



Tranton King

January 14, 1972 - September 15, 2022

Tranton Gage King, 50, of Boulder, Colorado, died Thursday, September 15, 2022 at Denver Health Medical Center due to complications of aortic dissection.

He was born January 14, 1972 in Cape Girardeau to Floyd G. King and Linda Blaylock King.

Tranton was drawn to the Rocky Mountains because of his love of nature where he resided for the last 2 1/2 decades. He enjoyed hiking, mountain biking, and fly fishing. He had a soft spot for animals and while in school he collected left over lunch money from students for dog food to donate to the humane society. He was an avid reader. In his youth he enjoyed BMX biking, skateboarding, jet skiing, and the beach. Tranton had many dogs throughout the years that were very special to him, especially his last companion, Linkin. He was a collector of many things to add to his treasures. Tranton was a graduate of Cape Central in 1990 and attended Southeast Missouri State University. In his youth, Tranton was employed at the Del Farm Grocery store in Cape Girardeau, Missouri where the employees called him "Trent". Tranton was a former member of the Cape Swim Team, Cape Central Football Team and boys scouts.

He was a lifelong member of Centenary United Methodist Church in Cape

Girardeau, Missouri.

Survivors include his mother; son, Kody Lee (Fiancée Jessica Couch) King of Greenwood, IN; daughter, London Isadore King of Denver, CO; two grandchildren, Chase David Lee King of Greenwood, IN, Aria Lynn King of Greenwood, IN; two brothers, Travis (Brenda) King of Columbia, MO, Tyson King of Cape Girardeau, MO; two nieces, Hailey (Ian) McAlary, McKenna King; three uncles, Benjamin King of Jackson, MO, Mike (Susan) King of Blue Springs, MO, Don Wareing of St. Charles, MO; two aunts, Nancy King of Jackson, MO, Jacqueline (Hank) Scarborough; four cousins, Gretchen King, Jacob King, Terry Brockmire, and Tracey Burton.

He was preceded in death by his father; grandparents, N. Chester and Clara Blaylock, Ben A. and Beulah King; and a cousin, Tom Brockmire.

Visitation will be 10:00 am to 11:00 am on Saturday, October 1, 2022 at Cape County Memorial Park Mausoleum in Cape Girardeau.

Funeral Service will be at 11:00 am Saturday at the Mausoleum.

Entombment will follow at the Mausoleum.

Memorial contributions may be given to SEMO Pets 180 Weston Street Cape Girardeau, MO 63701.

Online condolences may be made at www.fordandsonsfuneralhome.com.

Ford & Sons Funeral Home - Mt. Auburn is in charge of arrangements.

Cemetery Details

Cape County Memorial Park Mausoleum

2315 Highway 61 N
Cape Girardeau, MO 63701

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT 1. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

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Funeral Service

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Tribute Wall

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“ *Tranton Gage
King .*

I love you my friend!

Thank you for the last 18 years. I'm happy to have you in and as a part of my family . We didn't always see eye to eye, & we have been through thick and thin . I could talk to you forever, that's because you are my friend. My best friend! I'm going to miss you more deeply then anyone knows.... I will catch to you eventually....

I hope your journey home was smooth and swift. I gave you my heart years ago and I'm just going to leave that part with you since yours wasn't strong enough to stay a little longer. When you travel from the Great blue road of spirit remember to travel to the east for rebirth. You are a very handsome, loving , strong man, you had a huge heart and soul, and awesome , adventurous free spirit. I'll never ever forget you in any life time! As Soul mates we will come together again. Until then , if Jah let you. Come let me know your doing ok on the other side. I'm a little lost with out you. And extremely sad that you left. I will keep all the good memories of all our adventures we shared with each other. You are a good man. I will always love you!!

Karen Lippincott - October 05, 2022 at 11:12 PM

JS

“ *So very sorry of your loss of Tranton. I am sure cousin, Tom, and all of Tranton's critters were waiting for him at the Rainbow Bridge for the big reunion so they could all cross together. I'm sure he was inundated with doggie kisses. Aunt Jackie and Hank will miss hearing about your adventures. I remember well going to Carson City to "rescue" him. Fly high on new found wings.*

