



Kristopher Paul Olander

December 29, 1986 - January 25, 2020

Kristopher Olander, who passed away on January 25th, 2020 at the age of 33 was loving, funny and my sweet boy at heart. He also struggled with drug addiction for many years. While his death has shocked us all, we do find comfort that he is not struggling and does not have to be in this battle anymore.

Kris loved baseball and skateboarding when he was growing up and was amazing with his little brother as they grew together. To us, Kris was our heart, he was a beautiful person inside and out. We take solace in the fact that he has finally found peace and no longer fighting a battle that is often not won.

Kris is still my beautiful, funny and caring son. A son I love with my whole heart. A son who always made me feel that he loved me just as much. Kris left this world but will never leave our hearts.

Our sweet Kristopher, it is time to rest now-sleep well.

Kris is survived by his Mother, Barbara Olander and Stepfather, Michael O'Brien; his brother, Justin Olander and Sister-In-Law, Caitlin Olander; his father, Dennis Olander and Stepmother, Tori Olander; his Grandmother, Frances Kale along with many Aunts, Uncles, Cousins and friends.

If you know someone suffering with addiction, please educate yourself. Show compassion and not judgement. Be kind and loving. But above all help them find the resources that can help them overcome this terrible illness. There is hope with every breath they take.

A funeral service will be held 4:00 PM, Saturday, February 1, 2020 in the Chapel of Highlands Cremation & Funeral Care, 2393 Hendersonville Road, Arden. The family will receive friends from 3:00 to 4:00 PM at the funeral home.

Previous Events

Family to Receive Friends

FEB 1. 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Highlands Cremation & Funeral Care - Maple Springs
2393 Hendersonville Rd.
Arden, NC 28704
(828) 676-2730
<https://www.highlandscremationandfuneralcare.com>

Funeral Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Highlands Cremation & Funeral Care - Maple Springs created a Tribute Video in memory of Kristopher Paul Olander*



Highlands Cremation and Funeral Care - January 30, 2020 at 07:01 PM

JG

Heartfelt sympathies for the loss of your precious beloved son.

Joyce G - January 30, 2020 at 08:28 PM



Oh how beautiful of a lil man he was. Such a tender soul he was a lover and a fighter and a true friend that will be forever missed. Chis what an inspiration u were and how missed u will forever be. Im so glad I got the opportunity to get to know u here on earth and look forward to the day ill see u again. U will be forever missed.

Christine Herila - February 03, 2020 at 08:52 PM

SA

My condolences go out to Kris' family. He left behind so many who loved him. To lose a precious son, brother, grandchild, nephew and good friend is so unbearable and difficult. Kris loved so many people and tried so hard to beat his addiction. Our Lord called Kris Home so he no longer has to fight such a terrible disease. Kris tried so hard. Our Lord knew it. Now he no longer has to be in mental and physical pain. He can watch over the people he loved and feel at peace. He no longer has to be afraid of fighting the fight of his life. He is at peace for the first time in a long time and his battle is over. I haven't seen Kris in years but I do know about the love he had for my daughter and grandchildren as well as the love they had for him. Kris, I look forward to seeing you when the Lord calls me home so I can thank you for being a "father figure" to Kendal and Cody. They loved being around you. I also want to thank you for being the loving man that you were to my daughter, Denise, who cherished you so deeply and will forever love and miss you. Rest in peace Kris. You will never be forgotten. I will keep my sobriety in your honor, Kris and I will be there to console Denise, Cody and Kendal. Thank you for being a big part of their lives.

Sandra - February 06, 2020 at 11:02 PM



“ Kristopher Paul Olander

October 09, 2023 at 01:52 AM



“ Kristopher Paul Olander

October 08, 2023 at 10:49 PM



“ Kristopher Paul Olander

October 24, 2022 at 11:11 PM

UO

“ *Uncle Bruce Olander purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Kristopher Paul Olander.*



Uncle Bruce Olander - January 31, 2020 at 05:20 PM

RA

“ *Barbara and family, deepest condolences to you during your time of loss. I cannot imagine the sadness you are feeling. Sending love and prayers your way!*

Rachel - January 31, 2020 at 04:50 PM

DM

“ *I am a mom to a son about the same age. My heart goes out to you and your family, and I am so sorry for your loss.*

Dana Moore - January 30, 2020 at 03:45 PM

VS

“ *Our deepest sympathy goes out to my sister Barbara, Dennis and Justin, my mother Francis Kale as well as the many other aunts, uncles, cousins, and friends of Kristopher.
Valorie, Fancy and Lacie Smith*

Valorie Smith - January 30, 2020 at 09:14 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Kristopher Paul Olander.



January 29, 2020 at 07:44 AM