



Michael Lyle Farley

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Our amazing Father, Grandpa, Great Grandpa, and Husband/Ex-husband passed away on February 14, 2021. We were lucky to have such a wonderful man in our lives. Our Dad had a great sense of humor, a quick wit, and the ability to make each member of his family feel special. We challenged him over the years and after the initial slamming of the cupboards and yelling at the wall, he embraced us with love.

Our pops enjoyed spending time with his family, whether it was camping, hunting, fishing, boating, going to Vegas and Wendover or just playing cards at the kitchen table. (He was a notorious cheater when it came to Rummy). He was fiercely competitive, which led to many an argument on the version of his rule's vs the actual rules of the game. Additionally, he was a big treasure hunter spending time metal detecting, hot wheeling, and coin collecting.

Our dad loved watching sports, so much so even when his eyes were closed, we couldn't change the channel – if you tried you would hear “I was watching that”. Just for the record it was golf, who watches golf!!

He loved spoiling his grandkids & great grand kids, we often joked that they could get away with anything, if they burned down his house, he would have complemented them on starting such a magnificent fire. He spent many summer days at Lagoon with his grandkids and great grand kids, winning stuffed animals in spill the milk and break the plate, he had amazing aim with a baseball.

In addition to spending time with his family, he really enjoyed getting together with Ron and Barney for coffee. Or as we dubbed it - “old man coffee”. He always looked forward to his old man coffee.

We learned family is everything from our pops. He kept our family close, staying close to our mom after they divorced. We all gathered as a family for every holiday,



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sharing laughter, stories, and dad's world-famous clam dip.

We will miss you Dad, Pops, Papa.

With love from your family - Tiffany Peterson (Daughter), Tracy Peterson (Son-In-Law), Noah Peterson (Grandson), Rylee Farley (Granddaughter) and Grayson Baker (Rylee's Fiancé), Taylor Carlos (Grand Daughter) and Eric Carlos (Taylor's Husband), Emma Winn (Great Granddaughter), Ellieana Carlos (Great Granddaughter), Jacob Peterson (Grandson), Zach Farley (Son), Scott Gardner (Son-in-Law), Lisa Farley (Ex-Wife). Michael is survived by his brother Rick Farley and sister-in-law Sheila Farley, plus several nieces and nephews. Michael is preceded in death by Bernice Marion Farley (Mother), Lyle A Farley (Father), and Michelle (Shelly) Valdez (Sister).



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PH

Pat Hansen Hart lit a candle in honor of Michael.

My memories are from working with Mike at Meadow Gold Dairy, you will be missed RIP Mike

September 8 at 10:35 AM



LW

Lori Hillard Wehr posted:

My memories are from when we were very young and would meet up in Jeffers Gardens, Oregon, Your family would come from Utah and mine from California. Your Mom and my Dad Bob Hillard were first cousins. Fond memories of those days.

February 23 at 3:18 AM



Mel Ashcraft posted:

Where to start? I think we were 3 or 4 years old when we became next door neighbors and best friends. 1953 I think. We were mostly pretty inseparable but being boys we had to have some fights to make our relationship stronger. I remember hitch hiking to school in 8th and 9th grades because we kept getting kicked off the bus. Guess whose fault usually. We made it through High School and went off to college together to SUSC in Cedar City. I remember your 21st birthday at the Sportsman's Lounge which turned into a major hangout for us. We worked together at the Coleman Sleeping Bag Factory (what a bunch of A-holes to work for but the workers made up for it by being such great people). We had great times and memories together all those years and then he moved back to Kearns and our lives took separate paths. We didn't keep in touch with each other, not our style I think. The last time I saw Mike was sometime early to mid 80's probably when I stopped by to say hi with my new (2nd wife, haha) and we discovered that we had both named a son Zachary. That was all so many years ago but also seems so much like yesterday and how much those years and experiences shaped our lives. So long old buddy, wish we could have connected one more time. Mel Ashcraft

February 21 at 6:37 PM

RF

Rick Farley posted:

My brother a lifetime full of memories knowing he would always be there without judging you and knowing his love is going to be greatly missed You leave behind family and friends that loved you with all their hearts. Thank You I Love You

February 21 at 6:56 AM



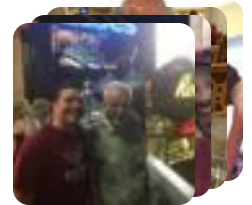
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Zachary Farley shared 10 photos to the **Memories Album** album.



February 19 at 9:28 AM



Zachary Farley shared a photo to the **Tribute Wall** album.

I'll miss you Pops.



February 19 at 4:35 PM



Kay lit a candle in honor of Michael.

My thoughts are with you & your family at this time. I remember Silver Fox & have my own memories of him spent in Las Vegas with Lisa, Tiffany, Zach & Scott.



February 19 at 10:56 AM



Eric Anthony Carlos lit a candle in honor of Michael.

