



Thomas Luong Nguyen

August 23, 1980 - June 18, 2026

Thomas Luong Nguyen, 45, passed away in a motorcycle accident on June 18th, 2026. Although, he was taken from us way too soon, we find peace in knowing he was doing something he loved.

Thomas was born August 23rd, 1980 in Bloomington, Indiana to father, Tu Nguyen and mother, Thuy Nguyen. Early in his childhood, Thomas and his family moved to North Carolina where he would spend the rest of his meaningful life.

Thomas attended North Carolina State University and earned a Bachelors Degree in Computer Engineering. While in college he met Shannon Liles. They had their daughter, Katelyn Nguyen, in December of 2001.

Thomas lead a very successful professional career. He went on to work at Sony Ericson, Lenovo, Netapp, and ECU Health.

In his personal time, he loved to spend time with friends and family. Thomas had a passion for the gym, playing darts, and bourbon collecting. When he found something he loved, he was extremely dedicated to it. He found many life long friends within his hobbies. He also loved to share his passions with his family.

Thomas had an infectiously joyful personality. He was always the life of the party. He loved to make people laugh and was a delight to be around. Thomas valued his relationships with family and friends above all else. He was always someone you could count on for support.

Thomas is survived by his parents, Tu and Thuy, his brothers, Terry and Theodore, his sisters-in-law, Josie and Crystal, his daughter, Katelyn, and his many nieces and nephews, Marco, Issac, Bryce, Emma, Skylar, and Logan. Thomas viewed his role as a son, brother, father, and uncle as his greatest responsibility. He loved his family fiercely and would do or sacrifice anything for them.

Thomas's funeral service will be at Wake Memorial Park on Saturday, June 27th. Visitation will take place from 2-3pm with a service following. A celebration of life will be hosted at Thomas' parents' house, 208 Connemara Drive, Cary, NC, on Sunday, June 28th from 11am-2pm. We request you bring the wonderful memories you have of Thomas to share.

Upcoming Events

Visitation

JUN 27. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

Wake Memorial Park Mausoleum
7002 Green Hope School Road
Cary, NC 27519

Funeral Service

JUN 27. 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

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Committal Service

JUN 27. 4:00 PM - 4:30 PM (ET)

Wake Memorial Park Cemetery
7002 Green Hope School Rd
Cary, NC 27519
(919) 465-0888
<https://www.wakememorialpark.com/>

Tribute Wall



“ *I'm so very sorry. Praying for peace and strength. Thomas was a great guy. He will be hugely missed.*

Linda Luong - 32 minutes ago



It still doesn't feel real that you gone. Rest easy my friend. ❤️

Shannon Liles - 17 minutes ago