



William "Chris" Christopher Thompson

September 15, 1989 - March 14, 2020

It is with great sadness that we announce the unexpected passing of our son, William Christopher Thompson.

Chris was born on September 15, 1989 in Raleigh, North Carolina to Mitchell and Belinda Thompson. He attended high school at Cary High and Community Partners Charter High School in Holly Springs. He was very goal oriented and had big plans for a successful future. He graduated from William Peace University in 2017 with a bachelor's degree in Business. After graduation, he started his career in sales, and was very proud to be a member of the SAS Inside Sales team.

He was an active member of the AA community and it was one of his biggest passions in life to serve others in the program. Due to the support Chris received from so many during his recovery, he felt compelled to pay it forward. Through the years he was a sponsor to many, spoke at conferences, and his story was an inspiration to others.

Chris was a believer in Christ and had a relationship with God. He would share scripture and devotions with his mom, sometimes weekly. He used his faith to encourage himself and others.

In November 2019, Chris was blessed with the arrival of his daughter, Delilah

Olivia Thompson. As a brand-new dad, we shared many laughs as he navigated uncharted waters in caring for a newborn. What he lacked in experience he made up for in love. He was always thinking about her future and wanted to make sure she had everything she needed and the best life possible.

Chris was always on the go and had many hobbies and interests. He loved lifting weights, going to the gym, and CrossFit. He enjoyed photography and being outdoors. One of his favorite things to do was to lay out on the beach on a sunny day. He was even known to visit a sweat lodge. He had a strong love for animals, especially his dog, Bocephus. He had a real passion for food and would sometimes binge eat until he felt sick to his stomach. Some of his favorites were Tollhouse cookies, ice cream, carrot cake, pizza, and ranch dressing. He loved to laugh and could turn ANY situation into humor. He loved traveling and had plans to see the world.

He had a genuine love for people – his family, friends, even people he just met. He helped people in any way that he could, oftentimes because he felt led to. He was sympathetic when someone was going through a hard time. He was compassionate. He was funny. He was kind.

Chris was loved more than words can describe and will be missed terribly. We are so proud of all that he accomplished during his time here and can't wait for the day we get to see him again.

The service will occur outdoors to take current health and safety concerns into consideration.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to Healing Transitions in Raleigh <https://healing-transitions.org/donate/>

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR **20**. 1:00 PM - 2:30 PM (ET)

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

Funeral Service

MAR **20**. 2:30 PM - 3:30 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Wake Funeral & Cremation Services, Inc. created a Tribute Video in memory of William "Chris" Christopher Thompson*



Wake Funeral & Cremation Services, Inc. - March 19, 2020 at 06:15 PM



“ *Fairest of All was purchased for the family of William "Chris" Christopher Thompson.*



March 26, 2020 at 02:34 PM



“ *Rest easy friend*

Cliff Harris - March 24, 2020 at 11:53 PM



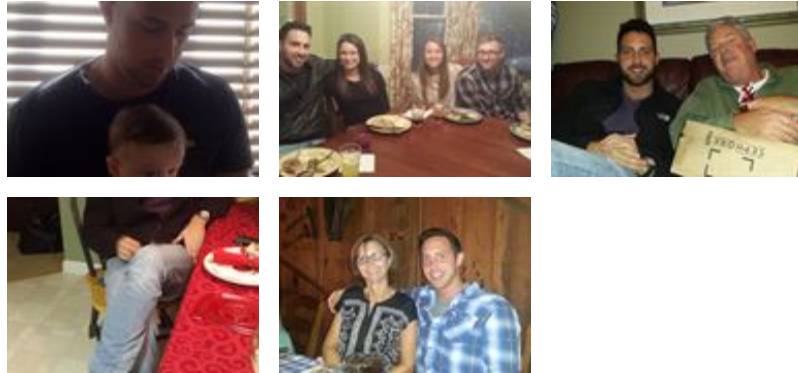
“ *Delightful Dieffenbachia was purchased for the family of William "Chris" Christopher Thompson.*



March 19, 2020 at 05:24 PM



“ 151 files added to the album *LifeTributes*



Wake Funeral & Cremation Services, Inc. - March 19, 2020 at 04:51 PM



“ *Julia Vesilind purchased the Basket Full of Wishes for the family of William "Chris" Christopher Thompson.*



Julia Vesilind - March 18, 2020 at 02:43 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of William "Chris" Christopher Thompson.*



March 18, 2020 at 10:12 AM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of William "Chris" Christopher Thompson.*



March 17, 2020 at 09:59 PM



“ *thank you Chris for the countless hugs over the years at RYP on Friday night... RIP 😞*

Doc Thomas - March 17, 2020 at 07:13 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of William "Chris" Christopher Thompson.*



March 17, 2020 at 07:06 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of William "Chris" Christopher Thompson.*



March 17, 2020 at 05:23 PM



“ Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of William "Chris" Christopher Thompson.



March 17, 2020 at 01:30 PM



“ Jacob and Wendi Lassiter purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of William "Chris" Christopher Thompson.



Jacob and Wendi Lassiter - March 16, 2020 at 08:39 PM



“ Treasured Lilies Spray was purchased for the family of William "Chris" Christopher Thompson.



March 16, 2020 at 06:34 PM