



Jordan Hess

September 22, 2020

Mr. Jordan Travis Hess, age 50, of Marietta, Ga died peacefully at home on September 22, 2020. He was born in Sheboygan, Wisconsin to John and Kay Hess, the youngest of 5 children. At age 5, he moved to Waukesha, Wisconsin where he attended Saint Joseph's Catholic School and completed high school at Waukesha South. Jordan relocated to Athens, Ga. to attend the University of Georgia and completed his B.S. in Forest Resources. During that time, Jordan also served in the National Guard as a combat medic. While in college, Jordan met the love of his life Jennie Murphy. They were married in 1994 and their adventures began. They traveled to Alaska to begin a new life together. Jordan and Jennie started Three Moose Meadow Bed and Breakfast, Three Moose Kayaking, and then expanded their vision to Hideaway Cove Wilderness Lodge in Halibut Cove, Alaska. Jordan was a gifted Alaskan guide, naturalist and an adventurer, leading kayak trips to glaciers, educating visitors and at times chasing bears off with a chainsaw. That kept the family busy during the summers. But the LORD had plans for their winters. He directed their path to Peru, to plant a church and minister to the poor. During this time, God blessed them with 6 beautiful boys who assisted and were an integral part of the ministry and the family business. Jordan's main focus was his family, and filled their life with enough great memories that they would not be able to remember them all. Jordan's legacy was to share the gospel and the love of Jesus wherever he went. During his life, he sowed many seeds and his utmost desire was to see those seeds

come to fruition. Jordan is survived by his loving wife, Jennie and their boys, Jenson (22), Miles (21), Spencer (18), Zachary (17), Graham (13), Israel (10). His adopted girls Flavia, Santa, Yeni, Clavalina, Angelica, and Nicole Alward who will always be his spiritual daughters. He is also survived by his father, John Hess, and siblings: Kim Larson, Kelly Manders, Jaime (Roger) Snyder and Jay Hess. There are many nieces, nephews, cousins, aunts, uncles, friends and members of the Woodshit gang that will miss Jordan tremendously. Celebration of Life Service will be held at World Harvest Church, 320 Hardscrabble Rd Roswell, Ga 30075, On Tuesday September 29, 2020. Visitation will be held 11:00 AM to 1:00 PM followed by a Memorial Service at 1:00 PM. In Lieu of flowers, the family requests donations to the Jordan Hess Memorial Fund at Wells Fargo Bank.

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP **29**. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

World Harvest Church
320 Hardscrabble Road
Roswell, GA

Memorial Service

SEP **29**. 1:00 PM (ET)

World Harvest Church
320 Hardscrabble Road
Roswell, GA

Tribute Wall



“ *Jordan Hess*

October 08, 2022 at 11:37 AM



“ *I remember going over to Jordan's house a few times and falling in love with their family and all the kids . And sitting on the little "massage cushion" . Like I was the guest of honor and I got to sit in it !*

I remember pouring out my heart a bit on some things, and it was nice to know that Jordan and Jennie had similar experiences too and they were able to empathize.

Though our time as friends was short-lived, I believe his faith in the Savior was sincere, and I am hoping to see Jordan again one day when my earthly tent breathes its last, by the grace of the Lord Jesus . Praise the Lord. To Jennie and all the boys, I hope you are comforted and strong, and that God will work things for the good here.

Derek - October 24, 2020 at 05:43 PM



“ *My deepest condolences to your family. Jordan and I knew each other in high school and served in the National Guard together. He was an extraordinary man.*

Laurel Schneider - October 07, 2020 at 10:55 AM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Jordan Hess.



September 28, 2020 at 10:59 PM



“ Our deepest sympathy to the entire Hess family. We are thinking of you and keeping you all in our prayers. ~The Fettig Family

Tracey - September 28, 2020 at 01:44 PM



“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



CRAIG A BUCHANAN - September 28, 2020 at 12:54 PM



That amazing pic Says Sooo much about Dear precious Jordan!!! 🙏👍

Pastor Bruce - September 29, 2020 at 05:45 PM



“ Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Jordan Hess.



September 28, 2020 at 12:43 PM

LB

“ Love, Craig Buchanan purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Jordan Hess.



Love, Craig Buchanan - September 28, 2020 at 12:22 PM

JS

“ Heartfelt condolences to all. Remember Jordan jumping and dancing in worship at Kachemak Bay Christian Center. Now he's doing it in person. Prayers.

