head. Which made him lose sight in his left eye, temporarily. Even though everybody else said to him “Maybe you should not play football” he still wanted to play!





Today's Curtis

Now Curtis is 27 years old, has a job as a policeman in Las Vegas, Nevada. He's married and has a son who turned two years old, two months ago.



He is now fighting in the war in Afghan-istan. Luckily he is a policeman, so he is well prepared for anything that may come to him.



This is what we know so far about Curtis. Who knows what the future holds for this great man named Curtis Owen McGuire.