



David G. Sims

May 31, 1964 - January 28, 2018

David G. Sims, 53 of Aurora died Sunday, January 28, 2018 at CHI Health St. Francis following a short illness with pancreatic cancer.

Celebration of life service will be 2 p.m. Friday at St. Pauls Lutheran Church, Grand Island. Reverend William Pavuk will officiate. Private family burial of ashes will be in the Westlawn Memorial Park Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 5-7 p.m. Thursday at St. Pauls Lutheran Church. All Faiths Funeral Home is entrusted with the services.

David was born May 31, 1964 at Omaha the son of Gerald "Jerry" and Joyce (Happold) Sims.

Survivors include his sons, Andy Sims and his fiancé Chelsy of Aurora, Tyler Sims of Grand Island; grandson, Jace Sims; his mother and step-father, Joyce (Gwyer) Grimminger of Grand Island; brother, Mark (Andrea) Sims of Grand Island, sister, Nancy (Brian) Broich of Grand Island; his fiancé, Deb Buel of Aurora; step sisters and step brothers, Jennifer (Rev. Craig) Boehlke of Louisiana, Ann (Vern) Muhlback of Iowa, Kurt (Tonya) Grimminger of Texas and Marc (Lisa) Grimminger of Ceresco, NE and nieces and nephews, Sam Sims, Niki Broich, Kylie Broich and Tanner Broich.

He is preceded in death by his father, Jerry and his grandparents.

David was raised in Grand Island graduating from Northwest High School class of 1982. He received his degree from the University of Wyoming where he played tight end for the Wyoming Cowboys. He was united in marriage to Valarie Larson. David has worked for IAMS since 1989.

Some of his enjoyments included NASCAR, football and playing golf.

In lieu of flowers memorials are suggested to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital or the Wounded Warrior Project.

Cemetery Details

Westlawn Memorial Park

3826 West Stolley Park Road
Grand Island, NE 68803

Tribute Wall



“ *David G. Sims*

October 08, 2023 at 11:02 PM



“ *Joyce, Mark and Nancy-
My deepest sympathy to you.
May you find strength and receive comfort in your memories,
and have a softer tomorrow.
Alice Anderson Maul*

Alice Anderson Maul - February 05, 2018 at 08:18 PM



“ *Joyce, Nancy and family,

I'm so very sorry for your loss. I didn't know Dave but I know if he
was anything like the rest of your family, he was a pretty special
person. My thoughts and prayers are with all of you.
Love, Kolleen*

Kolleen Whaley - January 31, 2018 at 09:18 PM



“ *Joyce and family.. so sorry to hear of the loss of your son.Prayers
and sympathy to all.Dee Ewoldt and Dar & Glenn Duering.*

Dee Ewolst - January 31, 2018 at 10:49 AM



“ *So Sorry for your loss!! Dave was a great fun loving guy & is now a
Star in Heaven but ut he's still Cruisn the roads of Heaven!!*

Terry James Quinn - January 31, 2018 at 10:20 AM

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“ *I am so sorry to hear of your loss. Dave will be greatly missed, he was a terrific person.*

Kathy Brown

Kathy Brown - January 30, 2018 at 08:19 PM