



Tim Frank Leighton

June 11, 1970 - October 25, 2017

Tim was born on a Thursday afternoon, June 11, 1970, in Seattle, WA. His parents were Stephen T. Leighton and Linda C. Leighton. He grew up in Lynnwood, WA with his big sister, Yvonne (Evie), who became (and remained) his “protector” and friend, and he adored her for the rest of his life.

When he was 14, he gained a “Step” Dad, Reed Prosser, who was there for everything he needed, from the age of 9 years old on. When he was 15, his “little brother” Mathew (Prosser) was born. For the next 4 years, he was a fun, and caring influence on Mathew—who called him “Bum”, from the time he learned to talk. Mathew grew taller than his big brother, and the love they shared was a joy, in spite of the age difference, throughout their lives.

Tim graduated from Meadowdale High School, in Lynnwood, WA, in 1988.

The following year he went into the Navy. After boot camp in San Diego, CA, he served the remainder of his enlistment in Mayport, FL. He was a proud US Navy Veteran. While in the Navy, he began corresponding with a girl he knew in High School, Christine Henry.

When he got out, they continued their relationship, and in 1994, their daughter, Cassandra (Kassie) was born. They married on July 14, 1996, and two years later their son, Timothy (Timmy) joined them.

They settled in Monroe, WA, until 2002, when they made the move to the beautiful Cashmere Valley. Tim absolutely loved it over there. At the time of his death, he was employed by Atech Logistics, delivering NAPA Auto Parts on a route that took him close to the Canadian border, every night. He was

only about an hour or so into his route, in the early hours of Wednesday morning, October 25, 2017, when he passed away, near Pateros, WA. Tim was preceded in death by his Wife, and “best friend”, Christine (Chris) Henry Leighton; his Father, Steve Leighton; both sets of Grandparents; two very close Aunts, Terri Mortiboy and Sherri Karl—and other family members. He is survived by his beloved family members—all of whom loved him beyond measure as well: Daughter, Kassie Leighton and Grandson, Mason Roberts; Son, Timmy Leighton; Mother, Linda (Reed) Prosser, Step-Mother, Lorraine Schrock Leighton; Sister, Evie (Dan) Green & family; Brother Mathew (Karisa) Prosser & family; Uncle, William Webb and son; Aunt, Kathy (Jess) Elder & son; his Cousins; Lisa Budnick, Tricia (Terry) Warren, Cori (Mike) Tipps and Christie Mortiboy Havens—and their families; his lifelong buddy, Jamey (Christy) Clark and family, and many others whose lives he touched. At the time of his death, Tim was living with his daughter and grandson, in Cashmere. He treasured the relationship they had built, and loved time spent just “hanging out” and having long talks with his daughter. He missed , and was so proud of his son, Timmy, who is now in the USAF, Minot, ND. He was looking forward to taking vacation next spring (after the snows) and flying back to visit him. He was a beloved Dad; a wonderful, loving Son; beloved Brother, Cousin, Nephew and friend.. He will be missed by all who knew him. Tim shared special, “affectionate” nicknames for those he cared about, and they had the same for him. We will all love and miss this wonderful “Jackass”, “Bum” and my “little Turd”, for as long as we live. Gone way too soon... A graveside service will be held on Wednesday, November 8th, 2017, 4:00 P.M., at Edmonds Cemetery, 820 15th St. SW, Edmonds, W 98020. A Celebration of Life will follow, at Edmonds Senior Center, on the waterfront, just south of the ferry dock: 220 Railroad Ave., Edmonds, WA 98020, from 5:30 P.M. - 8:30 P.M. It will be in the upstairs ballroom. Food and beverages will be provided by the family, "potluck" style.

Previous Events

Graveside Service

NOV 8. 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM (PT)

Edmonds Cemetery
820 15th St SW
Edmonds, WA 98020

Tribute Wall

BH

“ I just recently became aware of Tim's passing at too early an age. I worked with Tim's mother, Linda, in the trucking industry for many years. At the office, I remember Linda happily fielding after-school calls from Tim, who would tell her what he was doing and where he was going. I remember that Tim was deeply involved in youth hockey at the time.

I empathize with Linda, Reed and the family. We lost our eldest daughter, Jennifer, at the age of 41 to heart disease in 2014. The terrible feeling of losing a child is unimaginable until it happens to you, and I do not wish that personal tragedy on anyone.

Hoping that time has at least lessened the awful feelings and allowed you to enjoy the memories that you had with Tim.

Bob Haines - June 03, 2022 at 04:09 PM

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“ Stephen Leighton was added to the Family Tree.

Linda Prosser - February 16, 2018 at 01:52 PM

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“ Stephen Leighton was added to the Family Tree.

Linda Prosser - February 16, 2018 at 01:51 PM

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“ Christine Leighton was added to the Family Tree.

