



Mark Helm

June 14, 1979 - January 31, 2017

Our beloved husband, father, son, brother, nephew, and friend Mark Daniel Helm took his last breath on January 31, 2017. Mark fought a hard and courageous battle against brain cancer for over 14 years and has achieved his well-deserved rest.

Mark was born June 14, 1979 in Smithville, Missouri. He grew up in Smithville exploring the outdoors, playing with his sisters, and being active in sports. He married the love of his life, Valerie Flury, on June 22, 2002. They welcomed their precious daughter Leah Renee in 2007 and darling son Alexander Emmet in 2010. Mark's life focused on his love of family, the outdoors, reading, and working with wood. Mark worked as a business systems analyst for Press Ganey.

Mark has joined in rest his grandmother Dorothy Boydston Woods, grandmother Dorothy Greer Helm, grandparents Tom and Carol Helm, and great-grandparents Herman and Mary Helm.

Mark's love continues in the lives of Valerie, Leah, and Alex. His love also survives in his parents Dan & Valerie Helm, sister Janie Helm, sister Heather Mecham (Shane), sister Karen Monks (Drew) and nieces and nephews Lucas & Amira Mecham, Bobbi Monks, Izack and Ayden Flury along with many aunts, uncles, cousins, and family.

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 4. 11:00 AM - 12:30 PM (CT)

Executive Hills Polo Club
10018 NW Skyview Ave.
Kansas City, MO

Service

FEB 4. 12:30 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Mark Helm*

October 04, 2023 at 10:39 PM



“ *I only went my senior year to SHS, but I had a few classes with Mark....thinking of your family during this time. Sounds like he had a long difficult battle and may there be peace in the fact that he is now rest and pain free. ❤️*

Paula Edsill Archer - February 03, 2017 at 09:42 PM



“ *Marilyn and Roger purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Mark Helm.*



Marilyn and Roger - February 03, 2017 at 01:29 PM



“ *I went to high school with mark in smithville. He was such a smart guy. He helped me with may of my questions that I always had. He never boasted about his intelligence but would show his big smile when the teachers would come to him for help.*
Melissa Cockriel Borchardt
Class of 98

Melissa Cockriel Borchardt - February 02, 2017 at 07:04 PM

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“ We always enjoyed our time together with Mark, Valerie and the kids. The last time we had them over for dinner Alex was quite anxious and really didn't want to sit at the table to eat. I got out 2 boxes of Discovery marble maze. While we were eating in the adjoining room Alex had created a cat confinement area. Our cat cooperated with his creativity but in the end was able to escape. Mark commented to Alex about areas that were perfect and areas that had loopholes. I appreciated his positive encouragement and praise for using a marble maze to confine a cat. He was thinking outside the box.

Brenda Harris - February 02, 2017 at 03:33 PM