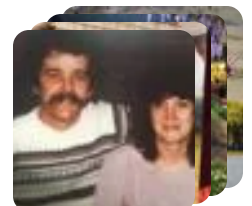
Thanks to meeting my love of my life, Taylor Carlos, "Poppa" Mike once gave me a pop vinyl collectible figure from Disney Descendants, "Carlos" just because he has the same name as me he said, "dude it was so cool I had to get it for you" and along with a card that said "...hey bad boy...enjoy your youth, luv-Poppa." I will never forget his infectious loving smile and big hugs, love and miss you Mike!



February 19 at 9:50 AM



Tiffany Peterson shared an album called **Memories Album**.

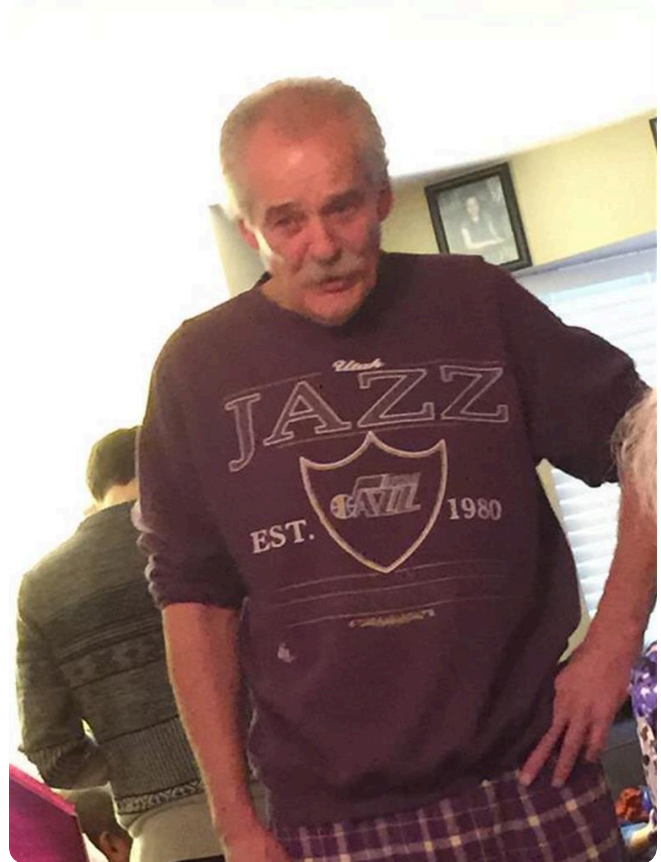
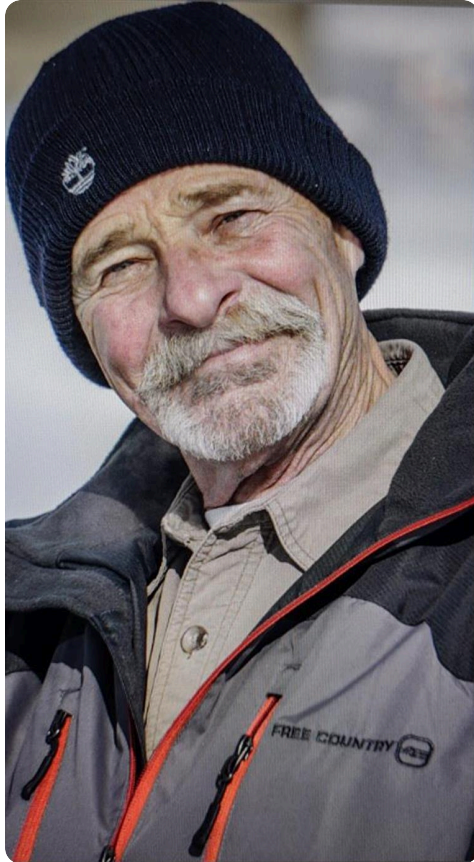


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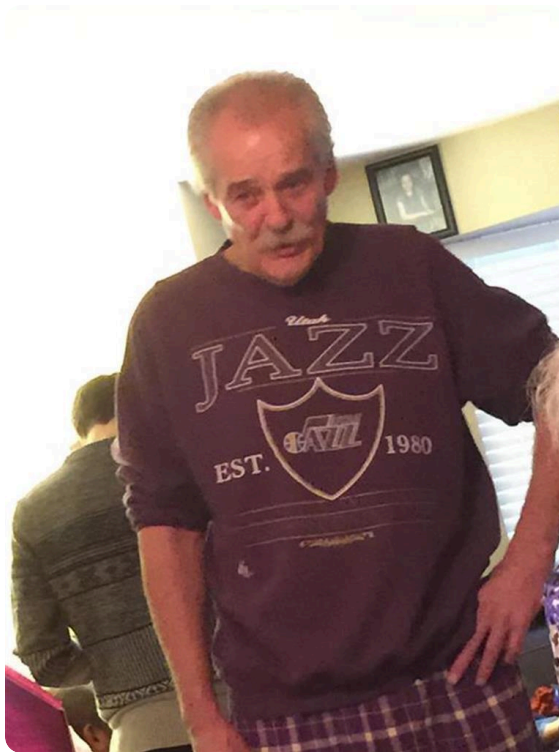
Great Vegas memories



