



David Winfred Thompson

June 29, 1968 - April 20, 2020

David Winfred Thompson was born on June 29, 1968 in Madison, MN, the son of Winfred (Bud) and Kathleen Joyce (Keilen) Thompson. He grew up on a farm near Louisburg, MN. He attended Madison Elementary School and graduated from Appleton High School in Appleton, MN. He was also a graduate of Augustana College in Sioux Falls, SD.

He was baptized and confirmed attending both St. John's Catholic Church and Minnesota Valley Lutheran Church. Recently, he was baptized in the faith of Jehovah Witnesses.

David's primary joy was that of his two sons, Devian and Bryce. He lived a life focusing on his family and his large network of friends. He had a real soft spot for all children and enjoyed the children he worked with and in his neighborhood.

David currently was working for the Anoka Hennepin School District as a child care aide. Previously, he was the owner and founder of Comics Plus and a Minneapolis police officer.

Surviving family include his two sons, Devian Thompson of Coon Rapids and Bryce Thompson of Elk River; his mother Kathleen Keilen of New London, MN; his sister Lori (Bryan) of Eagan, MN and his sister Karen (Eric) of

Plymouth, MN. He is also survived by nieces and nephews Alex, Luke, Julia, Ella, Amanda, Reed and Ryan.

David was preceded in death by his grandparents, his father, his sister, Janet, and his nephew, Matthew Bormann.

Due to COVID-19, the funeral will be held at a later date.

Tribute Wall



“ *I am so very sorry to hear about Dave. He always made me laugh, joked a lot. He was very happy and proud of his boys.*

Tammy Luczynski - June 09, 2020 at 08:11 PM



“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



Matthew Haga - May 31, 2020 at 10:46 PM



this is from the night we had that rams night on the baseball diamond and my dad took this picture of us together

Matthew Haga - May 31, 2020 at 10:49 PM



That is a great picture, He was very proud of you.

Tammy Luczynski - June 09, 2020 at 08:12 PM



“ *I'm so sorry to hear about Dave's passing. We met years ago at his shop in Shoreview and always managed to stay in touch even after moving to different states. He was an incredibly kind man who would do anything for his kids and will be missed.*

Daniel - May 27, 2020 at 11:17 PM



*I'm going to miss David I'm his aunt Mary from Montevideo.Mn
 Didn't get to see him but on FB
 He will be missed 😞
 Peace be with him.
 Love by all.
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Mary A Olson - May 28, 2020 at 06:59 PM



“ Foster Brother I know God has plans for all of us , but I know you're an Angel in Heaven with God now looking after and being with us and protecting us , and I promise that I will be there for Devian and Bryce , and also be there for the rest of Family and Friends that You and I knew together !

Brendan Gearty - April 30, 2020 at 05:04 AM



“ 5 files added to the album David's Story



Anne Burgoyne - April 28, 2020 at 03:41 PM

JS

“ I am so sorry to hear about Dave's passing... I got to meet him at Morris Bye elementary where he worked with Adventures Plus Child care and I am very saddened to hear he passed. He was such a kind and genuinely Good Guy! Always said hi and asked how you are and he will be missed not only by myself but the staff of Adventures Plus and of course the children. Rest In Peace Dave and I wish the best for your family.
Jon Spencer

Jon Spencer - April 28, 2020 at 12:34 PM

CJ

“ Devian, Bryce, and family - I'm so very sorry for your loss! Dave was kind, funny, and a good friend. I met Dave when he opened his store in Shoreview and we instantly hit it off as friends. We would talk for hours at his store or house about politics, life, and of course comic books. We also talked about the joys and challenges of raising sons and we would laugh at how clueless we were at times. Just know he was trying the best he could like we all are. What I do know is that your dad loved you both very much and he was also so proud of both of you and your accomplishments! May God give you strength and peace during this time and always cherish the memories you have with your dad.

