



Robert Christopher "Chris" Laster

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Robert Christopher "Chris" Laster, 46, died on June 23, 2019 in his home in Birmingham, Alabama. Chris was born on August 13, 1972 to Dr. and Mrs. Robert Laster (Dianne). Chris graduated from Memphis University School, and went on to graduate from Rhodes College, with honors. From an early age, Chris lit up a room with his quick wit and energy. Chris made everyone he met laugh and enjoy life. He was intensely loyal, always helping friends and family. He loved deeply and fiercely and was always the biggest cheerleader for those he loved. His laugh was contagious and the memory of it will certainly continue to make those who knew him smile. Chris was passionate, not only about those he loved, but also about the Memphis Tigers. True to character, he was an intense and loyal fan and promoted his team and his hometown, Memphis, with enthusiasm. Chris never met a stranger; he could start a conversation with just about anyone in the room and was truly interested in what they had to say. He was a life-long learner who knew every person had a story to tell, something to teach and he would listen. Chris' big heart extended not only to the people who came to know him, but to animals. He rescued many dogs and cats over the years and was passionate about helping those who could not help themselves. Chris is survived by his parents, his siblings, Jane Finneran (Mark) and Graham Laster (Katy), five nieces and nephews, William (15), Kiki (13), Jack (8), Ben (4) and Clay (4), his Aunts and Uncles, Mr. and Mrs. John Mousourakis (Donna) and Dr. and Mrs. Graham Rose (Rebecca), and many loving cousins and friends. The laughter, love and friendship Chris gave everyone in his life will be his legacy, and he will be missed with the intensity that he put into those he knew and loved. Visitation will be held Friday, June 28, 2019 from 5:00 – 8:00 p.m. at Memorial Park. Service will be held Saturday, June 29, 2019 at Memorial Park at 1:00 p.m. Memorial contributions may be made to the Memphis and Shelby County Humane Society or the charity of your choice. Arrangements have been entrusted to Memorial Park



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Funeral Home and Cemetery, 5668 Poplar Ave., Memphis, TN 38119 (901) 767-8930.
"A Fitting Farewell for Everyone". To view the memorial tribute video, please click the link below: <https://www.tributeslides.com/tributes/show/GJFG3NW7XZYR2944>



Tribute Wall

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KA

Kay posted:

My sincerest condolences for your loss. During such difficult times God is close to us as a source of comfort (Psalm 34:18). May you find strength and peace through prayer and his word the Bible.

June 29 at 10:51 AM

LS

Luci And Lem Stabler posted:

Chris began dating our daughter, Stacy, 7 months ago here in Homewood, Alabama. He recently moved closer to us and was starting a new job. We were so proud for him. His parents came in town to meet us and Chris treated us to brunch at Ross Bridge. What a precious family he had and he cherished them. He took Stacy to meet his aunt and uncle. What fun they had getting to know each other and meet their families. Every Tuesday he would bring dinner and hang out with my daughter and her girls and watch a movie. They would meet for lunch and he would bring flowers. He recently brought an orchid to Stacy at work that is blooming and still in Stacy's office. We are heartbroken for losing Chris as we had grown to love him dearly. He was a delight and loved us back. That love will never die. We have always prayed for Chris and will pray for his dear family as he now is resting in peace in heaven. We love you.??????

June 28 at 2:12 PM

DM

Donald Murray posted:

Dear Laster Family, My heart breaks learning of Chris's passing. All the folks at Tremco who interfaced with Chris know his infectious personality. Great energy, caring person, can-do attitude. Just a first class guy! RIP Chris.

June 28 at 1:54 PM

BM

Betsy McKay posted:

Dear Laster Family, Our thoughts and prayers are with you. Chris was such a fun-loving and kind person! He will be missed! We have such fond memories of you all and time spent at the lake! Much love, Betsy McKay and Ryan McKay

June 27 at 10:06 AM



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MZ

Marilyn Zellner posted:

Dianne I am so sorry for you and your family's loss. I don't know if you remember me, I used to help you at Freudbergs'. I remember how you used talk about your children. My thoughts are with you and your family. Marilyn Zellner

June 27 at 9:18 AM

SS

Sarah (Stabler) Shaffield posted:

Chris had the most infectious smile and laugh. He was such a sincere, kind, and generous person with a huge capacity for love. I am so grateful to have gotten to know him over the last 7 months, and will miss him dearly. Thank you for raising such a wonderful man – his legacy will truly be one of love.

June 27 at 9:17 AM

KL

Kip And Sheila Litten posted:

We are so sorry for the loss of your son and brother and are keeping you all in our prayers.

June 26 at 11:49 AM

AC

Annie Crain posted:

To all the precious Laster Family, I am so deeply sorry for your loss. Sending you guys so much love and prayers.

June 26 at 4:41 AM

VC

Vernon Cullum posted:

So very sorry for your loss.the bible gives us hope that we can see our loved ones again..John 5:28,29

June 26 at 3:06 AM

LJ

Laverne Jones posted:

We can look forward to the time when all sickness, suffering, and death will be gone forever. Isaiah 33:24; 25:8 I am sorry for your loss. Look to God for comfort. He will hear your prayers. Psalm 65:2

June 25 at 11:26 AM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Robert by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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