

# REMEMBERING Christopher James Conroy (CJ)

June 2, 1972 - September 26, 2019



Tribute from H.W. Wallace Cremation & Burial Centre

H.W. Wallace Cremation and Burial Centre Staff send our condolences to family and friends.

**Tribute from Marcelle Ridley** 

Relation: I met your lovely family while working at the Coop grocery store, circa late seventies.

Sending caring and healing blessings for all of you..... I'm ever so sorry for your great loss

Tribute from Dana and Brian Jackman

Relation: Friend from school days

So very sorry for you and your family

## Tribute from Karolee Garlock

Relation: Co-Workers

Oh Andi, we only met twice but you impacted me greatly. There are no words I can give you to ease your pain. CJ was a great man, as you know, and will always be remembered. I wish you strength during this difficult time.

## Tribute from Enstia Bisetto

Relation: Family friend

Deepest sympathy to dearest Andria and Gracie and all the family .our hearts are breaking for you all . Lots love enstia, Ivano and Claudia and families .

## **Tribute from Olivia Previl**

Relation: Teacher and friend

We are so so sorry for your loss, Andria, Julie, and Maeve. We only met you once in 2015 while on a visit Andria, and you and CJ were so very happy. Then the wonderful news of dear Gracie's birth, and we were elated. We send our deepest condolences and send our love.

Julie, I wish I could be there to give you a big hug. Please know I am there in spirit and are thinking of you all. Love Olivia

#### Tribute from Lise De La Durantaye

Relation: Friend of the family

Cam, I would like to offer you my sincere condolences for the passing of your brother-in-law; your parents told me how close you were.

## **Tribute from Tina Biello**

Relation: Old family friends

Dearest Maeve, Julie and family. I and the Italian Biello clan send our deepest condolences to you all. So sad to learn of CJ's too early passing. We think of your family often. Lots of love Tina

#### Tribute from Jan and Russ Mills

Relation: friend of the family

Our sincere condolences to Maeve, Cam and family in the loss of such a wonderful brother, friend, husband, and father to Gracie. Thinking of you everyday...

#### **Tribute from Erin Conroy**

Relation: 2nd Cousin

Sending love to all the family, to Andria and their little Gracie! C.J and I just met the once at a family wedding and what a true pleasure it was to meet someone so full of life, with the kindest soul and an absolute gentleman! I'm glad to have met you cousant as you would say! Until we meet again x x

#### Tribute from Mitch & amp; Lori Ann Drew

Relation: CJ's sister Maeve married to Cam Drew

We are so very saddened to hear about the passing of CJ. It was always a joy to spend time with him on our visits to the Island and although we didn't see him often, it was a pleasure catching up when we did. Your family is missing an important piece today and are hearts are with you. Mitch, Lori Ann, Jessica and Jackson Drew

#### **Tribute from Ivan Chow**

Relation: Brother and mentor for 20 + years in corrections.

CJ my brother, I am going to miss you immensely until our paths cross again. I can not imagine how many of us are devastated by your passing. I will always treasure the time that we have spent together. You have always had my back and you have assisted me in so many ways. I will always treasure your memory CJ. There were so many good times and all those meals that we shared. You have assisted in me growing as a person, an officer and family man.

I truly grieve your departure and my sincere condolences to your family and all your brothers and sisters at work. The good lord took you much too soon. I will remember all the positive occurrences and events. Godspeed my brother. Love you always. Ivan

## **Tribute from Ivan Chow**

Relation: Fellow officer

CJ, my heart is broken and I am devastated. Thank you for always being there for me and having my back. The good lord took you much too quickly and too soon. I will always treasure the memories we

have shared. Godspeed my brother until our paths cross again. Condolences to your family and all your peers. Ivan.

## **Tribute from Tim D Murdy**

#### Relation: Friend

Our sincere and deepest condolences to the whole family, but especially Andi & Gracie. Words will never help with the pain and sense of loss, but take comfort in knowing that you all were very blessed to have such a special man in your lives - albeit for far too short of a time. He loved you all with all of his heart - we could see it every time we were lucky enough to share his company. We will always be there to help and support in whatever manner you need. We love you all, Tim and Teisha

#### **Tribute from Wendy Bowen**

An Irish Blessing May the road rise to meet you May the wind be always at your back May the sun shine warm upon your face The rain fall soft upon your fields And until we meet again, May God hold you in the palm of his hand.

I am deeply sorry for your loss. May Grace surround you and your loved ones during this time of grief.

#### **Tribute from Holly Lalande**

Relation: Friend of the family

Dear Maeve and Cam

I am so sorry for your loss - i feel deeply for your hearts

## **Tribute from Coula**

#### Relation: friend of the family

Our deepest sympathy on your loss.Our thoughts and prayers are with all the family at this most difficult time.Sending love Luke and Coula Trakoshis

#### **Tribute from Andrew Lones**

Relation: VIRCC co-worker

RIP CJ. You were an excellent training instructor and a great man and brother on the line. RIP, my mesincere condolences for the Conroys for this devestating loss.

