



Gregory Duke Reid

February 20, 1965 - November 4, 2021

Gregory Duke Reid - Funeral Service

Time: Nov 10, 2021 11:00 AM Mountain Time (US and Canada)

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Our beloved Gregory Duke Reid, 56, passed away from a heart attack on November 4, 2021, in Cottonwood Heights, Utah. He was born on February 20, 1965, to Donald "Duke" Reid and Joan Arnold Reid in Provo, Utah.

Greg married Christa Devlin on December 12, 2002, in the Salt Lake City Temple. Family was the focus of his life. He loved his wife and four wonderful children. He was a devoted son, brother, uncle, and friend. He served others faithfully and loved the Gospel of Jesus Christ, influencing many for good during his life. He had a special gift to sincerely ask about others; he was keenly interested in who you were and what you were doing. His love was felt because it was spoken.

Greg grew up in Nephi and Cottonwood Heights, the proud son of a basketball coach. He graduated from Brighton High School where he served on the

Seminary Council. He served an LDS mission in Cordoba, Argentina and he developed an abiding love for the people there. He graduated from the University of Utah in marketing and communications, but he always said he had more credits from BYU.

He enjoyed a distinguished career at American Express for 35 years. He recently served as the Director of HR Business Systems Support. He was a dedicated worker and received several awards for his excellence in leadership and business.

Greg loved chips and salsa, Diet Coke, and taking trips with his family. He loved playing anything with a racket and was secretly a talented clogger. Like his father Duke, he loved working in his immaculate yard. He ultimately embraced an unexpected friendship with his family's dog, Ollie.

He was an intimate father and loved watching his children in basketball, dance, lacrosse, student government, and everything that his daughters and sons enjoyed. On their birthdays, each year, he would pull them aside and tell them about the day they were born and the first thing he noticed about them.

Greg will be deeply missed because he was such an important part of his loved one's lives. He organized many family reunions because he loved his family heritage. He will forever be tied together with those he loved. Motivated by his love for the Lord, he often said: "we need to see others as He does."

Greg is survived by his wife Christa; his children, Sydney, Austin, Camryn, Walker; his mother, Joan; his parents-in-law, Rick and Sandy Devlin; his siblings, Stephanie (Kirk) Nielson, Todd (Debbie) Reid, Gary (Wendy) Reid, and Alison (Spencer) Tueller; and his nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be held on Wednesday, November 10, at 11 a.m. at the

Draper Meadows Stake Center (573 East 13800 South, Draper, UT). A viewing will be held on Tuesday, November 9, 2021, from 6 to 8 p.m. and prior to the service on Wednesday from 9 to 10:30 a.m. at the same Draper Meadows Stake Center location.

Last Thanksgiving, Greg shared these thoughts with all his family and friends:

I'm grateful for my tribe; grandparents, parents, in-laws, brothers, sisters, nieces, nephews, aunts, uncles, and cousins. We're far from perfect, but you'd be hard pressed to find a more loving group of people—and "who has more fun than we do?" We're all different with our unique strengths and weaknesses, but unified in our dedication to family and watching out for each other. I'm so thankful for their examples and influence for good in my life.

#givethanks

Please share a memory about Greg at serenityfhs.com.

Previous Events

Viewing

NOV **9**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (MT)

Draper Meadows Stake Center
573 East 13800 South
Draper, UT 84020

Viewing

NOV **10**. 9:00 AM - 10:30 AM (MT)

Draper Meadows Stake Center
573 East 13800 South
Draper, UT 84020

Funeral Service

NOV **10**. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (MT)

Draper Meadows Stake Center
573 East 13800 South
Draper, UT 84020

Interment

NOV **10**. 1:00 PM - 1:30 PM (MT)

Evergreen Cemetery (Springville)
1997 South 400 East
Springville, UT 84663

Tribute Wall



“ *Gregory Duke Reid*

October 05, 2023 at 07:49 PM



“ *Missing you on your birthday today !!*

Ajay Rattan - February 20, 2023 at 12:34 PM



“ *Wendy lit a candle in memory of Gregory Duke Reid*



wendy - November 23, 2021 at 02:27 PM



“ *A sympathy card was purchased for the family of Gregory Duke Reid.*



November 20, 2021 at 04:46 PM



“ A sympathy card was purchased for the family of Gregory Duke Reid.



November 17, 2021 at 05:16 PM



“ Bhumi S lit a candle in memory of Gregory Duke Reid



Bhumi S - November 17, 2021 at 11:33 AM



“ I will always think of Greg when I see a beautiful garden, he loved and appreciated Gods beauty and knew what it took to keep it looking flawless. His garden was immaculate, we would sometimes laugh at him watering the concrete and even the rocks but somehow whatever he was doing worked. We both agreed that a good power washer was the best gift someone could receive. I will remember many summer nights in the neighborhood talking on his front lawn about our kids that were close in ages and about them getting older. Because of Greg I learned to treasure every stage and milestone. He wanted time to slow down and to just love and squeeze his kids every chance he could get. I smile when I think of the occasional texts on a Sunday hoping we had a spare Diet Coke on hand. We love you and will miss you Greg!

Brenda Robertson - November 11, 2021 at 05:18 PM

CE

“ Greg had a very genuine way about him and you knew he was sincere when he was talking to you. I was out in Utah for a cousin's wedding and so worked at the SLC office for a day and Greg made sure to take me out to lunch and introduce me around. It may not have seemed like a big deal, but it made a big impression.

My great-grandpa wrote poems and I'd like to share one of them as I count Greg as a "Regular First Class Guy."

