



## Heath Lawrence Henjum

June 19, 1969 - February 21, 2025

Heath Lawrence Henjum, of Falcon Heights, MN, died on February 21, 2025 at the age of 55. He was born June 19th, 1969 in Sioux Falls, SD to Janet and Jim Henjum, who preceded him in death.

He is survived by his sons, Henry Henjum and Everett Henjum of Minneapolis, MN, and their mother Jennifer Schweitzer, his son Jeff McGuire, Jeff's mother Kathy Godfrey, Jeff's wife Leonore McGuire, his grandsons Frankie McGuire and Teddy McGuire of Fayetteville, AR, and his older sister Kirsten (Irene) Henjum and her spouse Jenny Potter of Springfield, OR. He also is survived by many cousins, longtime friends and bandmates.

Heath was a talented musician who played bass guitar in many local bands including: Flag With Hank, Violet, The Hopefuls, Little Man, Vicious Vicious, Buffalo Sleeper, Kid Dakota, The Beatifics, and Betty Drake. The Hopefuls' song, "Let's Go!" was featured on the television shows The O.C. and Laguna Beach: The Real Orange County in the mid-2000s.

Heath was a senior database engineer at Surescripts, Minneapolis, MN, where he had worked for 14 years. He held a B.S. in Political Science and Mathematics, with a Minor in Computer Science, as well as an M.A. from the University of South Dakota. He graduated from O'Gorman High School, Sioux Falls, SD in 1987.

Heath loved to travel, and he was determined to show his kids the world beyond the Midwest. He also loved to fish and explore the natural beauty of Minnesota with his sons. He enjoyed exploring the Oregon Coast with his sister. He deeply loved his sons and family and will be missed by many.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Friends of the Boundary Waters. Memorial service: Saturday, April 12 at Nicollet Island Pavilion, 40 Power Street, Minneapolis.

1:00 Visitation/greeting

2:00 Memorial ceremony, followed by a musical tribute/concert.