



Greg Akeson

September 15, 1967 - August 19, 2009

Gregory Keith Akeson, 41, of Fort Collins passed away August 19, 2009. Greg was born September 15, 1967 in Lincoln, NE to James Akeson and Cinda Sue Walters, both of Lincoln, NE. He is survived by his partner Carl Davis; father, James Akeson; mother, Cinda Sue Walters; stepmother, Jody Akeson; brother, Edward Akeson; stepbrother, Danny Sutton, stepsister, Connie Semiff; brother in law, Gene Semiff; & his grandmother, Jeanne Akeson. Greg was preceded in death by grandfather, Donald Akeson; grandmother, Juanita Walters; grandfather, Gilbert Walters; uncle, Ed Walters. Greg was a passionate hunter and fisherman who had a love for the outdoors, hiking, golfing, cars, camping, travelling and being with good friends. He lived in Fort Collins for over 12 years and made many wonderful memories along the way. Greg was a wonderfully special, caring and giving person who cared deeply about his friends. He was always there to lend an ear, bend the elbow, and give a caring smile. Although he had so many special people in his life, he had a few very dear people close to him, Dianne Bacorn, Dana Davis, Jasmina Sijercic and Christy Richardson. Greg was employed through the Larimer County/Sheriff department for 10 years and most recently was employed as a case manager at Foothills Gateway. Greg will be missed by many, but we should all be grateful that we have a guardian angel looking over us. He is at peace in Heaven and will be forever in our hearts. We love you Greg. A memorial gathering and celebration of Greg's life will be held from 11:00 until 1:00 Tuesday, August 25th, at the Marriott Hotel Pavilion on East

Horsetooth.

Tribute Wall



“ Greg Akeson

October 25, 2022 at 06:14 PM



“ I am deeply sad by the loss of greg,
My deepest sympathies to Ed, his family and carl.
I had so many good times with you greg, that even a book wouldn't
be enough to tell.
You and Ed made my stays in the US a wonderful time, you are
such a great person that it will be impossible to forget you.
My thoughts and prayers are with you.

Repose en paix

Anthony Verneau - August 19, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ We are sorry to hear about the death of Greg. You are all in our
prayers.
Love Lea Ann, Jan and De.

Lea Ann, Adetha and Jan - August 19, 2009 at 12:00 AM

CJ

“ Greg was my childhood. He grew up next to me and our bedroom windows were right across from each other. He taught me basketball and baseball. Our families fished together and him and I would hunt for snakes in the field behind our homes. He was my everything back then. When I turned 21 he was the one who took me out to "celebrate". We lost contact when his family moves and even though we were both grown up he still crossed my mind often and I had always wanted to reconnect with him. He was a wonderful and thoughtful person who loved everything and everyone. I will miss you Greg!!!!!!

Crissy "Lehr" Johnson - August 19, 2009 at 12:00 AM

MS

“ I remember growing up with Greg back in Lincoln, NE. He was like a big brother to me. I will never forget how great of a person he was. My thoughts and prayers are with his friends and family.

Melissa Lehr Shigley - August 19, 2009 at 12:00 AM

RK

“ We were surprised to learn about the passing of Greg. He was the Volunteer Coordinator for LCDC when we first became volunteers there for the Gideons--10 years ago. We had not seen Greg for many years and have missed him. We always admired Greg and felt he did his job with dignity, earning the respect of those who worked with him. He was a fine gentleman and will be greatly missed. We regret that we were not able to be at his service. May God bless and keep you all and give you His comfort and healing grace as you adjust to this big change in your lives. With our deepest sympathy and Prayers, Rex and Margaret Kellums

Rex and Margaret Kellums - August 19, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ I did not know Greg. However, I live just down the hill from where he died. I was there just moments after Greg died. I was also near that place a day later when I could see individuals coming with flowers, and even performing native rituals using burning sage. It was very moving, and reminded me that Greg had a lasting impression on this earth and its inhabitants. I did not know Greg ... yet hopefully it is permissible to shed a tear. God's speed to those who did know him.

John Hafnor - August 19, 2009 at 12:00 AM

MB

“ My heart breaks for Greg's family - my oldest son died in January - only time...a very long time...will help to heal the grief and pain of losing a child.

Greg was a wonderful young man - i am grateful for having been a part of his growing-up years.

All my love Jim, Cindy, and Ed. May God wrap you in his arms and give you peace.

MaryLou Bentley - August 19, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JS

“ My deepest sympathies to Ed, his family and Greg's partner. I know that nothing I say will ease the pain that you are all enduring. My heart is aching for you all. I am so sad, I cannot even begin to imagine what you are all going through. Even though I had not seen Greg in a long time, I have always cherished our friendship. I always thought I would see him again. I did not get a chance to tell him what joy he brought to my life. My life has been more blessed for knowing Ed and Greg. We always think we will have more time. I just wish I could see that warm, happy and beautiful face one more time! That is how I remember Greg. He was so kind and loving to me. I adored spending time with him. It always felt so good to be around him. It makes my heart smile thinking of him doing this special dance move I would beg him to do! He would always oblige to make me happy! May God bless him, keep him and take away all his pain. My thoughts and prayers are with you all at such a horrendous time. I pray that God eases your suffering. I hope that it brings you some comfort to know what love Greg has brought to so many lives and he will not be forgotten but will be forever missed. Ed, I am here for you if there is anything you need. I cherish my friendship with you and Greg and am so heartbroken to see you suffering. Please do not hesitate to reach out. My thoughts, prayers and love are with you always.
God bless, Jill

Jill Stanard - August 19, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JW

“ Jim, Cindy, Ed, everyone - I am so very very sorry to hear of the tragic passing of your son, your brother, my oldest and very best childhood friend! I know the heaviness of your hearts today, and the unbearable pain you are going through. I wish there was something I could say to lessen the loss, but there isn't.