-Carter Elton

Regular First Class Guy
By David Horton Elton

*When you meet a fine, young fellow,
Just a robust careless boy,
And he greets you with a "Hello"
That just thrills your heart with joy;
If, to him, your friendships' priceless,
Something money cannot buy,
Then you're what he's pleased to label,
"That's a reg'lar first class guy."*

*It has caused me some reflection,
And, I've often wondered why
This supremest, deep affection —
"That's a reg'lar first class guy."
"Guys" fulfill a useful mission,
"Guys" support and "guys" sustain;
Keep erect, maintain position,
Take up slack, and take off strain.*

*That's the "guys" we really should be,
Guys that steady and sustain,
Guys that serve, support, and strengthen,*

*Take the slack and ease the strain.
You have reached the highest title,
When the boys you're passing by
Turn and say to one another,
There's a reg'lar first class guy.*

*By a "guy" to some fine fellow,
Show how to "play the game,"
Buck him up, and keep him level,
Brace him when he's under strain.
Be to him a real companion —
Not "too good," and not "too wise,"
Just a "pal," and then you're listed
With his "reg'lar first class guys."*

Carter Elton - November 11, 2021 at 04:24 PM

JJ

“ I have so many great memories with Gregorio! He had all these unique ways of saying things that he claimed he learned from his dad so we called them "Dukeisms". I wish I had recorded all the "Dukeisms" I heard over the years so I could keep them in a book and picture him saying them.

Greg also had a way of doing things that were so memorable. For some reason, many of them involved sacrificing his body in some way. Climbing a 15 foot locked fence so he could get on the tennis courts at the high school, attempting to master kneeboarding behind a boat, and jumping into a pool fully clothed (cellphone, keys, and wallet included) to help one of his kids.

As you all probably know, Greg hated letting a ball of any kind get past him. I remember one time while playing tennis Greg was determined to chase down a ball in the corner of the court. In this attempt, we all watched as if in slow motion Greg went completely horizontal and then in disbelief as he flew headlong into the fence. It was like something out of a movie! All of us including Greg didn't know whether to laugh or call an ambulance. But in classic Greg fashion, he got up and said "let's keep playing!"

Greg was always up for an adventure and I'm grateful he talked me into joining him on some of them. Staying up until 2am to watch a lunar eclipse, a spur of the moment drive to Colorado City, and late nights sitting on top of a boat house looking at the stars. Those moments will be with me forever.

Thank you for being a part of my life Greg! You are truly one of a kind and I will miss you terribly!

James





James Jones - November 10, 2021 at 06:01 PM

JK

“ *Greg had a massive reach, he had friends all around the world.*

As a family we have talked a lot about Greg over the last week. My daughter made the comment "at least he will have a lots of chocolate cake", I smiled and said "what do you mean". "-there is a lot of chocolate cake in heaven, so at least he will have cake"

Her comment really made me smile, I love kids innocence.

Enjoy all the cake you want Greg!

Lots of love from John (Amex) and family in Norway

John Knutsen - November 10, 2021 at 03:46 PM

TL

“ I also was a direct report of Greg about 6 years ago. I was always touched and amazed by how much Greg could care for me as an individual. He was immediately my champion and I could tell he wanted to insure that I felt his concern and support for me as an individual. Although I was only with him for a little over a year, during that time and after he reached out to check in on me and keep me updated on things going on with the Amex team. I also loved hearing stories about his family whom he clearly loved very much.

One of my favorite memories of Greg is when HR organized a flash mob in the cafe at work. I volunteered to be the camera man for it and had a front row seat to watch Greg and others break into some impressive moves and his flexibility surprised me! He was right in there and insync with those much younger.

Greg breathed fun and love into whatever he did.

Tim Lovell - November 10, 2021 at 02:37 PM

BH

“ I have been lucky to be one of his reports back in 2014/15. He was always ready to help, listen and he actually understood the feeling you want to share and not just listen. I was a contractor back then and he still used to meet with me weekly for one on one. No one ever would do that! He just brought the best out of the person I was. It was very positive and encouraging talking to him. He welcomed me in his family by sharing all the stories of his kids and he was welcomed into mine with as much love. He would reach out just to check on us. Life got busy and I somehow was not able to stay in touch since last 2 years and now that he is gone I think why I was not talking to him every single day. There was so much to learn from him personally and to love everyone and live life with everything it throws at us. He was the most genuine person I know. He was gem of a person and I miss him and will always miss him, the void will always be there. If I can be at least half of the kind of person he was I would feel like I actually have learnt something from him and could make him proud.



Bhumi - November 10, 2021 at 02:13 PM



“ I love you Greg and hoped you knew I always had your back. You will be missed.

DeeJay Smith - November 10, 2021 at 02:05 PM

SG

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Stephanie Gomes - November 10, 2021 at 12:39 PM

AU

He loved Ainge and always commented on how fun he is. Also he was so kind, making thoughtful comments, he just complimented me on my talk A couple Sundays ago it was so nice, that was the last time I spoke to him.

Aubewy - November 10, 2021 at 02:02 PM

AU

He was so thoughtful, he loved our little guy, Ainge. He always commented on how fun he was to watch. Also he just complimented me on a talk I gave in church a few Sundays ago it was so kind, it made my week.

Aubrey - November 10, 2021 at 02:04 PM

TE

“ *What a fantastic example of love and support for his family. Thoughts and prayers with all.*

Ted - November 10, 2021 at 12:07 PM

JV

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Jerico Villalobos - November 10, 2021 at 11:55 AM

VO

“ Greg was a true gentleman and a very kind person. Awesome colleague and friend. So sad to hear he’s no longer with us. May the Lord give his family strength and may he Rest In Peace.



Vicky Olivo-Suriel - November 10, 2021 at 10:47 AM

AM

“ I only worked with Greg a little bit while working on the Return to Office Program. His thoughtfulness and partnership will be greatly missed. Sending condolences and sympathy.

Anne Musial - November 10, 2021 at 10:14 AM

JK

“ Greg was the best of the best. I had the wonderful fortune to call him friend and get to work with my friend every day. Greg was a blessing to everyone he met, a true ray of sunshine. His love for his family was unending. I loved every story of the Reid family and your many adventures. The way he lit up when talking about you all will be what I remember most. I’m so terribly sorry for your loss. May his memory always be a blessing.

Jen Kybartas - November 10, 2021 at 10:13 AM

DS

“ I worked with Greg 25 years ago or so at American Express. He has always impressed me as someone who had his priorities straight. My condolences to the family at this difficult time. May you find peace in the Savior's Atonement.

David Smith

David Smith - November 10, 2021 at 09:52 AM

MA

“ *Because I am his older cousin, I am fortunate to have known Greg for his entire life. What a shock it was to hear of his passing!*

From his earliest days, Greg had a calm, pleasant, fun-loving demeanor. Those traits, along with an infectious laugh, his easy smile and a strong sense of integrity, made him a true gentleman. And he was a gentle man.

