



Shane Robert Knechel-Morse

September 18, 1983 - August 19, 2024

Shane was born on September 18, 1983 in Lansdale, PA. He moved to Oceanside, CA at the age of 3, before moving to Randolph, MA, where he graduated from high school. Following graduation, he settled in Amarillo in 2001. Shane was a caregiver at heart, taking care of others at the nursing homes, but was proudest being given the opportunity to care for his niece, Karley, who he was especially close with. Those who knew Shane, knew him to be stubborn sometimes and often strong-willed, a characteristic that helped him beat cancer twice. He was intelligent and articulate, always looking forward to the word of the day to challenge himself in using it several times throughout his day. He had the ability to solve the rubix cube and tackle challenging word searches. As a child, Shane enjoyed playing soccer and played indoor soccer as an adult.

He is survived by his mother, Beverley Morse of Amarillo; 2 sisters, Tawna Williams and fiancé Brett Curry of Canyon and Tiffany Morse of Amarillo; nieces and nephews, Cayden Andrew Morse, Kensey Makelle Williams, Matthew Tristen Gardner and Zoie Karynne Fetterman and great niece, Willow Brylee Morse.

He was preceded in death by his father, Charles Morse; niece, Karley Elisabeth Williams and his grandparents.

Tribute Wall

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“ I am terribly saddened to read about Shane's death. I met Shane, by mere chance, when I was looking for a handyman in his neighborhood who was working on my house. I pulled up to the house where I thought the handyman lived and Shane was outside working in the backyard; his mother was in the front yard. Long story short, we never figured out where the man lived, so Shane offered to help me with the work. We immediately became friends. He helped me with numerous projects over the years and often came by to visit. We would have some of the most deep, intellectual conversations about life, philosophy, religion, politics, conspiracy theories, etc. I last saw him about two weeks ago, when he came over with his dog, Andy. The last time I spoke with him was several days ago, and he was sick; so, we didn't talk very long. He used to tell me, "I'm not long for this world." I never liked hearing that, but he was correct. My sincere condolences to his mother, sisters, and family. With Sympathy, Brent Beasley

Brent Beasley - August 29, 2024 at 12:31 AM

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Brent, I have been unable to get into his phone to get your number. Thank you for your kind words. Please join us in celebrating Shane's passing with his dedicated willow tree of life on Friday, September 6th, at 6pm. We will have a meal and just share love and memories for him. It will be held at Tawna's house. Please text me for more details 806-654-6796

Tawna Williams - September 05, 2024 at 06:24 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Shane Robert Knechel-Morse.



August 20, 2024 at 08:28 PM



“ Your American Beverage Marketers Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Shane Robert Knechel-Morse.

Your American Beverage Marketers Family - August 20, 2024 at 08:28 PM



“ Ben Eithun purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Shane Robert Knechel-Morse.



Ben Eithun - August 20, 2024 at 07:23 AM



“ Shane was a sweet boy and man. Our family all loved him very much. He will be truly missed. He had a big heart and soft voice and touch, but was brave enough to fight cancer and win. We pray his soul is at peace from the stresses and problems of this world. Jesus will take care of him now. Linda Williams and Family

Linda Williams - August 19, 2024 at 08:38 PM