



Joshuah Barret Whitson

June 22, 1978 - July 7, 2022

Joshuah Barret Whitson, age 44, of Valparaiso, Indiana passed away suddenly on July 7, 2022 at his home. He was born on June 22, 1978 in Valparaiso, IN, the son of Earl and Nancy (Gilman) Whitson.

Josh was a Kankakee Valley High School graduate, Class of 1997. He then joined the Ironworkers Local #395. Josh was very proud to be an Ironworker and would do anything for his brothers. He was given opportunities to travel to different states with work; doing what he enjoyed. Josh loved his daughters more than they will ever know. He was proud of all of their academic achievements and enjoyed spending time fishing with them. Josh will not be forgotten; he has touched everyone's life in some way. Please keep his daughters and family in your thoughts.

Josh is survived by his loving daughters, Hailey and Allison Whitson; former spouse, Jennifer French; father, Earl (Laura) Whitson; brothers, Eric (Tina) Whitson and Jamie Whitson; nieces, Alexis (Cole) Bushore, Tessa, Taylor, and Maddi Whitson and maternal grandmother, Eileen Gilman.

He was preceded in death by his mother, Nancy (Tom) Casper; maternal grandfather, James "Bud" Gilman; and paternal grandparents, William (Carolyn) Whitson.

Friends and family may visit at Jackson Funeral Service of DeMotte on Wednesday, July 13, 2022 from 4:00 until 7:30 PM with a Celebration of Life promptly starting at 7:30 PM. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to his daughters: Hailey and Allison Whitson.

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 13. 4:00 PM - 7:30 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



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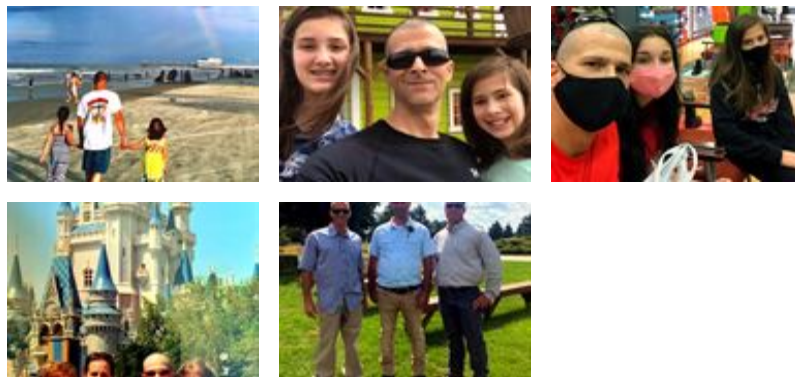
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Jackson Funeral Chapels - July 11, 2022 at 03:25 PM

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I'm so sorry for your loss Earl Wayne and family. God bless you all.

Susan Mullins - July 11, 2022 at 09:53 PM

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Oh my god Josh I did not know this buddy I'm a sad I'm very sad I did not know you passed away my friend you'll be greatly missed buddy we said a lot of good times together I can't believe this I'm lost for words rest in peace my friend I can't believe this

Steve - February 01 at 11:35 PM