



## Jared Carl Olson

March 15, 1976 - October 18, 2013

Jared Carl Olson, 37, of Lehi, UT, passed away surrounded by loving family on October 18, 2013 after courageously battling brain cancer for two years.

Jared was born March 15, 1976 to C. William and Linda B. Olson in Grants Pass, OR, where he spent his childhood. His family was everything to him. They were his best friends. From his early years, he enjoyed and excelled in sports and academics. Football, basketball, and baseball were among his favorites. Jared was always the life of the party and his quick-witted comebacks were enjoyed by many. After graduating in 1994 from Grants Pass High School, he served a two year mission for the LDS church in New York, New York - a fitting place for a life-long Yankee fan. After his mission he attended and graduated from Utah State University with a degree in Finance. There, he met his wife, Leslee, and they were married in the Logan LDS Temple on December 29th, 2001. They eventually settled in Lehi, UT with their four beautiful children.

Jared has worked for the State of Utah as a Bank Examiner for the past 8 years. He was very active in his church, serving in many different capacities. He loved college football (particularly the Oregon Ducks), and anything else that happened to be on ESPN. He also loved movies. But more than anything else, he loved being with his family. He loved family vacations, spending time with his wife, watching dance recitals, and playing ball with his sons.

Jared is survived by his wife, Leslee, four children - Brynlee(9), Jace(8), Drew(4), and Averie(2), his father C. William (Margie) Olson of Highland, siblings Marianne (Todd) Stevens of Highland, Janette (Bill) Richan of Highland, Julee (Greg) Abel of Ashland, OR, Neil (Emily) Olson of Draper, and Brian (Shalyse) Olson of Salem, OR.

Jared was preceded in death by his sweet mother, Linda Bischoff Olson, brother Vance (infant), and his Grandparents.

A viewing will be held Friday, Oct. 25th from 6-8pm at the Hunter Chase LDS Bldg, 2198

Foxtrail Drive, Lehi, UT. The family prayer and closing of the casket will be held that evening. Funeral services will be held Saturday, Oct. 26th at 11:00am at the Traverse Mountain Stake Center, 2030 W. Chapel Ridge Rd, Lehi, UT. Friends can visit with the family prior to the service from 9:30-10:45. Burial services will be at Logan City Cemetery in Logan, UT.

In lieu of flowers, you can donate to the family fund at any Wells Fargo branch for Jared Olson of Lehi Utah or online at [www.youcaring.com/jaredolson](http://www.youcaring.com/jaredolson).

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# Cemetery

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**Logan City Cemetery**  
1000 North 1200 East  
Logan, UT, 84321

# Events

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**OCT 25 Family Viewing** 06:00PM - 08:00PM

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Hunter Chase LDS Ward  
2198 Foxtrail Drive, Lehi, UT, US, 84043

**OCT 26 Family Viewing** 09:30AM - 10:45AM

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Traverse Mountain Stake Center  
2030 W. Chapel Ridge Road, Lehi, UT, US, 84043

**OCT 26 Funeral Service** 11:00AM

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# Comments

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“ The Costanzo family of Grants Pass would like to offer our condolences to Bill Olson, his family, and the Jared Olson family. Bill was my boss for 20+ years and although I didn't know Jared well, I know Bill and Linda and their kids were close knit family and great people. Chuck & Nancy Costanzo

**Chuck Costanzo** - October 28, 2013 at 02:36 PM

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“ I have great Memories of Jared and his family visiting our farm in Wyoming and hanging out together at Grandpa's. Jared and I were both born the same year, both got married around the same time, and both have four children. Since he was a few months older than I was he always got to do things a little bit sooner than I did and was a great example for me. We also both love the Yankees just like grandpa Olson, and both served missions in the New York/New Jersey area. Because we had so many things in common I always liked to keep track of Jared and how he was doing in life. I wish we had been able to get together more often. I'm certainly grateful Neil got married when he did because I was able to do a lot of catching up with him then! Gone but not forgotten. -Michael Haderlie

