



James Ralph Tuntland

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James Ralph Tuntland passed away of natural causes, in his home, on September 24, 2012. He was 58 years old.

James was born on November 29, 1953, the second son of John O Tuntland and Betty Wade. He claimed his older brother, John Doody, who was 9 years old at the time, was none to pleased to have a baby brother. James would tease that Doody was unmerciful to him as a child. This was hard to believe when seeing the two brothers together as adults. The bond of love they shared is incomparable.

In the mid 70's James met and loved Mary Greear. Together they had a daughter, Alisha. James shared his love for movies and super heroes with his daughter. They were estranged for a decade but were able to reconnect about 15 years ago. Alisha was amazed at how many favorites and likes she shared with her father; from chocolate chip ice cream to Star Wars. Alisha's first son, Donovan James, was named after her father.

James moved to Oregon with his mother, Betty. They were very close to each other and he was devastated when she passed away. James made many friends. One of the most important of whom was Debbie Palmer. She was his best friend and there were a number of times that Debbie saved him. I am sorry to his other friends. I want to put you right here also, but grief has clouded my brain of names –abw

James is survived by his father, John, who he talked to on a regular basis, and John's significant other, Mary Strange; his daughter, Alisha Walton, her husband Ryan, and his grandsons Donovan and Dorian; his brother, John, his niece Summer, nephew Josh, and great niece, Julia.

James was full of love. He was gentle and laid back. He was kind and funny. He will be missed deeply.



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Anonymous posted:

sooooooooooooooooooooooo sad i missed the services of my bestest friend in 15 yrs we will c each other on the other side my HEART CRIES i miss my friens I LOVE U###imported-begin##debbie##imported-end##

October 2 at 5:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Thinking and praying for you during this time. Hold you memories close to your heart, and he will remain with you forever.###imported-begin##Dan and Jayna Voorhees##imported-end##

October 1 at 5:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

James,Thank you for giving us your wonderful daughter Alisha. She is a gift.###imported-begin##Willie King##imported-end##

September 30 at 5:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Alisha, I am so sorry to hear about the passing of your father. I know you will miss him and our love goes out to you. Dana and Debbie###imported-begin##debbie and dana walton##imported-end##

September 29 at 5:00 PM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring James by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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