Jacqueline Scarborough - October 02, 2022 at 09:35 PM

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“Tranton was my best friend... For the last 5 years I spent part of almost everyday with him... I used to have a trailer in Boulder where Tranton came everyday... We spent a lot of our time together talking about the state of the world today... We became we friends because about 6 years ago we both lost the person we had dedicated our lives too... We were both kinda lost and afraid to Love again. We found each other and just kinda stuck together and slowly healed together... During COVID, I bought a school bus and Tranton bought an RV... I lost my school bus this winter.... Tranton and I kinda lived a "us against the world existence" and so I moved into a tent over the winter.... In the spring tranton moved up the mountain to Nederland and for the last three months came down and found me once a week and tried to get me to move up with him.... Now I wish I had.... I really really miss my friend right now I love you brother and I'm glad you found peace.... My name is Michael Christian. Tranton and most others call me Mickey... For the last couple weeks I have been wondering how to let my dog know that one of her best pals is no longer going to bring her pizza and say "how does Gypsy get her lovin'? With paws to the face!!!! That's how". Over the last two years Gypsy has been loved by Tranton and I know she would be devastated if I could tell her he is no longer with us.... I know I am. Tranton loved my positivity and my stubborn refusal to grow up... We spent most of our time working on our riding bikes.... We spent an equal amount of time working on engines or scouring the internet for cool new inventions ... We love that stuff... When Tranton discovered his heart problems last year he said he was ready and unafraid of death... He didn't let it change him or slow him down... About two months ago Tranton got into a scooter accident and arrived at my home a lil discombobulated and I made him go to sleep in my bed while I located some better clothes for him .. he showed up in a hospital gown... He somehow burned down my home while sleeping. We think blanket into a candle ... I was so worried about Tranton and my dog... But he had saved both and my favorite drum.... I think Tranton was my biggest fan whenever I played my drums.... He always liked seeing people do anything well... As much as he talked like a tough guy He was a softy who

loved music and art and anyone who loved.... Just that.... He loved a reminder that love was all around us and it was ours to share.... He loved adventure so much that he lived it.. and I'm proud to have been there for the last five years.... God,. I miss you, my friend...I really miss you....

Michael E Christian. (Mickey) - September 28, 2022 at 08:48 PM

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“ *Tranton was one of a kind,laughter,light,and love. He has a special place in my sisters and I,we will never forget you,and you'll always be with us...much love, and may you spirit fly upon the wings of an eagle. And,you're greatly missed my friend...until we see you again,A'HO.. dear friend A'HO...*

APRYL ERNST - September 28, 2022 at 07:03 PM

KS

“ *Im sorry for ur loss our loss trinton was a good friend of my family.we gave him a place to live for a little while he never try staying over amount of time and would come back when needed and was always welcomed i loved talking to him and see his cute smile blushing face he was shy .one of my best friends paula she really loved him she would call him her kid rock i never seen her so happy and another good friend thats known him for quite some time karen she also loved him very close i know she really gonna miss him as i will also u were a good person trenton and u will be missed RIP Buddy. ...karen had asked me if i would help her do a service out here also he had many freinds here also*

Kim Stange - September 27, 2022 at 02:08 PM

TS

“ *Tanya Stange lit a candle in memory of Tranton King*



Tanya Stange - September 26, 2022 at 11:21 PM

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“ *Tranton was is very loving person and really loved animals met Tranton when he was with Paula I know he will fly high with the angels I am so sorry for your loss king family*

Tanya Stange - September 26, 2022 at 11:20 PM

KM

“ *Linda and Family,*

I am at my daughter's, Laura, home in Florida, as she is having surgery. My many thoughts and prayers are with you. May God's loving arms continue to surround you and give you peace. Although I cannot be with you, I will be there in Spirit.

Love In Christ, your Friend.

Karen Webb McClendon

Karen Webb McClendon - September 24, 2022 at 06:00 PM

MC

“ My condolences to "Trent" King family. I was the Head Cashier at Del Farm with Trent..he was part of our Del Farm" family " his name has been brought up at our reunions of I wonder if he is still in CO?? When he first started talking of going to CO I actually tried to talk him out of it..I said you're too young to take off like that and we (Del Farm) don't want to loose you..you're a good worker..(when we needed to call someone in to cover a callout if Trent was off he was on top of list cause i could always get him to give in with a "okkkay... I'll be there.) his reply to leaving for CO..Aahh I'll be alright..you find someone else to work..Trent had a sense of humor even tho he seemed on the shy side but once you got to know him we all enjoyed his time at the "Farm"... Trent rest in peace...

Mary Moss Del Farm co-worker - September 24, 2022 at 09:29 AM