Greg leaves a big hole in many hearts because his heart was so big. In that way, he was like his dad “Duke”, from whom he received his middle name. I’ve never felt more loved than I have when was in the presence of either of those great men.

Although we didn’t see each other nearly often enough in this lifetime, dear cousin, I hope to one day see you again. And when I do, I know we’ll again embrace each other, smile and laugh.

Save a spot for me in our Father’s Kingdom, Greg. Until then, I’m sure you will be busy going about His business as you have done throughout your entire life. My love goes out to you and your precious family during this emotional time.

Mike Arnold - November 10, 2021 at 05:00 AM

CK

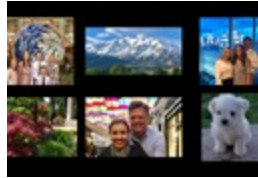
“ *I started working with Greg this year on the Return to Office Project for the UK market. He was always patient, calm and showed that he cared about what he was doing. So sad and shocking news, sending my deepest sympathies to Greg's family and friends.*



Charlie Kenyon - November 10, 2021 at 04:21 AM

JV

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Jerico Villalobos - November 10, 2021 at 03:04 AM

JV

“ I will always remember Greg as the one bringing happiness to every situation we faced as a team. No matter how difficult the condition, he always had a way to make us feel phenomenal and full of joy.

Jerico Villalobos - November 10, 2021 at 03:02 AM

AB

“ Greg was my manager for the last three months. I talked to him every day and it's hard to believe that I won't speak to him again. Even though I only knew him for a short time, it was so clear that he was the most kind, supportive, and encouraging person. He brought humanity to work, always prioritizing his team's well-being over anything else.

Greg, I will miss your positivity and kind spirit but will carry them with me in hopes of following your lead.

To Greg's family and love ones, my thoughts and prayers are with you.

Arti Badami - November 09, 2021 at 11:29 PM

DH

“ It was an honor to work with Greg over this last year. His smile, kindness and warmth always brought sunshine into each meeting and interaction. He will be greatly missed. With my most sincere condolences to his family and loves one.

Dionne Rodrigues Healy

Dionne Rodrigues Healy - November 09, 2021 at 11:25 PM

KN

“ Greg was simply one-of-a-kind, the best-of-the-best, truly an extraordinary human, husband, father, son, family member, colleague, leader and friend to many. What an honor and privilege to have known Greg 24 years both professionally at American Express and personally, plus having shared the joys of knowing his beloved Christa, his adored children and wonderful family. Greg touched so many lives in very special ways by his genuineness, kindness, concern for others, generosity, enthusiasm, creativity, sense of adventure, laughter, wit, personal warmth, and his passion for life, faith and love. What an amazing friend and role model! And above all, was his love for family – Christa, Sydney, Austin, Camryn and Walker, you are his greatest joy and there is not a prouder husband and father. I am so very sorry for your heartbreaking loss and hope that wonderful memories and his enduring love will help sustain you and give you strength in the days ahead. We are all here for you to embrace the special Reid family with our ongoing love, support and friendship.

Greg, you are so missed! Thank you for touching our hearts, our minds, our lives - we are forever thankful and appreciative.

Katie Naylor

Katie Naylor - November 09, 2021 at 10:32 PM

SB

I met Greg at American Express nearly 24 years ago. We used to put on skits during our benefits annual enrollment and Greg and I played Donnie and Marie Osmond in one of these skits. We both wore fake teeth, which made it quite hilarious since Greg already had an incredible smile! Greg even wore the purple socks Donnie used to wear!

Before Greg met Christa, I remember him telling me he was never going to meet the right person for him and was concerned that he was getting older and older. I remember how happy Greg was when he met Christa! They were the perfect couple. Greg adored his wife and each of his children. He always had pictures of them on his desk. He loved telling us stories about the latest adventures with Sydney, Walker, Austin and Camryn and he always had us laughing with the stories he'd share!

Greg was my leader, mentor and dear friend. We worked together in different capacities over the years. I left Amex and Greg hired me back. The offer had a substantial impact on my life at a time when I really needed it and I always told him he saved my life that day. He has changed me and my life in ways I can't put into words. He even checked on me after my father passed away a few months ago and he said the kindest things. He truly cared about his direct reports and colleagues, and their well-being was important to him.

I will miss Greg terribly. He was a dear and genuine friend and he has always had a special place in my heart. I will be forever grateful to him for what he's done for me and my family.

Christa and family, I hope you can find comfort in all the incredible memories you have together. As you now have to figure out who you are without him and how to navigate through life, he will always be with you in your hearts and your memories.

My deepest and heartfelt condolences to all of you.

Stefanie Barrett

Stefanie Barrett - November 10, 2021 at 01:03 AM

CR

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claudette robinson - November 09, 2021 at 06:52 PM

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2014 Pinnacle Award in NY

claudette robinson - November 09, 2021 at 06:54 PM

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2014 Pinnacle Award in NY

claudette robinson - November 09, 2021 at 06:56 PM

SB

“ *My Dear Sweet Friend, I will miss you more than words can express! I will miss your wisdom, humor and kind heart! You were the most compassionate and thoughtful person that I've ever known. You've always been there for every one and cared so sincerely and genuinely and now it's our turn to show that same genuine kindness to the people that you love the most...Christa, Sydney, Austin, Camryn & Walker!*

Christa and kids, I know that you each know how much your Husband & Dad loves you, because he was so great at showing everyone how much he cared and loved them. We all heard him express this great love for his family in every interaction we had with him.

Greg touched so many peoples lives. I hope you know how much he will be missed at American Express and in each of our lives. But you are the lucky ones, because your Dad lives on in each one of you! I hope you all find peace in remembering all of the great memories you made with him. My thoughts and prayers are with each one of you!!

