



Gundar Swenke

February 10, 1969 - October 22, 2013

Gundar Swenke passed away Tuesday, October 22, 2013 at Jane Phillips Medical Center.

A memorial service will be held at 2:00 p.m. Tuesday, October 29, 2013 at Bartlesville Health & Rehabilitation Community with Chaplain Mike McDougan officiating.

Gundar Harl Swenke was born February 10, 1969 in San Jose, CA to Walter and Evelyn (Carroll) Swenke. Gundar married Valerie Walker on July 11, 2005 in Dewey, OK. Gundar was a renaissance man. He enjoyed working with his hands, whether it was building airplanes or wooden boats. His passion was his family and friends and being a giving, loving person. He continued this legacy by being an organ donor.

Gundar is survived by his wife Valerie and children; Joshua, Maxine, Shayna, Connor, Miranda and Jacob. Brothers; Dale, Homer, Cameron, Cary and Walter Jr. along with two sisters; Desiree and Becky.

Gundar was preceded in death by his parents.

Tribute Wall



“ *Walter, I am so sorry for your loss*”

Brian Lowe - January 08, 2020 at 12:56 PM



“ Posted by Marie/Doc Livingston from Bartlesville, Oklahoma
So sorry.....he always wore a smile....it was contagious! He was an
overcomes. Our prayers and thoughts are with you.
10/27/2013 at 06:28pm

Posted by Stan & Judy Tasker from Bartlesville, Oklahoma
Valerie, We are saddened by word of Gundar's passing. We
remember working with him at Charlie's Chicken. You and your
family are in our prayers.
10/27/2013 at 08:05pm

Posted by Melanie Jay from Bartlesville, Oklahoma
I am so sorry for your loss!!!! I knew Gundar from when I worked at
the insurance office! He was so nice!
11/13/2013 at 07:47pm

Posted by Scott Haden from OKC, Oklahoma
Just learned about Gundar's accident and passing and I am very
shocked and saddened. I met him in San Jose CA around 1986/87.
We quickly became best friends and had lots of crazy times
together. Sometime around 1990, we moved out to Oklahoma, first
living with his dad Walter, then in an apartment. That lasted for the
better part of 2 years until I met my future wife and moved out to live
closer to her. We kept in touch sporadically the next several years,
but eventually lost touch with each other. He did call out of the blue
though around 10 years ago and we went out and had one last
night of having fun and acting crazy. I will always remember his
fearless & carefree attitude (I have lots of "Gundar stories") and just
how much fun he was to be around. Also all of our many late night
excursions out in San Jose, seeing what kind of mischief we could
get into. He was definitely one of a kind and someone I will never
forget.
05/28/2014 at 03:35am

Dffh Dewey Chapel - January 17, 2019 at 05:43 PM