



Henry Michael Cannon

November 1, 1996 - July 4, 2024

Henry Cannon's laugh alone was enough to deserve an obituary. Infectious, loud and rarely absent, his spirit drew hundreds of people to him. His voice still echoes through the ears of all who loved him and will for the rest of their lives.

A nature lover and a man who loved working with his hands, Henry was in touch with his quiet side, too. He had a deep wonder and love for this world and he passed at the age of 27 with a sudden, painless fall in the trees he deeply loved. We suspect that they envied us his constant company so much, they took him back.

Henry was a leader who didn't tell you what to do, he showed you. He woke early, worked hard, laughed loud, and yet loved so gently. He was a man that exemplified how we should be spending our time here on earth.

When you were working alongside Henry, whether deep in the Alaskan wilderness or building a sauna in his backyard, you hoped he would tire so you could rest, but of course he did not. There was not enough time in a day, and even when the stars finally came out, Henry would be sure to take you to see them.

A gentle, thoughtful and sweet son. A boisterous, proud and loving brother,

and a leader to a large group of very lucky friends, Henry Michael Cannon did not leave a void in our lives as much as he left his mark.

In lieu of flowers, donations to Khan Academy in Henry's honor are requested.

Memorial service for Henry is Saturday July 13th at Washburn-McReavy Edina Chapel at 5000 W. 50th Street, Edina, MN. Visitation at 1:00 PM, service at 2:00 PM

Henry was an outdoorsman please wear your finest flannel and boots to the service. Because of heat tucked in T-shirts are also welcome.

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 13. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Edina Chapel
5000 West 50th & Highway 100
Edina, MN 55436

Chapel Service

JUL 13. 2:00 PM - 2:45 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

LY

“ To the Cannon family,
Children are wonderful gifts we are given to show love and support to become little humans in the world. You must have known how special your gift was by your tribute of him. Cherish and enjoy keeping his spirit alive in stories and continue to laugh. Take care of yourselves through this process, you will need all the support you can get.

Lynette - August 05, 2024 at 04:33 PM

LY

“ I see you. Hello...

"Tomorrow, I will continue to be.
But you will have to be very attentive to see me. I will be a flower, or a leaf. I will be in these forms and I will say hello to you. If you are attentive enough, you will recognize me, and you may greet me. I will be very happy."
Thich Nhat Hanh

Rest in Peace Dearest, Kindest soul, Henry.

Lynn - July 17, 2024 at 03:24 PM

NG

“ Nordic Group purchased the Vivid Recollections for the family of Henry Michael Cannon.



Nordic Group - July 12, 2024 at 05:18 PM

TP

“ People are standing on the shore as the ship unfurls her sails and moves into the ocean like a cloud into the unknown. As she disappears from their sight they exclaim “She is gone.” At the same moment others are watching her come into view and shout “ Here she comes! “
Barb and I want to express our deepest sympathy and heartfelt condolences at the tragic loss of this young man. Tom and Barb Parliman

Tom Parliman - July 12, 2024 at 02:08 PM

DD

“ Denise D. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Henry Michael Cannon.

Denise D. - July 12, 2024 at 01:08 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Henry Michael Cannon.



July 10, 2024 at 12:03 PM

SB

“ Scott Husaby & Monroe Moxness Berg planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Henry Michael Cannon.

Scott Husaby & Monroe Moxness Berg - July 10, 2024 at 12:03 PM

CP

“ *Camielle Parent sent a virtual gift in memory of Henry Michael Cannon*



Camielle Parent - July 10, 2024 at 10:14 AM

JP

“ *Love and condolences to all of you. I have fond memories of Henry coming over for play dates with Sam. They were like little bear cubs in the back yard ❤️ Holding you close, Alex and Joel, and I pray you can find some small measure of peace. Love, Julie and Dave Peters*

Julie Peters - July 09, 2024 at 05:53 PM

KR

*Joel & Alex
Nothing can prepare one for the loss of someone so special, we hope that you find peace in the coming days
Deb & Kevin Riba*

Kevin & Deb Riba - July 10, 2024 at 09:04 PM

JH

*Alex and Joel,
I heard of your loss of Henry today. I'm sorry I won't be able to join you at his service on Saturday, but will keep you in prayer at this weekend's Liturgy. Fr. John Hofstede*

John Hofstede - July 11, 2024 at 05:38 PM