



## Jeffery Alan Vastine

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Jeff Vastine was born in Davenport, Iowa. He lived in Durant, Iowa and graduated from Durant High School in 1973. Jeff married Marilyn in 1977 and they moved to Minnesota, where they had two children, Jason and Rachel. Jeff touched the lives of many people due to his outgoing personality and wide range of interests. He loved all sports, but baseball was his true passion. He was a life-long Minnesota Twins fan, Vikings fan, Timberwolves fan, and more recently an avid Lynx fan. Jeff was his kids biggest fan, and sometimes coach, in Jason's baseball and Rachel's basketball journeys. He found great pride and joy in his Harley Davidson motorcycle and spent his summers cruising around Minnesota with his buddies. He also found great joy in feeding/watching the birds, gardening, and all the wildlife that he encountered. Jeff was a journeyman meat cutter for 38 years, and retired from Lunds & Byerly's in 2013. Jeff always had a deep love and appreciation for his family and friends. He died after a short battle with lung cancer at the age of 65. He is survived by: his wife, Marilyn Vastine; daughter, Rachel Vastine; son, Jason (Deanna) Vastine; grandkids, Nolan Vastine, Aaralyn Vastine, and Zoey Vastine. Sisters: Judy (Kurt) Bowman; Jill (Kevin) Garvey. Brothers: Joe (Tina) Vastine; John (Denise) Vastine. And many nieces and nephews. Preceded in death by: parents Jim and Betty Vastine. There will be no services at this time per Jeff's request.



# Tribute Wall

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“ So sorry for your loss. Jeff was always full of piss and vinegar and a joy to be around. He will be missed by many. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.  
*Merrill and Julie Kraklio*

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**Merrill and Julie Kraklio** - January 31, 2021 at 04:18 PM

DH

“ So sorry to here about Jeff. My thoughts and prayers go out to his family. I knew Jeff through the grocery/meat business. Never worked with him but knew him well as I am a long time Lunds Byerlys employee. One of the coolest people I have ever known. He will be greatly missed.  
*Dennis Hansen*

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**Dennis Hansen** - January 31, 2021 at 12:20 PM

TK

“ My thoughts and continued prayer for the families. Jeff was a wonderful soul. He will be missed by all. So sorry for your loss.

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**Teresa Keller** - January 30, 2021 at 11:18 PM