~Stephanie Bracken

Stephanie Bracken - November 09, 2021 at 06:49 PM

MT

“ *It was such an honor to work with Greg over the many years we both had at Amex. He always lit up a room or virtual phone room with a smile and such a positive energy. Greg will leave a footprint on his Amex colleagues hearts. My heartfelt condolences go out to his family. Sending strength and prayers to get through this difficult time.*

Meleesa Trujillo - November 09, 2021 at 06:33 PM

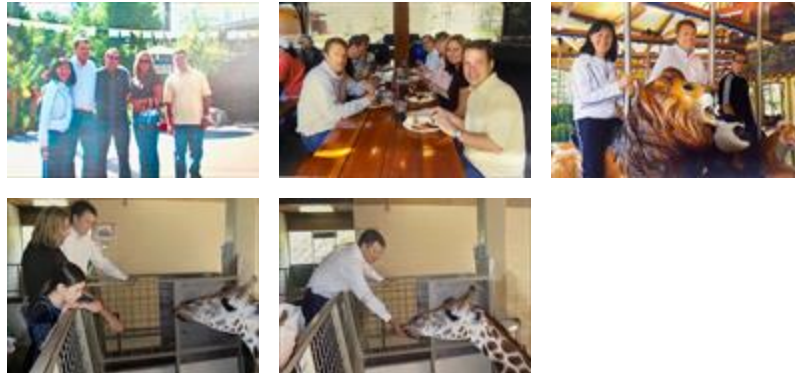
SH

“ Greg and I met in high school geometry class and became fast friends because we had a lot in common (dads from Springville who were childhood friends, cooler older sisters who were way more popular than us :-), and difficulty understanding geometry). He was just a kind, humble good person. We lost track of each other after high school until I ran into him more than 20 years later. We still had a lot in common (moved away to the big city for our careers for several years, married later than the typical Utah Mormon timeline). It was obvious he'd achieved a lot in his career, but was the same kind humble Greg who was more interested in hearing about me, and talking about his family, not himself. Sincere condolences to a family I know he loved dearly.

Scott Harmer - November 09, 2021 at 06:13 PM

SB

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Stephanie Bracken - November 09, 2021 at 05:50 PM

CJ

“ Greg, carry on brother!

Chris Jeppson - November 09, 2021 at 05:48 PM

BA

“ *Bala lit a candle in memory of Gregory Duke Reid*



Bala - November 09, 2021 at 05:38 PM

NA

“ *I don't know where to begin with expressing how special Greg is. He is the reason my career path at Amex has taken an upward trajectory. Without having ever met me in person and after a 15 minute conversation, he was encouraging me to apply for a new role that was open on his team. Within that 15 minute call, it was quickly apparent what a beautiful, selfless spirit he has. Although he was my leader for a short six month period, our calls were always filled with positive advice, solid business mentoring, and faithful talks. I said to him, more than once, that I'm a firm believer of the saying "everything happens for a reason." We both agreed in this statement and I think having that faith helped us communicate and connect very quickly.*



I truly appreciate, and will always hold dear, having known Greg, Prayers to Christa, Sydney, Austin, Camryn, Walker, and other family members that are grieving.

Nancy Rockwell

Nancy - November 09, 2021 at 05:12 PM

MB

“ Thinking good thoughts for your family at this difficult time. I had the privilege of having Austin in my fifth grade class and it was obvious what a devoted father Greg was and how well-mannered his children are. So sorry for your loss.

Mark Besendorfer - November 09, 2021 at 05:07 PM

JV

“ Greg was my leader and step-leader for the past 18 months. He was the most sincere, caring and supportive colleague one could wish for.
He always saw the best in people and was dedicated to making his team feel like a family. Greg was genuinely interested in his colleagues and their lives outside of work. He was also the first one to share kind words of recognition and encouragement.
He has made me a better person, helping me see the good in others, just as he did.
I am grateful have met Greg and had him as my leader.
My thoughts and prayers are with his family.

Jan Vavrusa - November 09, 2021 at 03:35 PM

LB

“ What can I say about Greg that has not already been said? As has been repeatedly stated, Greg was one of the kindest, most thoughtful friend and colleague I have ever met. He truly was selfless and always took time to listen, lend an ear, provide advice if asked, and embodied empathy and compassion. He impacted so many lives; more than he probably ever suspected. His love of family was evident in every spoken word and shared photo. He will be sorely missed and not soon forgotten.

Lynn Blackston - November 09, 2021 at 03:23 PM

CC

“ I had the privilege of being one of Greg’s cousins. I always admired the Duke Reid family and knew that Greg was a one of a kind. Since Living in Arizona I did not see him often. But upon my moving to Utah I had more of an opportunity to get reacquainted and especially at the family reunion at Christa and Greg’s house. He was generous, kind and accepting. I have been revisiting family pictures of the past. They brought back fond memories. . I am thinking there is a grand reunion on the other side. Love, Cindy Taylor Cook- cousin

Cindy Cook - November 09, 2021 at 03:17 PM

CC

“ Cindy Cook lit a candle in memory of Gregory Duke Reid



Cindy Cook - November 09, 2021 at 02:39 PM

CC

Greg I knew you better when we were much younger. When I moved to Arizona we did not see each other. But as I remember you were always a good boy. Now as adults when I have seen you, you have been super kind, engaging and I have felt a bond with you as family. I loved your Dad and you are so much like him. You and your family have been in my heart and on my mind this past few days. I’m so grateful for knowing you and comforted knowing families can be together forever. May you enjoy your loved ones on the other side. Love, cousin Cindy

Cindy Cook - November 09, 2021 at 02:46 PM

JB

“ Greg was the first person I met when I joined Amex over 25 years ago. He was kind, considerate, and always went out of his way to lend a helping hand. I'll never forget our years in HRICS. Greg was always willing to boost morale and participate in skits (the year we were superheroes or his famous Donny Osmond impersonation were at the top of the list!). We had the opportunity to travel as a team to NY on several occasions and it seemed more often than not, Greg was at the center of some of the best stories and experiences. My heart goes out to his family, Greg is a great man and he will be sorely missed.

Jason Barrett - November 09, 2021 at 02:26 PM

BM

“ Greg was the kindest, nicest person I have ever met; his compassion, empathy and genuine caring for the success of colleagues, friends and family was ever present and selflessly given. It was my privilege to know him as a colleague and a friend, and I will greatly miss his camaraderie, humor and the way he was able to make you an important part of his life. Christa, Sydney, Austin, Camryn and Walker, my heart aches for your loss, and may the power of the love your Father and Partner gave to you provide you strength in this difficult time. Greg, you touched so many lives and we are all better for the experience. You will be missed, but never forgotten. Go in peace, my friend.

