The University of Florida freshman went missing on September 20, 2012. Agencies and many volunteers joined in the search. Despite their incredible work, the family would never see their son alive again. His body was found October 12, 2012 in Otter Creek, FL.

The Aguilars continue to honor Christian with their non-profit organization, Christian Aguilar Search and Rescue Foundation.

Knowing how much Christian loved being a Florida Gator, Gainesville and UF continue to be a special place for the Aguilars. The memorial is open to the public, and the family invites everyone to join them in remembering Christian.