



Dayton Lee Gibson

April 29, 1970 - March 30, 2018

Conway... Dayton Lee Gibson, age 47, died Friday, March 30, 2018.

Mr. Gibson was born on April 29, 1970 in Conway, a son of Joe and Virginia Hardwick Gibson. He was a graduate of Conway High School, Class of 1988. Mr. Gibson was an independent distributor with Little Debbie snack cakes for 18 years. He was a devoted husband, father, son, brother and uncle. Mr. Gibson loved boating, wake boarding, paddle boarding, and surfing, but most of all, he loved spending time with his family. He was an avid seashell collector. He loved kids and was still a kid at heart himself. Everyone who knew Lee loved him. He was a true servant of God that would always do for others before himself. He will be terribly missed.

Surviving in addition to his parents of Conway are: his wife of 22 years, April Gibson; a daughter, Raegan Gibson age 21; and a son, Lake Gibson age 19, all of Conway; a sister, Marie Floyd (Ray) of Conway and nephews, Brandon Floyd (Amanda) and Bradley Floyd (Stephany) all of Conway; father-in-law, Donald Ray McDowell (Becky), mother-in-law, Louise McDowell Moore, sister-in-law and brother-in-law, Donya and Robert Jordan and their son, Evan, great nephews and nieces, Briggs Floyd, Paisley Floyd, Nash Floyd, and Maci Joe Floyd, all of Conway; and several cousins.

Funeral services will be held at 6:00 PM Monday from The Rock with Pastor Josh Finklea officiating.

The family will receive friends at The Rock from 4:00 until 6:00 PM Monday. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be sent to The Rock, Conway's Community

Church, 1408 Millpond, Conway, SC 29526 or to the Cholangiocarcinoma Foundation, 5526 West 13400 South, #510, Herriman, UT 84096.

Sign an online guestbook at www.goldfinchfuneralhome.com

Goldfinch Funeral Home, Conway Chapel is in charge of arrangements.

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 2. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

The Rock Church
1408 Mill Pond Road
Conway, SC 29526

Funeral Service

APR 2. 6:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

GP

“ Joe and Virginia and family. I am so sorry to hear of your loss. Did not hear about it until a few days ago. My prayers and thoughts are with you. Love Gloria Gibson Pittman

Gloria Pittman - April 27, 2018 at 12:52 PM

JG

“ I so sorry for your loss. Your family are in our thoughts and prayers.

James Hugh gerrald - April 03, 2018 at 02:59 PM

TH

“ Tammy Howell lit a candle in memory of Dayton Lee Gibson



Tammy Howell - April 02, 2018 at 11:40 AM



“ Loving Grace was purchased for the family of Dayton Lee Gibson.



April 02, 2018 at 09:56 AM

YB

“ *Your Mortgage Family - Tim, Kraig, Jamie and Ben purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Dayton Lee Gibson.*



Your Mortgage Family - Tim, Kraig, Jamie and Ben - April 02, 2018 at 09:00 AM

HM

“ *Helen Roberts Montgomery lit a candle in memory of Dayton Lee Gibson*



Helen Roberts Montgomery - April 02, 2018 at 03:32 AM

SH

“ *Sheila Hooks lit a candle in memory of Dayton Lee Gibson*



Sheila Hooks - April 01, 2018 at 11:27 PM

SC

“ *The Bible teaches us to love our neighbors.*

We have never had an easier neighbor to love than Lee Gibson.

Sadly, our neighbor died yesterday from cancer.

Lee showed up on our doorstep 11 years ago with a carton of Lil' Debbie cakes to inform us he and his wife April would soon be building next to us.

"Let me know if the noise get's too loud," he said with that wonderful grin of his.

And that's the way Lee was. Always kind. Always considerate. More than willing to help others. Many times we have been in our yard working on something and Lee would come over to offer his help.

When Lee got his diagnosis of cancer and was told that it was of the terminal type, he went through the various stages of shock, denial, grief and acceptance. But we must say he handled his situation with grace and humor. He lived what remained of his life with passion and courage. We never heard him complain about the cards he had been dealt.

We will remember the many good times we had on the water with Lee and his beautiful family. A trip by water to Charleston, trips to "Robertson Island" at Cherry Grove, and sunny days on the Redneck Riviera are some favorite memories.

Most of all, we will always have fond memories of a young man who exemplified grace, kindness, and goodwill.

We're going to our my neighbor.

Rest in peace our friend.

Steve & Cheryl

Steve & Cheryl - April 01, 2018 at 03:23 PM

JS

“ *Jackie Holt Shaw lit a candle in memory of Dayton Lee Gibson*



Jackie Holt Shaw - April 01, 2018 at 12:48 PM

KC

“ *My thoughts and prayers go out to the Gibson family, Lee will truly be missed. What a wonderful man, Husband, father, and Friend to everyone !!! RIP Lee you will be missed very much. 🙏🙏🙏*



kent chinnes - April 01, 2018 at 11:58 AM

GH

“ *Glen And Deborah Hughes lit a candle in memory of Dayton Lee Gibson*



Glen and Deborah Hughes - March 31, 2018 at 11:12 PM

MS

“ *My brothers and I grew up with Lee. I have so many fond memories. Many of them involved dirt bikes on country roads. Well, that area used to be dirt roads but like everything else in life, things so often change. Every time I saw Lee he always took the time to say hello, give a hug and ask how everyone was doing. You will surely be missed Lee but Heaven has gained a true angel. Every time I go in Walmart now I will still glance over at the Little Debbie aisle and picture you standing there with a smile on your face. Until we meet again you dear sweet man...*



Michelle Scholl - March 31, 2018 at 11:02 PM

TP

“ *Tammy Heinle Paredes lit a candle in memory of Dayton Lee Gibson*



Tammy Heinle Paredes - March 31, 2018 at 10:47 PM

BC

“ *RIP Lee, Prayer for the family.*



Bonnir cooper - March 31, 2018 at 05:41 PM

AJ

“ *Lee was, indeed, a good man and he did love his family. Always smiling and everyone wanted to be around his. Always positive. We will miss him and he was an inspiration to all who knew him.*

Aunt Lucy an Jimmy - March 31, 2018 at 03:37 PM

RG

“ *Robin Goff lit a candle in memory of Dayton Lee Gibson*



Robin Goff - March 31, 2018 at 01:45 PM



“ *April, Raegan, Lake, and family,*

Take comfort in knowing that now you have a special guardian angel to watch over you.

Our thoughts are with you and we are sending our love!
Dorothy and Danny Dunn



Dorothy Jordan Dunn - March 31, 2018 at 12:47 PM