Bruce McCauley

Bruce McCauley - November 09, 2021 at 02:01 PM

LP

“ Querido amigo,

There are many people who enter our lives and make an impact - Greg was that person. Hearing this news when I was waking up was heartbreaking. I worked with Greg very closely for the last 3 months, and working with him was a real pleasure, I really I'm going to miss him.

Rest in peace my dear amigo, we will meet again and thank you for so much.

My sincere condolences to his family and friends.

Greg, may you rest in peace.

Lilo Peltier, RtO México team

Lillian Peltier - November 09, 2021 at 12:11 PM

JU

“ Greg was truly a gentleman. A "swell" guy. (He is smiling from heaven now, knowing exactly what I mean. : -)

Thank God, I had the pleasure of meeting Greg when he visited the Tower in NY, a few years ago. I am humbly proud to be able to say I knew Greg and will remember him fondly for his amazing personality, collaborative spirit, generosity and genuine encouragement. Greg was a beautiful example of an Amex colleague, and one that will never be forgotten.

I am praying for peace and strength to Christa, Sydney, Camryn, Austin and Walker.

Judith - November 09, 2021 at 12:06 PM

TS

“ So glad I knew you, Greg. You and your family are a big part of my childhood and I am so grateful for that. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. Rest in Peace, my friend.

Todd Sylvester - November 09, 2021 at 11:50 AM

GH

“ Greg cared about people first in that he met you with kindness and generosity before any talk of work. He really, really cared about everyone in his life and treated all people as MVP's. Greg loved Christa and his kids and would talk about them in the highest regard. He was a great partner and did great work, but the best part of Greg was his gentleness and acceptance of you. I will miss working with Greg deeply; he was a rare gem! I am praying for Christa and his precious kids as they face life without their Greg.

Gretchen Hayes - November 09, 2021 at 11:49 AM

RP

“ I had the pleasure of getting to know Greg quite well over the last few years as we worked together more closely. He was a great partner and colleague, and above all, a great person. What I learned quickly about Greg was how thoughtful, warm and generous he was, and how much he cared about others. He will be sorely missed. My deepest condolences to his family and loved ones.

Rita Pang - November 09, 2021 at 11:35 AM

JW

“ I only got to know Greg briefly while we worked on a work project together, but I was able to see his humor, positivity, and kindness shine in all of our interactions and group zoom calls. When I left the company, he reached out personally to follow up on my new project. It is a shock to hear of his passing and my prayers go out to his family and loved ones. Greg - we will miss you.



Joanna Wu - November 09, 2021 at 11:32 AM

CJ

“ I had the privilege of meeting Greg years ago and then being able to work with him again in recent months. His care and thoughtfulness of others has left a lasting impression on me, one I will always cherish. Greg demonstrated in his words and actions how much he valued others. it was always a pleasure to speak with him as conveyed a sense of reassurance that no matter what challenges were ahead, we would get through it. I am blessed to have known him. My thoughts and prayers are with his family.

Clara Jibowu - November 09, 2021 at 10:58 AM

MS

“ 2 files added to the tribute wall



Moki Salazar - November 09, 2021 at 10:38 AM

JS

“ I had the privilege of knowing and working with Greg in various capacities for over 23 years. He had been my boss, colleague, travel partner and most important, friend. Greg always had a smile on his face, even when he was running into the office in a snow storm without a coat (those working with him in Salt Lake have seen this). He was beyond generous with his time and would do anything for anyone. He had a heart of gold. God bless him and his beautiful family.



Julie Shumway - November 09, 2021 at 10:37 AM

MS

“ I may have not known Greg as many as most of the folks but I can certainly say he has made an enormous impact on me just by his presence alone. For me it is meeting people and they making a lasting impression to view the world in a unique and beautiful way. It was Greg's calming nature, his empathic ability and overall genuine kindness that reflected the type of person he is. I have been very fortunate to have been part of a long project that launched MyInfo which I had the pleasure of meeting Mr. Greg Reid. I used to be confused in the beginning as there was another person named Greg on the project, both were incredibly kind but completely different in character. I secretly called them the "Greg's". With sincerest sympathy to the family, sending love and light to guide you through this difficult time.



Moki Salazar - November 09, 2021 at 10:36 AM

RH

“ This is such a shock. Greg is truly one of the kindest, most thoughtful colleagues that I worked with at Amex. His listening skills are exemplary and he talked through issues with me and offered insights that truly made a difference. This world has lost a truly noble person. He will be sorely missed but has been welcomed by throngs who have been anxiously awaiting his arrival. Prayers for his family who no doubt feel the loss deeply.

Rebecca Howland - November 09, 2021 at 10:17 AM

SM

“ I knew Greg from last 4 years, But got a chance to work along with him in year 2021 as part of RTO project, he was such a kind soul, always made you comfortable and asked others to just enjoy the holidays when on leave and not to bother about work. Still not able to absorb the news ..., he will always be missed as a great leader, Kind human being and a Happy person. May his soul RIP and my condolences to his family.

Seema Malhotra - November 09, 2021 at 09:55 AM

CS

“ I had the privilege to work with Greg over the past 8 years and he was such a great partner and colleague.

I have very fond memories of his visits to Mexico and the many projects we worked on together for LAC.

Thank you, Greg, for being a kind human being and for sharing your knowledge with generosity.

My sincere condolences to his family and friends.

Greg, may you rest in peace.

Cecilia García, GTA México

Cecilia Garcia Schinkel - November 09, 2021 at 09:40 AM



KM

“ I only started working with Greg this year as part of the RtO works in the UK. From our very first interactions Greg was an absolute gentleman, kind, courteous and a genuine pleasure to work with. He is sorely missed by all those lucky enough to have met him, my heartfelt sympathy goes to his family, friends and colleagues.

*Karl Musser
Brighton, England*

Karl Musser - November 09, 2021 at 09:02 AM



CP

“ I had the privilege to work with Greg and I am so shocked by this terrible news.

Greg was the most supportive person I have ever known.

He was my Director before I moved to a new role in my native country on September.