Craig Johnson - April 28, 2020 at 08:13 AM

KJ

“ I met Dave years ago when Devian was little and he brought him in for a speech-language eval. He was such an easy parent to talk to and just wanted what was best for Devian. He asked smart questions, was a great listener and was always so kind and helpful. And I remember how happy I was when I heard that Devian was expecting a baby brother. My prayers are with you all at this time of loss and sadness. May you be comforted by God's grace. ❤️

Kelly Jaeschke - April 28, 2020 at 01:26 AM

BG

“ I lost a Foster Brother who really cared and loved me and enjoyed getting together and spending quality time together we did grill cooking with my father's smoking grill and watched movies and would go out to Grocery Store excited about what we were going to cook on the grill we sure enjoyed watching movies together and snacking down on snacks and when I and Melissa would come to get together with him he would get excited for great get together to do things as mentioned, he also talked about how much he loves his kids Bryce and Devian very much and had loved every moment he got the opportunity to spend quality time and fun enjoyable moments with them he cherished that alot when it came to Bryce and Devian ! My heart goes out to the whole Family! Dave you are Foster Brother I will always be proud of having in my life and You still are and I and Melissa will miss you greatly, but we both know you are with us Dave !



Brendan Gearty - April 27, 2020 at 06:52 PM

BG

Today I find myself thinking about you Foster Brother and I am already greatly missing you and I know that you're sons are also , and you are a Great Angel and I appreciate everything you have done for me and having a Great Foster Brother who really cared and loved doing things together means alot to me Dave , and I promise to be there for Bryce and Devian , and I know that all Family is missing You , but I know You're an Angel in Heaven with God and that You are watching all of Us !

Brendan Gearty - April 30, 2020 at 04:46 AM

Anne Burgoyne

“ So very sorry to hear about the death of Dave. Thoughts and prayers to the whole family.

Anne Burgoyne - April 27, 2020 at 05:33 PM

SS

“ To Bryce and Family,
We are so sorry to hear of Dave's passing. He was always such a friendly and welcoming member of the basketball family. Thinking of you during this painful times and praying for comfort and peace.
-The Simons

Simone Simon - April 27, 2020 at 01:44 PM

DT

“ 88 files added to the album David's Story



David Thompson - April 26, 2020 at 05:19 PM

LD

“ Dave,

I was saddened to hear the news of your passing. The things that I will remember about you the most were that you loved spending time with your boys and hanging out with friends. I remember having fun, staying up late at your house watching the Lakers-Celtics championship in 2008 rooting for the Celtics...then your Lakers got the revenge in 2009, that was fun! Lots of good memories. Thank you for being a part of my life. Thank you for welcoming me into your home for the greater part of 7 years to spend time with you and your boys. You had a great sense of humor and loved to burst out laughing if something struck you as comical which I always thought was a great quality of yours. You were a very kind person and cared about others. I understand you had your limitations in life but that is not for me to judge. I will check in on your boys from time to time to make sure they are doing well. It was a pleasure to know you.

Luke Ducklow

Luke Ducklow - April 26, 2020 at 01:09 PM

JH

“ So sorry to hear of the passing of Dave. We are glad that we have memories of the years past when Matt and Devian were in school together. Matt specifically remembers at one of Devian's birthday parties that, when he was full from eating, and tired, Dave brought him home. We also have memories of going to Valleyfair together several times as families! We trust you and the boys will find peace and comfort during this difficult time.

Jim, Carlayne and Matt Haga - April 25, 2020 at 02:50 PM

CW

So sorry about Dave's passing... Years ago he was called the night my father passed away...he was with our family with support and ❤️ caring...he was strong at a time we failed at what to do....rest in peace good servant of God....

Catherine Wimmer - April 25, 2020 at 09:51 PM

SW

“ *I'll always remember David's gentle spirit and quiet kindness. Our heart goes out to all the Thompson family and friends, may he Rest In Peace.*

Sue (Garry) Wood - April 24, 2020 at 10:05 PM



RIP Dave

Jason Nutt - April 25, 2020 at 01:07 PM

LC

WE at Rise are sadden to hear of his passing. We wish the family much peace in this time of sadness.

Lori Clauson - June 05, 2020 at 01:18 PM