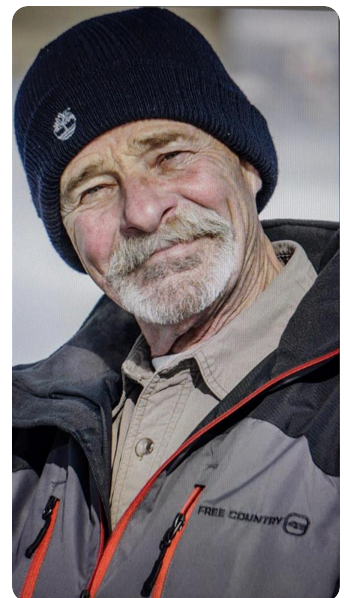
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Dad loved crab legs





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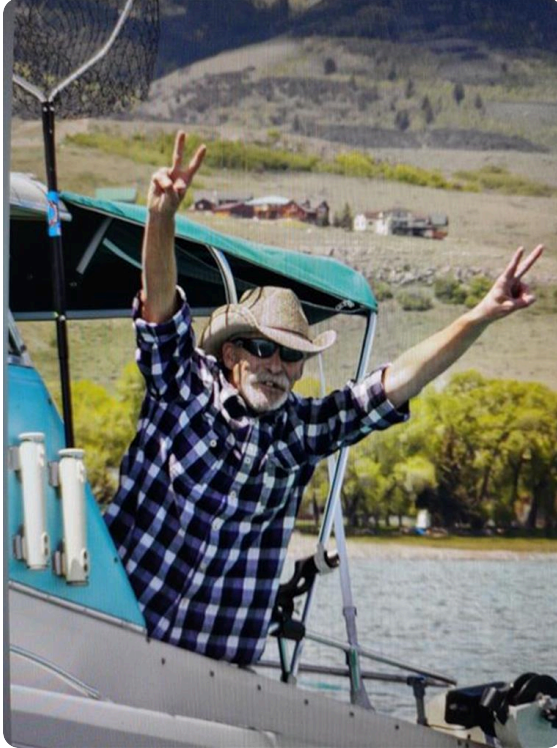
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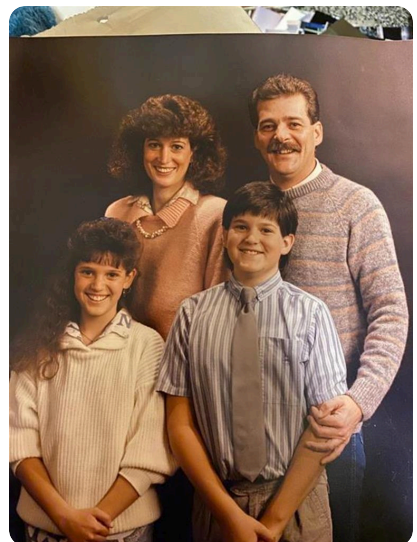
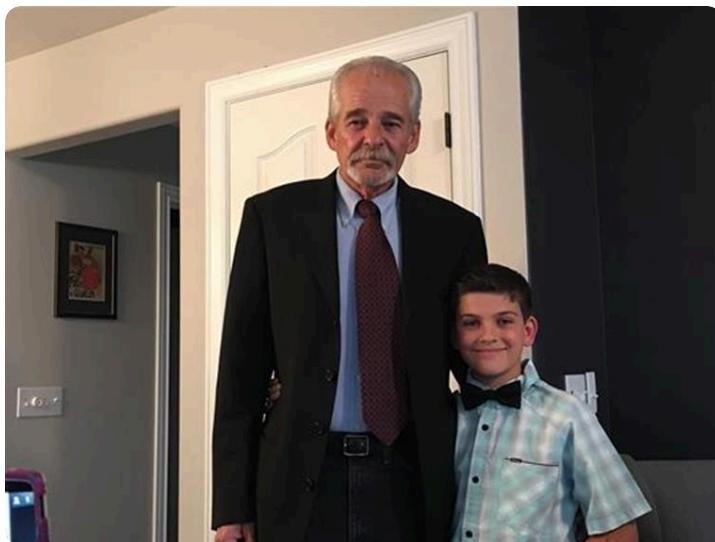
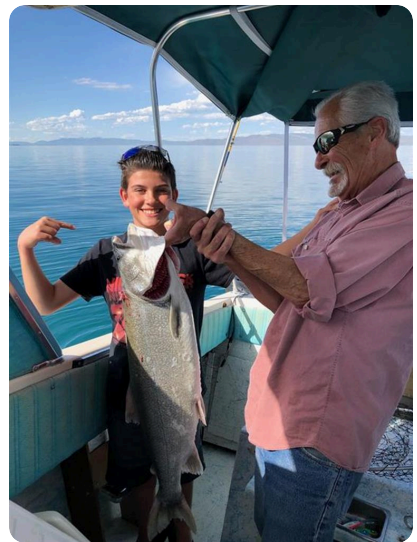


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TP





Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Michael by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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