**Michael Haderlie** - October 25, 2013 at 06:15 PM

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“ Jared I hope you are smiling tonight as you watch family and friends come to honor your life and legacy. This weekend is going to be one of the hardest in my entire life, having to say goodbye to you and more importantly saying to a guy that was so good to my sister and family these past 12 years. I love how similar our families are, I have grown to love you and your family as if they were my own. I cannot express how thankful I am to have had you as my brother in law, thank you Jared! Tonight and tomorrow there will be tears shed, but know that all of the tears are a way of remembering how great you were and how blessed we were to be a part of your life. I was able to pull a few strings with the "Quacks" this week, I hope that your family can enjoy the great things that Oregon football and basketball have sent to honor your memory. We will miss you terribly, but vow to never forget the great example you were to all of us. Thank you for so many great memories, I love and miss you Jared! Love, Rob

**Rob Geertsen** - October 25, 2013 at 05:56 PM

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“ My condolences go out to the Olson family. Not only have you been blessed by having Jared in your life but Jared was blessed to be a part of such a loving family. My love and prayers go out to you during this difficult time.  
Pam Snow

**Pam Snow** - October 25, 2013 at 01:13 PM

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“ Leslee & Family  
From all of us at the FDIC, we want to express our deepest sympathy as you and your family as you deal with this tragic loss. Jared was truly a great person and will be missed by all of us at the FDIC. Our examiners were inspired by his positive attitude, professionalism, and wonderful example of endurance and commitment, especially given his tremendous fight these past two years.

Bob Preite – FDIC

**Bob Preite** - October 25, 2013 at 12:11 PM

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“ Leslee & Family,  
We are so thankful to have met you, Jared and your family and to have you in our lives. We are truly blessed for that. We will pray for your sweet family. Words will not do, but we recognize how special Jared is. Peace be with your family. All our Love.

**Skip & Angela** - October 25, 2013 at 09:32 AM

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**Leslee** - October 23, 2013 at 05:41 PM

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“ Love you Jared. It is going to take a while for all of us to accept that you are no longer with us! We are truly going to miss you. Every time I see an Oregon Ducks logo, Mike & Ikes, or shrimp chowder I will think of you! I know that there was rejoicing in heaven when you returned to your heavenly home....but for us we can't help but feel sad. Grateful to know that we will see you again....

**Becky McDonald** - October 23, 2013 at 01:34 PM

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“ Jared is one of the valiant! When considering those who will serve with the youth it is so important to the Lord that they have a kind personality, loving spirit, strong testimony, and sense of humor. Jared possess all of these traits and many more. It was a distinct honor to serve with Jarod as we watched over the youth in our ward. Next to these traits Jared possessed another blessing, his family! His wife, Leslee and children gave up so much of their time to allow him to be with the youth. What a great example of support they are. Thank you for all your devotion to the Lord and his youth.  
We love you Jared, and your beautiful family!

Bishop Compton

**Jeff Compton** - October 23, 2013 at 11:02 AM

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“ We will miss everything about you Jared. You were the life of the party and always kept us laughing. Candy poker will not be the same without you. I hope there is Abby's pizza for you in heaven

**Bill Richan** - October 22, 2013 at 07:18 PM

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**Bill Richan** - October 22, 2013 at 07:18 PM

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“ Love you buddy. You are the best. We've got your family's back.... Give mom a hug from all of us.

Love, Your Favorite Brother.....(No, Not Brian..... Neil)

Neil Olson - October 22, 2013 at 06:03 PM

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Rob Geertsen - October 22, 2013 at 04:50 PM

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“ I did not know Jared very well but the last 2 times he was in St. George for work i happened to run into him. Once at the bank and the other at ROSS where he was shopping by himself. He was staring at me and I said, "I think I know you from somewhere." He laughed and said, "yea... Im Janette's brother" then i made the connection. He had his little purchases in his hand and seemed like a gentle giant! Its hard to believe he is gone but not forgotten. Im so sorry for your loss.

Lynette Pratt - October 22, 2013 at 04:26 PM

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“ Jared stole the heart of my little sister when she was in about fifth grade! We were all at a basketball camp that my Uncle Ken ran and he gave her his jacket because she was cold. She probably doesn't even remember this, but I remember her saying, "Jared is sooooo nice! He gave me his jacket tonight and I didn't even ask for it." She was a bit giddy about this! Jared was so kind and so loving to everyone. He didn't know he was causing a crush... he was just being the nice guy he was! What a wonderful legacy he left here on this earth.

Julie Brooksby - October 22, 2013 at 03:21 PM

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“ I love you Jared. You were the greatest example of love and compassion. I loved your sense of humor and how you made everyone laugh. Your humor will always be with us. We have many stories to share with your children. Give mom a hug. I love you.

Love, Janette

janette richan - October 22, 2013 at 01:13 PM