Janette Schwabenland - September 27, 2020 at 06:17 PM



“ Enduring Grace was purchased for the family of Jordan Hess.



September 27, 2020 at 03:28 PM

CW

“ Dear Jennie and Boys. Though we only met you a few times, it was evident that your family was special. We are so sorry that Jordan has died but now he's in God's arms and without pain. May the memories sustain you as you adjust to his absence on earth. Be reassured he will always be with you. Kind regards, Chase & Rosemary Withrow

Chase & Rosemary Withrow - September 27, 2020 at 10:51 AM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Jordan Hess.*



September 26, 2020 at 09:57 PM



“ *Love from the Snyder's purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Jordan Hess.*



Love from the Snyder's - September 26, 2020 at 01:44 PM



“ *Jenny and the boys. There will be no light that lights a room like your husband and father. An inspiring man of faith and good humor. Tell his stories, live his legacy. Our arms are wrapped around you in love and faith.*
Love the Beauvais kids and Mom

Karen Beauvais - September 26, 2020 at 10:42 AM



We are praying for y'all. He will be missed. He left us a wonderful Christian legacy.

Dr. Philip Calvert - September 26, 2020 at 04:23 PM



“ *Divine Light was purchased for the family of Jordan Hess.*



September 25, 2020 at 10:53 PM



“ *Fairest of All was purchased for the family of Jordan Hess.*



September 25, 2020 at 04:06 PM



“ *Our time together as friends was too short, but I am pleased and privileged to have had the opportunity to know Jordan. My sincere, heartfelt condolences to the Hess family for your loss. May your warm, loving memories of him sustain you, and may God grant you peace and comfort during this most difficult time.*

Jack E. Jones, III - September 25, 2020 at 08:37 AM



“ *Jordan always had a special place in my heart, from the time I met him when he was 5 years old. He brought light and joy to all he met. He will be greatly missed. Love and peace To all of you beautiful Hesses.
My prayers are with you all.
Love,
Ann Foley*

Ann Foley - September 25, 2020 at 08:27 AM

TH

“ *I took my son on an excursion to Halibut Cove about 5 years ago. The Hess family were all so warm and inviting and made us feel welcome. We went out on a few wilderness hikes with Jordan and he told us so much about the history of the area as well as the flora and fauna. We had so much fun and will cherish those memories forever. Thank you so much!*

Tim Hays - September 25, 2020 at 08:02 AM

AM

“ Jordan you will be missed so so much 🥺. We count ourselves so immensely blessed to have known you. I am so thankful I had the privilege of knowing you since I was a kid and seeing your passionate love for Jesus, your family and life. Just some memories - when you and Jennie watched me and Jared in Alaska when my parents went away for a weekend or something and I was afraid of the dark and you came in and prayed with me and I could just see the light of Jesus in your eyes (always) and immediately felt calm and so comforted. When you came to visit us in Florida and my mom told you Delray Beach was the most beautiful beach in Florida and we went and it was so ugly cuz they were drudging and it was a gross day and you video taped and we're like "Suzi says this is the most beautiful beach in Florida." Hahahaha. When my friend from highschool and I babysat at the Marriott while you and Jennie went on a date and you had rented a new Thunderbird and it was my favorite car at the time and when you guys got back you took my friend and I for a ride in it and let us drive and kept encouraging me to go faster 😂😂. And on the way back to the hotel the worship song "every thing that has breath praise the Lord" came on the radio and you were singing it so joyfully while you clapped out the notes on the steering wheel. That song will always remind me of you. Another time you guys were visiting and we met up with you and you saw a possum across the street and yelled "Boys a critter!!" And ran across the street with Jensen Miles and Spencer in tow to go see it 😂. When I was having a hard time in my life you randomly called to see how we were and you could just hear the tone in my voice and then came down and surprised us to see what was going on and you were there with joy encouragement and prayer 🥺🥺🥺. I will never forget that. I always describe you to people that I could see Jesus in your eyes. His light and love poured out of you. You were the most joyful passionate adventurous person I have ever known. You loved the Lord and that showed in every thing you did and talked about. I have so many more memories but this is already too long haha. We love you so much Jordan. I will always strive to live my life with at least half as much zest as you did and live and breathe the word of God like you did. I'm so honored to have been

any part of your life. Thank you for investing in me and my family even without realizing it probably. I will miss you so much Jordan 🥹. I love you and jennie and the boys so much.

Alyson McClure - September 25, 2020 at 06:05 AM