

# Shining Star

## Mitch Meyer

Mitch Meyer is a 19 yr old senior at Heritage High School in Southeast Allen County. He will be graduating in June and already has a full time job lined up after graduation. Mitch is one guy with a mission!!!!

Mitch has lived his whole life in Monroeville. He attended preschool at LDS (the Learning and Development Center) in Fort Wayne until he was four, and since then has received all his education in the Monroeville schools. Mitch has always been included in typical education classes, and his mother relates

that everyone in the schools knows him. He currently works at CME Automotive in the shipping area, inspecting and packing motors. He will work there full time after graduation.

Music and sports are Mitch's passions. He has been a member of the marching, pep and concert bands all four years of high school. He has helped manage the basketball, baseball and football teams. Perhaps one of his

greatest high school honors was to be voted homecoming king of Heritage High School this past fall. After high school, Mitch hopes to pursue his interest in music through community band in Fort Wayne. And the coaches at Heritage all say he can continue to help manage the sports teams even after he graduates.

Mitch is a very articulate, outgoing and compassionate



young man. He is one of seven self-advocates on the planning board for the March DSANI Conference. You can meet Mitch in person and hear more about his life during the self-advocate panel at the close of the conference. After working with this diverse and charming group of young people, I urge you not to miss this opportunity to meet them and hear how they are achieving their dreams because their families and support people dare to wonder and imagine the best for them.

— Pat Nuffer,  
Conference Steering Committee



Heritage High School Homecoming  
King and Queen.