Just to give you an idea of what a kind and caring person he was for others, Greg contacted me a few weeks ago, only to say "hi", checking if I had any problems with the move and if I needed any support from him.

I am very blessed to have known him. My sincere and heartfelt condolences to his wonderful family.

Claudio Passa



Claudio Passa - November 09, 2021 at 08:22 AM

AM

“ Greg was a wonderful person who always brought laughter to our conversations. I had the pleasure of working with him for many years and knew he was always a message/phone call away. He will be greatly missed. My deepest condolences to you all...sending strength and prayers during this difficult time.



Angela Mazzaferro - November 08, 2021 at 09:17 PM

MY

“ I count my blessings knowing Greg and his great team way back when I did not know how colleagues who were not sitting in the same office could work so well and developed such a close relationship. Greg was a gentle person with a big heart. I knew I could count on him to resolve every challenge we faced.

I had the best time of my previous career at AE because of Greg and his team. I will miss Greg dearly.

My heartfelt condolences to Christa, Sydney, Austin, Camryn, and Walker. May you find peace during this difficult time, knowing that Greg has left great memories with his colleagues, friends and family.

*Martina Yu
Toronto, Canada*

Martina Yu - November 08, 2021 at 07:48 PM

SO

“ There are many people who enter our lives and make an impact - Greg was that person. Hearing this news while on vacation was heartbreaking. I am still processing this news. My deepest condolences to the family during this very difficult time. I pray that the memories you shared with Greg can comfort and strengthen you. Greg was an amazing colleague at American Express who truly cared about his team and always took the time to ask how you were feeling. I will miss working with him. I was fortunate to have crossed paths with Greg and worked with him on a major initiative at Amex. He kept me smiling and proud to be collaborating with him. You will forever be in our hearts and never forgotten. Sonia Husband

Sonia - November 08, 2021 at 05:56 PM

KG

“ Where to begin.. i have known Greg for 15 years as a Business Partner, peer and friend. He had the biggest heart of anyone I have ever met. I used to always use his desk when I was visiting Salt Lake and got to look at the beautiful pictures of his wife and kids. He always had great stories! Greg was a true friend to many as well as a co-worker and would be the first to reach out if any of us needed help or to see how we were doing. I was sick with Covid about a month ago and my phone pinged at 7:30 in the evening Phoenix time which would of been 8:30pm Salt Lake time. I really didn' t feel like reading the text but I did an it was Greg.. "Please take care of yourself knowing my heart and thoughts are with you for a quick recovery"! It made me smile and made my night. That is truly an example of what type of person Greg was. He was always super busy with work and attending numerous activities with his kids but he took a few minutes our of his day to reach out to see how I was. Greg was the most caring, supportive, positive individual I have ever known. I am very blessed to have known him and to have been his friend. He will be missed by many. I will cherish my last text from him for a lifetime..



Kim Guendelsberger

Kim Guendelsberger - November 08, 2021 at 05:44 PM

GV

“ I was lucky to meet Greg personally on his visit to Argentina for a local project, a very kind person. I'm very sorry for the loss of him, my condolences to his family.



Gisela Vega - November 08, 2021 at 05:18 PM

JW

“ *Your loss was a huge blow to us at American Express and to me personally as a leader that I looked to for guidance. You always had a positive but realistic view on life and work.*

Thank you for the support and friendship, the advice you provided one father to another, and for the examples of humanity that you constantly displayed by simply being yourself.

For as much as your loss has impacted so many of your friends and colleagues, I cannot imagine how it is affecting your family. I hope that the love displayed on this wall helps to confirm what they already knew about the man you are.

I am glad that I had the honor of knowing and working with you.

Jack Wagner - November 08, 2021 at 04:40 PM

MM

“ *I have been searching for words adequate enough to describe how amazing Greg was and how deeply he will be missed at American Express. Greg always went the extra mile, took the extra step, made the extra effort...to get the job done, to connect colleagues to each other, to help a friend out. When so many of us are so busy with work and life, it is easy to make excuses to "skip" the things that take extra time and effort. Greg never did. His positive, can-do attitude and congenial demeanor helped so many of us in so many ways. Praying for peace for his family.*

Melanie McKnight - November 08, 2021 at 04:35 PM

MG

“ *Such a pleasure to have worked with Greg for so many years! Always had a smile for all. You will be forever in our hearts and memories. My deepest condolences to his family and friends, you're in my prayers.*

Marisol Guzman - November 08, 2021 at 03:14 PM

AD

“ *I think I first met Greg almost 20 years ago and our work paths crossed many times over the years. Greg was one of the kindest and most generous people I've ever had the good fortune to work with and he will be missed. You could hear the joy in his voice when he talked about his family and he was always interested in hearing about mine.*

I think he was universally adored by everyone, he was such a special person. My deepest condolences to his family and friends. May you feel his presence with you in the days, weeks, and years to come.

Amy Duckart - November 08, 2021 at 02:36 PM

AS

“ *In moments like this, words always fall short. I had the privilege of knowing Greg since 2017 when I first moved in HR and shall always remember him as a calm and patient person who never shied away from helping anyone. Your presence will be deeply missed.*



Aditya Salhotra - November 08, 2021 at 02:33 PM

SV

“ Greg was an absolute pleasure and joy to work with. He was generous in all ways, with his time and for his people. I have only the fondest memories of working with him. He was a truly good person and will be missed hugely by everyone who knew him at American Express. My thoughts and very best wishes are with his family and friends.

Sam de Vaal - November 08, 2021 at 01:21 PM

CA

“ Greg was truly one of a kind and one of the warmest, kindest and most compassionate people I've had the pleasure to work with. He was the definition of "one of the good guys" - adored his family and spoke of them often with such pride and adoration. He always asked how my family were doing, remembered the names of my wife and children and showed genuine interest in all the people he met. His smile and good humour lifted every room he walked into and I have such fond memories of the times we spent together on the many business trips we shared over the years. The many, many amusing stories will stay with me forever and bring a smile every time I think of him. My heart goes out to his wonderful family. I miss you already Mr Reid

Chris Allen - November 08, 2021 at 12:41 PM

AS

“ I had the good fortune to have Greg's leadership on two big transformation projects at American Express for payroll and for talent acquisition. He was talented, dedicated and always brought calmness and smiles to high pressure situations. He will be greatly missed. I hope that the sadness that his wife, children and loved ones feel will shift to happy memories quickly. Wishing you peace. God bless.