All of my fondest memories growing up in Lincoln include Greg, Ed, me, and Les. So much laughter and silliness and mischief - if our parents only knew...! What a bunch of knuckleheads we were! I smile when I think that Greg and I stayed close friends through High School. Years later, he even came to Scottsbluff to be an usher in my wedding. I will miss him, and always consider it an honor to have had Greg in my life for so many years.

I'm sorry I couldn't have been in Colorado for the service, as I'm just finding out about this today. You all have been there for me and my family in times of sadness - I truly wish I could have been there for you. Hold on tight to each other, and know you are not alone in your grief. Love, Jacque

JACQUE (Strauch) WIRTH - August 19, 2009 at 12:00 AM

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“ Ed and Family,

You are in my thoughts and prayers and forever in my heart!

Carri Fitzgerald (Manley) - August 19, 2009 at 12:00 AM

CA

“ To The Family of Greg Akeson,

I was a volunteer at LCDC when I met Greg. What a fine gentleman he was. Greg was kind, compassionate, caring, always willing to help us out in any way he could. I will remember these qualities and many more in my heart.

I pray God will give his family and friends strength to endure this time. May His love surround you and His peace be with you.

I am sure Greg left many heart prints on peoples lives. He did mine.

Because He Lives, we can face tomorrow,

Carol - August 19, 2009 at 12:00 AM

LH

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with you all at this difficult time. Greg was one of a kind. So loving and sweet but so shy and quiet. Too many memories to share but ones I will hold near and dear to my heart. Greg will be missed but we know he is in a better place and his soul will finally be at rest. REST IN PEACE Greg you were loved and will be missed by many.*

Lori Manley Harris - August 19, 2009 at 12:00 AM

CH

“ *Ed and Family,
Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family throughout this difficult time.
Although we didn't know Greg personally, we heard a lot of wonderful stories of how much he meant to his brother and his family.
May your memories give you strength and may you take comfort in knowing an angel is watching over you and your family.
With Deepest Sympathy,
Chap and Cami Harper*

Charles and Cami Harper - August 19, 2009 at 12:00 AM

KJ

“ *I met Greg in High School, I don't remember exactly how we met but I knew I liked being around him. Greg was a kind, caring, funny man and a pretty good dancer as well. I wish I had one more chance to tell him how much he meant to me. Greg will always be in my heart and many others as well. He will be dearly missed.*

Katie Johnson - August 19, 2009 at 12:00 AM

CB

“ *Our heart felt thoughts are with Greg's family and friends.
Although we did not see Greg regularly we will miss him greatly. I will remember the great times I spent with Greg, particularly a trip to Dublin, Ireland where we drank too much Guinness ! We appreciated Greg's hospitality on our visits to Colorado, Doug especially enjoyed an afternoon spent playing golf and having a beer with Greg.
We are so sorry for your loss.
Love Doug & Claire*

Claire & Doug Brooke - August 19, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JP

“ I worked with Greg a couple of years ago at Community Corrections. I liked him so much. He was quite sensitive and took the time to listen to me when I had a problem. He was a wonderful man.

Judy Peppard - August 19, 2009 at 12:00 AM

WD

“ Family and Friends, We just wanted to express are deepest sympathy during this difficult time. May Greg live on in the wonderful memeoeries he has made with you. Love, The Denny Family

Wendy Denny - August 19, 2009 at 12:00 AM

LR

“ I only knew Greg from the detention center, unfortunately as a visitor. Greg was always so kind to me and my children. My husband was at the detention center and always said how kind and friendly Greg was to him. He was also at Community Corrections when Greg was there and for some reason Greg always remembered my family. When ever we would go there he always had a big smile and would greet us with a friendly hello and a smile.

I was fortunate enough to have met Greg even if it was just as an acquaintance. For those of you who had him a a regular part of your lives, I give my deepest condolences.

Linda R.

Linda R. - August 19, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JM

“ To the Akeson Family:

I am deeply saddened by the loss of Greg, Greg and I spent allot of time together when he lived in Lincoln many years ago. My constant thoughts and prayers are with you during this difficult time. From my family to yours, my deepest, deepest sympathy.

All my Love,

Jean (Woita) Miller

Jean (Woita) Miller - August 19, 2009 at 12:00 AM

DK

“ *From the first time I met Greg, he treated me like a friend. I just wanted to pass along my condolences to his family and friends. You are in my prayers.*

Deane Karges - August 19, 2009 at 12:00 AM

LW

“ *My thought's and prayers to Greg's family and freinds. May happy memories carry you though this sorrowful time.It has been several years since i have seen Greg. It seems like just yesterday when we all were hanging out at Scottie's place in Fremont,Nebraska; laughing,boating/fishing and having fun !!!! Greg was such a great guy and always was there when you needed to talk or needed some help. Remember memories are the legacy of love.*

Linda Wegner - August 19, 2009 at 12:00 AM

KS

“ Just wanted to let you know that both Dan and I thought the world of Greg. He was always kind and thoughtful, and fun to be with. We are all better off for having known Greg. Our thoughts and prayers are with all of you.

Love, Karen and Dan Smith

Karen Smith - August 19, 2009 at 12:00 AM