



## Anthony Bryan Cates

August 11, 1957 - February 26, 2024

Anthony Bryan Cates, “Uncle Tony”, passed away peacefully on February 26th, 2024 after a battle with cancer. He was 66 years old.

Born in Lancaster, CA on August 11th 1957. Tony called many places home. Spending time in Lancaster, Portland, Boston, Cheyenne, Brigham City, Sandy, and his later years in West Jordan. In his youth, he enjoyed spending time on his grandparent’s farm in Brigham.

He pursued a career in surveying, finishing his work as a Surveyor for Salt Lake County.

An adventurer at heart, Tony found joy in road trips, exploring new places, and embracing the open road. His trips took him to many parts of the country. He had a great love for sports, particularly football and basketball, where he spent a great deal of time yelling at officials on the television.

Like his dad, Tony was an accomplished “movie buff”, with a love for action movies.

When the Nintendo ES was released in the 80’s, he was an early adopter spending a lot of time playing Mario Brothers and Dragon Warrior with his nephews where the famous warrior character “Zip” was born. Zip had many great adventures with Tony and the boys.

His pride and joy in his later years was his “baby” Nicco, his Australian shepherd/Great Pyrenees mix whom he affectionately called “Puuup”.

His quick wit and (sometimes irreverent) candor will be deeply missed by family and friends.

# Previous Events

## Family Viewing

MAR 1. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (MT)

Serenity Funeral Home of Bluffdale

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