Andrea Shiah - November 08, 2021 at 12:14 PM

AK

“ Greg was wonderful man and we worked together for a number of years both virtually and on-site. He was such a positive uplifting individual. It was such an honor and privilege to know Greg and to work with him. Greg you will be missed.



Alex Krstic

Alex Krstic - November 08, 2021 at 12:13 PM

DS

“ I had the privilege to work with Greg on the HCM project. I was new to AmEx and he was so welcoming, encouraging and kind. I am so glad I was able to meet him in person and get to know him. He indeed is one of the nicest people I have ever met, always asking how I was doing and very complimentary and uplifting. You will definitely be missed by the AmEx team, sending lots of hugs and prayers to your family. Rest in peace.

Dee Small

Dee Small - November 08, 2021 at 12:10 PM

AR

“ Greg was one of the finest human beings I have ever had the pleasure of knowing. Warm, curious, compassionate, and thoughtful. He adored his family and spoke of them with such pride. Christa, Sydney, Austin, Camryn, and Walker, I wish you peace and comfort during this difficult time. Greg's generous spirit touched me and many others so deeply, may that be his legacy. I will treasure years of precious memories with Greg as both a colleague and a friend, and will be inspired by his strength of character for the rest of my life.

Aislinn Raedy - November 08, 2021 at 12:10 PM

PS

“ 1 file added to the album Memories Album



Poonam Sharma - November 08, 2021 at 12:08 PM

CB

“ Words fall short of expressing my sorrow for the loss of Greg. I met Greg at Amex almost 9 years ago through working on many projects together. I can't tell you how excited I was when recently our team joined his. We just had a catch up last week and spent our time sharing how full our lives were with our kids activities. He just adored his family.

Greg was more than just a colleague...he was a friend, a mentor, and just someone who made you feel good any time you spoke with him. He was genuine and its very rare to find someone as special as Greg. Greg was every reason why I love Amex. He felt like family and I will miss him dearly.

My deepest sympathies to Christa, Sydney, Austin, Camryn, Walker and his extended family. May the love of those around you help you through the days ahead.

Courtney Bond

Courtney Bond - November 08, 2021 at 12:06 PM

PW

“ I had the pleasure of working in the same office with Greg for a couple of years. He sat behind me and we had the opportunity to interact often although our work was in different areas. Greg's kindness and warmth was always evident and a welcome addition to the office. I'm so sorry for your loss. My heart goes out to his family and friends. Sincerely, Pete Winstead

Pete Winstead - November 08, 2021 at 11:50 AM

JU

“ Deeply saddened to hear this news. Greg and I worked together in 2010-2012 and he was a joy to work with with a joy to know, always positive and balanced and always wanting to make a difference. Dear Greg, you absolutely made a difference to a lot of people, you and your family's kindness to me and my family when I was taken ill in SLC will always be remembered and thanked. I wish Christa and your family strength during this very sad time. Rest in peace my friend Julia x



julia - November 08, 2021 at 10:49 AM

LK

“ Greg was such a wonder, kind, sincere and caring person. I feel very blessed to have known him. Sending love and comfort to his family.

LeeAnn Kanamu - November 08, 2021 at 10:32 AM

VR

“ Greg was a wonderful man and I feel lucky to have known him. I had the good fortune to have met him years ago when I first joined Amex and I can still recall that first interaction. He had such a kind disposition, was genuinely interested in you as a person and had the most wonderful laugh. It immediately felt like we'd been friends for a lifetime - and that was a gift that I'm certain many others also felt. He added light and good energy to any moment. Greg you will be missed. My sincere and heartfelt condolences to his wife, kids and loved ones. God Bless.

Victor Ramirez - November 08, 2021 at 10:14 AM

CL

“ Greg was an incredibly thoughtful and kind person. Although I only met him a few months ago while working together at Amex, we became fast friends and I admired how much interest and compassion he expressed in who you were as a person - not just a colleague. Greg spoke so lovingly of his family; it was evident how much of a devoted father, husband and son he was. He left an indelible impression on me and will be deeply missed.

Chloe Leader - November 08, 2021 at 10:06 AM

SG

“ I have been fortunate to know Greg since I started at American Express 10 years ago, and have been particularly close to him over the past 5 years.

His kindness and optimism was a source of inspiration. It was such a pleasure to work with him. I loved our discussions mixed with exchanges and laughs. Greg, I will miss you so much... My deepest condolences to his family and friends. Sincerely, Stephanie



Stephanie Gomes - November 08, 2021 at 07:48 AM

KG

“ Greg was one of a kind. Even though we never met in person, we grew to be fast friends from working at American Express and I will always cherish the time we had together. He always made everyone feel heard and truly listened. It was wonderful to hear how much he loved his family and community. I miss him dearly and sending all of my sympathies to his family and friends.

Kim Glassman - November 08, 2021 at 07:02 AM

LW

“ I worked with Greg at American Express. He was a wonderful colleague and friend that will be greatly missed. Love and comfort to his family during this heartbreaking time.

Lisa White - November 07, 2021 at 11:21 PM

AS

“ Greg was an absolutely lovely person. We are privileged to know him in NYC when we were young married couples. He was stellar in every way and we are grateful to have spent time with him. Sending our sincere love and prayers during this difficult time.

Alison & Gibson Satterwhite - November 07, 2021 at 09:30 PM

VD

“ I worked with Greg for many years at American Express and he was a wonderful man. He was caring and really appreciated friendship. I am devastated by this terrible news. Injust reached out to him 2 weeks ago as i recently retired and he was very happy to gear from me and was looking forward to the time they would open up travel so we could meet up in New York. I hope i meet you in heaven Greg. Rest in peace

valentino Dambrosi - November 07, 2021 at 04:32 PM

UC

“ Greg was a wonderful person, i met him when i was an exchange student staying with his brother Todd during my high school years. I remember the first thing he did was talk to me in a fluid spanish and asked me if i had already dreamt in english which is my second language, that was funny because not long after he asked me that it happened. He was nice and always asked about my family, while talking to me in spanish to make me feel like i was home. I may not have been around him much, but the times i was i could tell what a kind and caring person he was for others. Condolences to all his family.

