



Darin Keith Hendrickson

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On Tuesday, September 15, 2020, Darin Keith Hendrickson, loving husband, father, grandfather, son, brother, and friend passed away after a 13-month battle against pancreatic cancer with his loving wife by his side.

Darin was born on Easter Sunday, April 6, 1969 to Doug and Deanna Hendrickson in Moses Lake, Washington. The oldest of two children, he was raised in Moses Lake where he graduated from Moses Lake Christian School in 1987. He then went on to graduate from Universal Technical Institute of Phoenix Arizona in 1988 with a degree of Diesel Technician-ASE Certified. He was born with great mechanical abilities. He used those abilities to work for neighboring farmers as early as 13 years old. From there he started his one man, one truck business from his parent's personal shop. It was known as Agri-Fix Towing and Repair and is still operating today. During his career he was an active board member with the Towing and Recovery Association of Washington (TRAW). With a talent for establishing businesses, he currently owns and operated four of his five businesses in towing and repair currently employing thirty people and operating twenty-five trucks.

In June of 2011 he married the love of his life, Amy Johnson. With their families combined they raised six children: Dustin Hendrickson (Ashley), Heather Seals (Bill), Heidi Flora (Stephen), Kassie Hendrickson, Jarrod Record, and Ashley Weston (Trevor).

Darin loved to teach others. He trained beginners, molded others, and

mentored some as they enhanced their skills, including his son. He was an educator for TRAW and shared his mechanical knowledge as well. He was also honored to teach at Big Bend Community College as the MLHS Auto Shop Instructor.

He was a dedicated member, teacher, and volunteer of his home church serving on the boards and volunteering whenever he could. As the members became like family, he will be greatly missed.

Since 1988 Darin has refereed basketball and mentored others while battling the cancer. He loved his life-long community and was very active in supporting it. He hosted athletes expanding their skills and exchange students who were broadening their education and cultural experiences. Marla and Fynn of Germany became family to all of us.

Darin's hobbies included ATV's of all kinds, classic cars, Lego's, Hockey, and supporting his 2nd amendment rights with his collection. Any time spent with family and friends was cherished by all involved. He had contagious ambitions and patience for others.

Darin's quiet demeanor and witty humor always had us laughing together. It was his determination and gentleness that truly showed his love. That love has continued to overflow and bless his wife and family. He is preceded in death by his grandfather Robert "Bob" Reffett and grandparents Art (Betty) Hendrickson. Not to exclude his faithful, furry German Shepherds.

He is survived by his wife, Amy and their six children. His grandmother, Anna Gene Reffett, his parents, sister, Andra (Tim) Stredwick and seven grandchildren with many in-laws and out-laws including aunts, uncles, cousins, nieces, and nephews.

Cherish those memories and remember his love. He is truly missed.

A service will be held in his memory on September 20, 2020 at 2:00 pm (outdoors) at 1142 W. Ivy Street, Moses Lake, WA

In lieu of flowers, make donations to Cancer Can't and The Columbia Basin Cancer Foundation

Tribute Wall

CJ

“ Dear Amy (and Ashley), Fynn told us now what happened to Darin Keith Hendrickson and that he died because of cancer. We want you to say, that we are so sorry and that we are praying for you now in a special way. May God bless you now and show you the way. We will never forget what you and Darin Keith Hendrickson did for Fynn, that he found a family in you. I hope you understand my english (i am not able to speak the english language very well), but I want you to say that i am thinking to you now. May God bless you and your family,

Hilmar & Chris Jansen

Christine Jansen - October 13, 2020 at 04:27 PM

AH

Chris, you are a wonderful person. We thank you. This is a very different journey than I ever imagined I'd be on at this age. We love you all and thank you for your prayers in Germany. I miss him so much but God is good. ☐

Amy Hendrickson - October 30, 2020 at 10:14 AM

DF

“ *Dianna Palmer And Steele Family lit a candle in memory of Darin Keith Hendrickson*



Dianna Palmer and Steele Family - October 03, 2020 at 10:18 PM

DP

“ *The funeral today was a wonderful service for a tremendous man. God be with you.*

Dale & Lanita Pomeroy - September 20, 2020 at 08:44 PM

SL

“ *Leann and the kids stay strong. We are thinking of you Shane and mary Livingston*

Shane Livingston - September 20, 2020 at 03:26 PM

AS

“ *Andra Stredwick lit a candle in memory of Darin Keith Hendrickson*



Andra Stredwick - September 20, 2020 at 12:21 AM

AS

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Andra Stredwick - September 20, 2020 at 12:20 AM

AH

Love this picture. Grandpa and his buddy.

Amy Hendrickson - October 30, 2020 at 10:10 AM

LC

“ *Lisa Cole lit a candle in memory of Darin Keith Hendrickson*



Lisa Cole - September 19, 2020 at 02:25 AM

CF

“ *Carol Ganiere And Family lit a candle in memory of Darin Keith Hendrickson*



Carol Ganiere and Family - September 18, 2020 at 10:56 PM

CT

“ *Praying for Leann, Dustin, Heidi, and Cassandra in this loss. May Abba Father hold your hearts in His and bring you all healing and comfort. You'll be reunited once again at the foot of the Throne. Thank You Jesus for your mercy and grace.*

Chris Rosborough Tucker

Chris Tucker - September 18, 2020 at 05:33 PM

EC

“ *Our family will forever remember the constant smile he had on I'm his face and his trusty beautiful German Shepard's in his shadow. Our prayers to all of his family through this loss.*

Eddie Cole - September 18, 2020 at 05:07 PM

DP

Our deepest condolences to Amy, friends and all family. May his memory lift you up. Love and prayers.

Dennis & Nancy Parr - September 18, 2020 at 05:55 PM

AH

Thank you. This is such a tough journey but with God by my side, I will continue to be blessed.

Amy Hendrickson - October 30, 2020 at 10:09 AM