



# Christopher Brian Redfield

November 7, 1982 - December 30, 2023

Christopher Brian Redfield, 41, passed away on 12/30/2023 in Tooele, UT. He was born on 11/7/1982, in Salt Lake City, UT to Brian and Evelyn Redfield.

Chris grew up in Montgomery County, MD and graduated from Watkins Mill High School in 2001. Chris loved staying active and was part of the cross-country team and spent many years of his childhood participating in competitive swimming, baseball, and basketball. Chris received his Eagle Scout award before graduating from High School and then went on to attend Utah State University. He received his Associates Degree in Dental Lab Technology at Idaho State University. Chris had a gift for designing and making teeth and was excellent at his profession.

As an adult, Chris enjoyed playing disc golf with friends and family in his spare time. If you knew Chris, you know what a big personality he had. He loved his family and spent many hours with his niece and nephews, Rosemary and Zachary Taylor and Miles and Roman Clark. Everyone loved Uncle Chris and family gatherings will never be the same without his commentary and eccentricities. Whenever anyone needed a helping hand, Chris was always the first person to step in and get the job done.

Chris has an avid love for the outdoors. He especially loved fishing. Accompanied by his father, they frequently visited new fishing spots around

the west, he would always bring home his catch to share with the whole family. He was the grill master and would cook us amazing meals.

Chris is survived by his parents: Brian and Evelyn Redfield; his siblings: Emily Clark, (Glenn) Sarah Taylor, (Austin) and Andrew Redfield, (Laila Hakkarinen); his 7 nieces/nephews: 2 Aunts and 8 cousins. He was preceded in death by his four grandparents, his Aunt (Marion Campbell) and his Uncle (Bill Wilhelm).

Services will be held to celebrate his life on Saturday, January 13th at 11:00 am at the LDS chapel located at 1380 West 6785 South in West Jordan, Utah. A visitation is scheduled at 10:00 am for those who would like to attend.

In lieu of flowers the family has asked that contributions be made to Waste Less Solutions <https://www.wastelessolutions.org/donate>

Service to be streamed via ZOOM starting at 11:00 a.m. on 1/13/2024 [www.zoom.us/j/97240347768](http://www.zoom.us/j/97240347768)

# Previous Events

## Viewing

JAN 13. 10:00 AM - 10:50 AM (MT)

River 5th Ward  
1380 W 6785 S,  
West Jordan, UT 84084

## Funeral Service

JAN 13. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (MT)

River 5th Ward  
1380 W 6785 S,  
West Jordan, UT 84084

## Burial

JAN 13. 12:30 PM - 1:00 PM (MT)

Elysian Burial Gardens  
1075 East 4580 South  
Millcreek, UT 84117

# Tribute Wall

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“ I'm Chris's Aunt Caryn, and I have known Christopher his entire exuberant life. Chris was free with his smiles, with love and with laughter. He will be missed by all who have been privileged to know him, me included. I'm grateful to have had Chris in my life and look forward to being a part of his post-earth life when we are all reunited as an eternal family. I dearly wish I could attend his services in person, but my health does not allow me to do so. Because of this, I'm gratefully attending via Zoom. I'm so glad that this option is being made available. I want Chris's parents, Evelyn and Brian, and his siblings, nieces and nephews, to know that he and they have been on my mind since the day of his accident. My prayers are with the family. I understand loss and the road that lays before them, and I wish I could take away the hurt they must endure. I do, however, offer them my own beliefs that we are only separated from our deceased loved ones by a thin veil, that Chris, in his spiritual form, will continue to be near us, to be felt by us, to love and to be loved by us. I find these beliefs extremely comforting, and I hope there comes a time when every member of this family will also find comfort in the Lord's Plan of Happiness. Life goes on beyond our sojourn here on earth. Chris is not lost to us; he lives on with his Uncle Bill, and with his grandparents who adored him. May your hearts be warmed by happy memories of our dear Christopher. Love to all -- Caryn Ann Wilhelm

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**Caryn Ann Wilhelm** - January 12, 2024 at 08:11 PM

RS

“ I'll remember Chris's big smile as he slung his arm around my shoulders growing up in Montgomery Village to say hi. I'll remember his big laugh as he goofed off with Nathan Larsen. He was a sweet guy with a big heart.

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**Rachel Sanger** - January 09, 2024 at 12:07 PM

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*Since my son Glenn married Chris' sister Emily, Chris had endured himself to me by loving my grand children, his nephews, and always happy to babysit them. Chris loved doing things to please everyone. He would grill delicious fish that he caught himself for family meals when I would visit. He kept us laughing at some of his experiences with his job and interactions with people he met. Everyone who has ever met Chris will miss him! Peace and Love to you Chris!*

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**Charlene Richard** - January 10, 2024 at 11:47 AM

SB

*Tis' said much about a person is developed by the time they are 8 years old. From Chris's birthday to Age 5 he was ALWAYS such a KIND, thoughtful, sweet boy. So thankful to hear the stories of how his precious trait remained until his parting.*

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**Susan Barton** - January 11, 2024 at 04:21 PM

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*Life changed for everyone that knew Chris on December 30th. Chris was the baby that gave me the honored title of Aunt. The phone call announcing his arrival is etched in my brain like it was yesterday! The common thread that seems to run through the description of Chris is, warm, kind, helpful, loving, fun and always had a big smile, and I was privileged to see all of these at one time or another. His lose is felt so greatly because his life was cut short, so much potential, so much life still to live. These next days, weeks and months are going to be filled with an array of emotions for his family and friends and I pray that the vast amount of memories can provide some relief. Chris you are loved, you will be missed more that anyone can express, but I have faith that God has a plan that we just can't understand at this time.*

*Aunt Peggy*

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**Peggy Redfield** - January 13, 2024 at 11:33 AM