Ugo Cardona - November 07, 2021 at 12:40 PM

MM

“ I am shocked to read about Greg's passing. From our time together at Butler Junior High School, Brighton High School, BYU...and most recently as two 50+ year-olds at the Treehouse Gym in Draper trying to drop of few pounds, Greg has always been a good friend who had a genuine concern for everyone in his circle. I last spoke with Greg in early August right before I injured my back, he had just finished his workout and was headed to the locker room. He gave me a thumbs up to keep going on the bike and asked how my Summer was going. Had I known that would be my last interaction with Greg, I would have given him a big hug and thanked him for being a friend these many years! I send my love and prayers for comfort and peace to Christa and the children. Your husband/dad always talked about each of you and how much he loved his family. I know that he'll be watching over each one of you and cheering you on through life's ups and downs. God bless.

Mark Madrian - November 07, 2021 at 12:37 PM

JW

“ Greg was one of the nicest guys I've ever known! He took piano lessons from my mom for many years and we had many classes together at Brighton High School. When he was on his mission he heard that I was diagnosed with Hodgkin's Lymphoma and he wrote me many letters expressing his concern. I'm grateful for his friendship that continued through the years even if it was only through thoughtful comments on social media. My heart breaks for his beautiful family and hope they can feel peace and comfort at this time.

julie wright - November 07, 2021 at 12:03 PM

ST

“ Greg has been an amazing cousin to me! He is so personable and has an amazing ability to express love and interest in people. I can remember coincidentally running into him at a restaurant and how happy he was to see me and then invited me and my new wife to Sunday dinner with his family. What a great experience to be with him, Christa, and their darling and sweet kids! I also remember how he would reach out to me to keep me informed about extended family events. I appreciated so much how he tried to include me in things that were going on after moving to Utah a few years ago. Greg is a wonderful friend. How I love him and will miss him!

Stuart Reid Taylor - November 06, 2021 at 10:15 PM

CD

“ What a kind man. He always made me feel like he was genuinely interested in what I had to say and me in general. Of course now I wish for more time with this man. I want to know him better. Love you all! I am so saddened by this loss. May God hold him close and comfort him always, until we meet again! John, Colleen and Katie

Colleen Dilg - November 06, 2021 at 09:13 PM

EM

“ I lived next door to Christa and Greg when they were located in NY as a newly married couple. I saw first hand what a wonderful husband Greg was. I was also fortunate to live next to them when they had Sydney. He was such a devoted father. The latest memory I have is when the entire family met me for lunch during their trip to California. I will never forget how Greg was so engaged and asked about my family. A kind man...a huge loss. My condolences to the entire Reid and Devlin family

erin marlin - November 06, 2021 at 07:23 PM

TJ

“ I was lucky to know Greg. I'm sure it was a surprise to all when I was asked to serve on the Seminary Council with him. He was the kindest, smartest, thoughtful and most spiritual member of the group. Always positive with a smile to share. Sending love and prayers to all.

Sincere condolences,
Terese (Swan) Johnston

Terese Swan Johnston - November 06, 2021 at 06:31 PM

BM

“ We were in the same Ward when he was a young man. He was an excellent example of goodness. Condolences to his mom, siblings and family.

Barbara Miller - November 06, 2021 at 06:29 PM

SN

Thank you Sister Miller. We have fond memories of growing up in our beloved Butler ward with your family.

Stephanie Reid Nielson - November 07, 2021 at 01:28 AM

AT

Thank you, Sister Miller. ❤️

Alison Reid Tueller - November 07, 2021 at 02:06 AM

AT

Thank you, Sister Miller. ❤️❤️❤️

Alison Reid Tueller - November 07, 2021 at 02:07 AM

KD

I have worked with Greg on and off over the years. He was one of the most kindest and thoughtful individual. He was always there to help with anything that came his way. He will be truly missed as a colleague and friend. Truly a great person. My condolence go out to his wife, children and his entire family.

Karen DiProfio - November 08, 2021 at 09:12 AM

PS

Lucky to work with Greg. He was an amazing leader. Always emphasized on importance of family and made sure that I am able to get work life balance. My deepest condolence to his entire family. Rest in peace Greg. You will always be missed.

Poonam Sharma - November 08, 2021 at 12:05 PM

RO

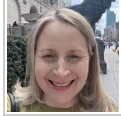
Greg was my very first friend when I moved to SLC in my early twenties to join the newly created HRICs team. He has always been like a big brother, always making sure I was okay, and that my family was well. Greg and I lost touch for a couple of years while we were both traveling and living life and when we finally reconnected, I will never forget his excitement at finding the love of his life and sharing how incredibly happy he was at being a dad. Whenever Greg spoke about Christa, Sydney, Austin, Camryn or Walker, his whole face lit up and I loved hearing stories of laughter, mischief and adventure. Greg, thank you for your friendship, I cannot put into words the impact you have had in my life and I am so blessed to have known you. You will be missed by so many and there will a hole that is impossible to fill. Rest in peace my dear friend!

Roberta - November 08, 2021 at 01:04 PM

RH

Everyone who worked with Greg felt close to him. I first met him a while ago when he and his family lived in New York and we both worked on the 40th floor at the Amex Tower. It was especially great to be on the same team with him during these last several years. He was insightful, helpful and above all, kind. In fact, he may have been the kindest person I knew. Greg came to my aid several times when needed. What an excellent friend to have and he was that to many. He spoke so beautifully of his family, to whom I send sincere condolences.

Robert Holmes - November 09, 2021 at 09:28 AM



We met Greg and Christa soon after they were married in 2002. We lived in the same building in lower Manhattan. We had such a good time getting to know their sweet, growing family! We have stayed in touch over the years. Whenever we heard from Greg - his messages were always thoughtful and sincere. He made you feel like he really cared and appreciated you. A few times we've been able to catch up in person too. Our hearts have been hurting thinking of his beautiful family and the profound loss of his young life. He was a great man and will be sorely missed by all.

Jessica Mladineo - November 09, 2021 at 12:09 PM