



Mr. Ryan David Jordan

November 7, 1972 - September 15, 2011

Ryan David Jordan, age 38, died of natural causes on Thursday, September 15, 2011, in Pleasant Grove, Utah.

He was born November 7, 1972 in Provo, Utah, the beloved youngest child of Kenneth Paul and Robynn Diane O'Reilly Jordan. He grew up in Orem and attended Orem High School and Utah Valley University. He was a member of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints.

He married Jasmine Stoll in 1991. They later divorced, but are the parents of two sons. He married Charity Pratt on June 3, 1995; their marriage was later solemnized in the Mt. Timpanogos LDS Temple. They are the parents of three sons. Ryan was expecting his first grandchild later this month.

Ryan enjoyed camping, gardening, and playing sports with his brothers. He adored his children; they were the light of his life. Family was his greatest joy. He loved gatherings and celebrations and he enjoyed feeding people good food. He was an accomplished cook, and had worked with a variety of local eateries and caterers.

Ryan is survived by his wife, Charity; five sons, Christian and wife Kati, Alec, Forrest, River, and Cirrus; father, K. Paul (Judy) Jordan, New Harmony, Utah; one brother, Chris (Jenni) Jordan, St. George, Utah; three sisters, Shannon (Terry) Backus, Manti, Utah, Heather (David) Hunt, New Meadows, Idaho, Lara (Christian) Butler, Gilbert, Arizona; sister-in-law, Jade Lee, Orem, Utah, and many other family members. He is preceded in death by his grandparents; mother, Robynn; two brothers, Kenneth and Shawn; and a nephew, Carson Backus.

Funeral Services will be held Monday, September 19, 2011, at 12:00 noon, at the LDS Chapel located at 445 S. 700 E. Orem, Utah. Viewing will be held prior to the services from 10:00 am to 11:30 am.

“Crossed to safety” but cherished forever in our hearts. Ryan, we will always love and miss you.

Events

SEP **Visitation** 10:00AM - 11:30AM

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SEP **Service** 12:00PM - 01:00PM

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Comments



“ Ryan and I are both the youngest in our families, but Ryan was like my little brother. We often commented how he even looked like a younger version of me. I have countless memories of the many fun times we shared. We camped, hiked, fished, played football in the street, slept in his back yard, and spent countless hours playing Mario Bros. on the old NES together (he was so much better at it than I could ever be). He will be missed. My love and thoughts go to his family. He has a lot of friends on the other side that love him and welcomed him home with open arms and fond embraces.

Scott Preston

Scott Preston - October 21, 2011 at 05:07 PM



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Lara Jordan Butler - October 17, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ We are sorry to hear of Ryan's passing and our sympathy and prayers are with you all. Ryan and Justin were childhood buddies and what fun it was to have have his happy nature around. We all send our love.

Gary, Lauri and Justin Kramer

lauri kramer - September 27, 2011 at 09:30 AM



“ Christian and Alec, so sorry to hear of your father passing, your in our thoughts and prayers. Sarah

Sarah Sanford-Beddoes - September 21, 2011 at 11:48 AM



“ I am so sad to hear of Ryan's passing. Our families were in the same neighborhood and ward for years and he and one of my sons were friends. I was blessed to be Ryan's Sunday School teacher at one point, and he taught me great lessons. Warm and loving thoughts to all of Ryan's family and loved ones.

Jill Campbell

Jill Campbell - September 18, 2011 at 11:51 PM



“ My condolences to Charity and the family. Ryan has always been a great friend. I feel blessed to have known, worked, and played with Ryan for most of our lives. I have many fond and recent memories, but my favorites were the teen teachings of how to properly curse out a sports referee. Take care Ryan, and please say Hi to Eldon for me.

Nate Hoyal - September 18, 2011 at 08:17 PM



“ Ryan and his family lived across the street from us while he was growing up. He was always one of my favorites. I remember him as a little toe-headed boy running through the neighborhood, playing night games, or helping when I needed a favor.

I am so sad to hear of his passing, but also know while he is missing his loved ones on this side of the veil, he is having a joyous reunion with his Mom, brothers and grandparents, Our prayers will be with you, his family. May God bless you all.
Coleen Toone

Coleen Toone - September 18, 2011 at 05:08 PM



“ I have only known Ryan since becoming Cirrus's teacher a few years ago but one thing you could always tell was he loved him boys and loved being involved with them. May the Lord bless those you have left behind.

Denice Walters - September 18, 2011 at 12:17 PM



“ Godspeed Ryan. I have many great memories of you and your Family from my childhood. My condolences to your Family and those loved ones you have left behind.

Burke Swindlehurst - September 18, 2011 at 11:00 AM



“ Ryan was like a big brother to me and he taught me how to cook. The most valuable thing I've learned from him was to always remember that cooking is just as important as treating others with respect. I will miss Ryan and all the good times we had for the past 5 years. Ryan, you have made a great impression on many people and a great impact in my life. You have been the brother that I never had and the brother that always was willing to listen and help. Thank you, Ryan.

catalin claudiu szauter - September 18, 2011 at 12:37 AM



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Ginger Pratt - September 17, 2011 at 10:41 PM



“ Ryan and I enjoyed talking together. We both shared the love of cooking and so we talked about that. He has been a nice friend and brother to me. I was blessed to of had
the opporitnity to know him. I have some pictures of him that I will share.We will miss you my drear friend. Ginger Pratt

Ginger Lane Pratt - September 17, 2011 at 08:38 PM



“ I've known Ryan since elementary school. I haven't seen him for a long time, but will always remember what a fun person he was to be around. He always had an amazing smile going on. My condolences to your family. You'll be missed old friend.

Paul Johnson - September 18, 2011 at 12:18 AM