Linda Prosser - February 16, 2018 at 01:47 PM



“ *Patty Webb lit a candle in memory of Tim Frank Leighton*



Patty Webb - November 08, 2017 at 11:03 AM



“ *Diana Baker lit a candle in memory of Tim Frank Leighton*



Diana Baker - November 06, 2017 at 07:05 PM



“ *Cori Tipps sent a virtual gift in memory of Tim Frank Leighton*



Cori Tipps - November 04, 2017 at 11:30 AM



“ *He was such a great cousin. I'll miss how we relentlessly picked on each other. And many great heart to heart talks we had will be remembered and your words of wisdom treasured. You are gone way to soon you pain in my ass. I miss you so much already. I'll miss and love you forever til we meet again.*

Cori Tipps - November 04, 2017 at 11:29 AM

BP

“ *Bobbie Peebler lit a candle in memory of Tim Frank Leighton*



Bobbie Peebler - November 03, 2017 at 09:25 PM

LI

“ *Linda lit a candle in memory of Tim Frank Leighton*



linda - October 31, 2017 at 10:15 AM

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“ *Linda Prosser sent a virtual gift in memory of Tim Frank Leighton*



Linda Prosser - October 29, 2017 at 06:07 PM

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“ *Linda Prosser sent a virtual gift in memory of Tim Frank Leighton*



Linda Prosser - October 29, 2017 at 06:07 PM

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“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Linda Prosser - October 29, 2017 at 03:04 PM

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“ This tribute wall is in honor of our son, Tim Leighton. I am his mother, Linda (Leighton) Prosser, and I hope to add more to his obituary in the coming days. In the meantime, the family tree shows all of the relationships. Tim had two "dads", and both of them are included here; his father, Steve Leighton - and the "step-dad"/dad who has raised (and loved)him since Tim was 9 years old, Reed Prosser. He had one sister by his biological father, and one brother by his step-dad and I. He also had an amazingly close relationship with his large extended family. This is a work in progress, and is very difficult to work on, at a time like this when the loss is so overwhelming, and fresh. His father re-married about 5 years before his (Dad's) death, in 2015, and his step-mother, Lorraine Schrock Leighton is included as well.. Click on the 2 at the top of his father's icon, to see the relationships with his step-father and I. Click on the 2 at the top of my icon, and you will see his step-mother's information.

Tim is survived by his daughter, Kassandra (Kassie) Leighton, and grandson, Mason Roberts of Cashmere, WA; his son Timmy (Tim) Leighton, now in the USAF stationed at Minot, ND; his mom, Linda Prosser and his step-dad Reed, of Lynnwood, WA; his sister, Evie (Yvonne) (Dan) Green; niece Andrea Green Howell (Corey), and great-nephew Braydenn; nieces Danyelle Green & Jessie Green - all of Monroe, WA; his brother Mathew Prosser (Karisa); niece Alexah Prosser, Nephew Maddex Prosser of Arlington, WA; uncle Will Webb, of Stanwood, WA; aunt Kathy Elder of Mt. Vernon, WA; his much-loved cousins, Tricia (Terry) Warren and family, of Everett, WA; Cori (Michael) Tipps and family of Lake Stevens, WA; Christie Havens and daughter of Everett, WA and Lisa Budnick and family of Bothell, WA. He also has a 95 year old step-grandmother, Jeanne Prosser, still living, and two uncles by marriage, Rick and Randy Prosser, and their families. In addition, he is survived by his oldest friend, his lifelong brother from another mother (and father), Jamey Clark, his wife Christy and their son & daughter.

Tim touched the lives of many people, during his too-short time with

us. He had a quick, hilarious wit, and a heart of absolute gold. He was a graduate of Meadowdale High School, Lynnwood, WA class of 1988. He was a proud US Navy veteran. More than that, he was an absolutely irreplaceable Son, Brother, Uncle, Father and Friend to so many.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Christine Henry Leighton; his father, Stephen T. Leighton; both his maternal and paternal grandparents; his uncles, Tom and Ken Brooks; his aunts, to whom he was very close, Terri Mortiboy and Sherri Karl, his mom's identical twin sisters.



Linda Prosser - October 29, 2017 at 02:12 PM

BR

We are so sorry for your loss of your beloved Son! I understand! Love, hugs and prayers! Barb and Bernie

Barb Ranstrom - November 03, 2017 at 11:43 AM

MA

Nice family photos. Very sorry for your loss Linda. A Meadowdale graduate who went on to serve his country. One of America's best. God bless you Linda and your family.

Mike Allen - November 05, 2017 at 03:30 AM

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“ *Evie M Green was added to the Family Tree.*

Linda Prosser - October 29, 2017 at 12:04 PM

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“ *Karisa A Prosser was added to the Family Tree.*

Linda Prosser - October 29, 2017 at 11:58 AM

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“ *Maddex V Prosser was added to the Family Tree.*

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“ *Danyelle M Green was added to the Family Tree.*

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“ *Andrea L Green was added to the Family Tree.*

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“ *Mason J Roberts was added to the Family Tree.*

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“ *Christine Louise Leighton was added to the Family Tree.*

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“ *Mathew Prosser was added to the Family Tree.*

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“ *Yvonne M Leighton green was added to the Family Tree.*

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“ *Timothy (tim) Frank Leighton was added to the Family Tree.*

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“ *Yvonne (evie) M Leighton was added to the Family Tree.*

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“ *Timothy (tim) Frank Leighton was added to the Family Tree.*

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“ *Timothy (tim) Leighton was added to the Family Tree.*

Linda Prosser - October 29, 2017 at 11:26 AM

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“ 4 files added to the album *Memories of Tim Leighton*



Linda Prosser - October 29, 2017 at 10:57 AM