



Zach Rupert

April 10, 2001 - July 5, 2023

Zachary “Zach” James Rupert was just 22 years old when he passed away on Wednesday July 5th, 2023. Zachary was born on April 10th, 2001, in Spokane Valley Washington to Verona Thomas and Douglas Rupert. Zachary spent the last 22 years being a radiant light to the world and showing others that even when things are hard, there is a way to get through it if we keep our heads up high.

Zachary grew up in Spokane Valley and went to many schools in the Central Valley School District. While attending North Pines Middle School Zachary played football and loved every second of it. He attended Dishman Hills High School and worked incredibly hard to get his high school diploma. He then went on to try college at Spokane Community College, but found that he was a hands-on person. He found the job of his dreams working at Restoration 1, which he stated changed his whole life. His work was his passion, as he served people who were going through some of the hardest times. Zachary’s bright smile and personality will be missed by so many. Make others smile and love on them, as you never know what is happening in their life.

Zachary was close to his family, friends and his beloved cat Lucifer. Zachary’s cat was his entire world and nothing could ever change that. We as his family will continue to make sure that he gets the love that he got from his dad.

Zachary is survived by his mother Verona Thomas, father Douglas Rupert, his siblings Shealyn Luckey, Taylor and Trent Rupert, cousins, aunts, uncles, grandparents and so many amazing friends. Zachary is also survived by his girlfriend, Aryanna Kanoe Luga, who was the love of his life and who he wanted to marry.

A celebration of life will be held on Saturday, July 29th at Valley Real Life Church starting at 1:00 pm. We ask that you come dressed as you would if you were seeing Zachary, as funerals made him uncomfortable. A reception will follow as we will spend time talking about the impact that Zachary made in all of our lives. In lieu of flowers, please consider donations to Zach's GoFundme as this was an unexpected expense. GoFundme: <https://gofund.me/d41aabe1>

Arrangements in the care of Chapel of the Valley East Wenatchee, WA.

A Memorial Service will be held Saturday, July 29, 1:00pm at Valley Real Life, Spokane Valley, 1831 S Barker Rd., Spokane, WA, 99218.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

JUL **29**. 1:00 PM (PT)

Valley Real Life Spokane
1831 S Barker Rd
Spokane Valley, WA 99016

Tribute Wall

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“ Zach is my cousin and was the ring bearer in my wedding. Although I moved away to college and then out of state when he was young he was always so sweet. He gave the best hugs and always had the biggest smile when I got to see him. My favorite memories is when I use to babysit him as a baby and his curly hair. I remember one time I said he looked like Richard Simmons my aunt Verona didn't appreciate that comment too much. Zach's love for others and beautiful smile will be missed.



Kaylee - July 25, 2023 at 09:27 AM

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“ i will never forget the memories i share with Zach, from going on late night walks, to going to taco bell every sunday morning for breakfast before he started work at east point. to buying a fish late at night, the memories are endless, he impacted my life in the best way, someone i knew i could trust no matter what with any issue, my go to best friend he will always hold a spot in the world & a spot in my heart!

Cynthia White - July 24, 2023 at 04:34 PM