## Tribute from Phil, Jolie, Cassia and Spencer Nasralla

Relation: Shawnigan Lake School Family

Dear Andi and sweet little Gracie and to the Conroy clan...Our sincere condolences for the loss of your beloved CJ. What a kind soul, what a gentleman! Cassia and Spencer speak so highly of Mr. Conroy. He made a huge impression on them. Cassia has fond memories of traveling to Japan with you both.

Although Phil and I only met CJ a few times on visits to the school he was always so warm and friendly with a lovely smile and such a kind heart. We are so saddened by this news. We send you lots of love and hugs. May CJ Rest In Peace. God bless you and comfort you. XOXO

#### Tribute from Karen Mercuri

Relation: Family friend to Andria

Dearest Andria little Gracie & all the family. We are so sorry for your devastating loss. No words will ease your pain. May God Bless and give you strength to get through these days ahead. All our love Karen, Marco, Fabio & Alessia Mercuri

## Tribute from Shannon and Paul Gala

Relation: Family friend

You came into my families life by your beautiful sister Maeve. You were an adorable big eyed, playful pup. Full of curiosity and love. How wonderful that you never changed, right down to not wearing socks. You touched many people and will live in our hearts.

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Relation: Friend of julie's

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## **Tribute from Irene Kontemeniotis**

Relation: Aunty of Andria

Andria mou..so sad for your loss..our deepest condolences..may the happy memories keep you and your little girl strong

## Tribute from Love Richard, Monique, Bella and Kiara

Relation: Family of Andy

Dearest Andy, my heart goes out to you, Gracie and the family on the passing of CJ, please accept my sincere Condolences. He was a wonderful man that we all hold good memories of- you and Gracie have a forever angel watching over youMay he rest in peace and fly high with the angels. You are in are thoughts and prayers. We are here for you if you need us in anyway. I pray that the Lord sends his roaring angels to watch over you all during this time lots of love Richard, Monique, Bella & Kiara xxx

## **Tribute from Sharon Thomas**

Relation: Know Andria and Tzircalle family.

Deepest sympathy Andria, Gracie and all the family. Our thoughts and prayers are with you all. We wish you strength during this very difficult time. Lots of love The Thomas Family in Wiltshire England.

## Relation: Co worker

To CJ family, I am so sorry to hear of your huge family loss. The obituary was beautifully written and made me cry. I knew you husband son dad for a decade when I worked as a peace officer at VIRCC. I remember him as a new staff quickly winning over old staff. He had a great knack of staring right in your eyes. Concentrating making one forget about the chaos going on around . Had some good times, laughs so happy to hear he married and had a Gracie! Andi take good care of yourself, cry,laugh,remember enjoy your life CJ would have wanted you to be having fun !

#### Tribute from Andy Juan

## Relation: VIRCC co-worker

My trainer, supervisor, mentor, and most of all, my rock. Your unexpected, sudden depature has devastated so many lives you have touched. I will never forget your humor at work. It put a smile on my face every time I pass through the supervisor office. It was an honour to be trained by you and to have worked alongside you. Wherever you may be, I would like to use your famous Bruce Lee quote you used to say to me all the time: "Be like Water." Formless but never forgotten. My heart is broken and I will miss you dearly. Lastly, my deepest, sincere condolences to CJ's immediate family. Rest easy CJ.

#### Tribute from nancy hendry

So sorry Maeve

## **Tribute from Jeannie and Mark Mellor**

Relation: Family Friends Our deepest of sympathy for you all!

#### **Tribute from Janet Clark**

CJ will always be remembered as a sweet sweet man. Always smiling, always a kind word. My prayers and condolences to his family.

#### **Tribute from Jenny Ferris**

Relation: Shawnigan Lake School community Andi, I am shocked and send you love and hugs. Jenny Ferris

## **Tribute from Karen petersen**

Julie and family, so sad to hear of your loss of a great man! His legacy will be the light that still shines brightly in all of you!

## **Tribute from Pamela Audley**

Relation: A friend through Corrections

I am so very very sorry.....please know that CJ has touched so many lives is so many ways.

## **Tribute from Sean Collett**

Relation: Friend and co-worker.

CJ was a selfless and honourable man who never ever hesitated to speak up and take action to defend the rights of others before himself. He spoke truth to power regardless of personal consequences and took great delight in ruffling those feathers! Rest easy brother knowing you improved the lives of so many folks. He will be sorely missed.

#### **Tribute from Kathy Korman**

Relation: family friend

Sending much love and prayers. I know that CJ is in the arms of his mom and dad once again. He will be sorely missed. I still remember the smile and twinkle in his eye when he was a young boy. Keeping all of you close in my heart.

Love,

Kathy Korman

## Tribute from Gerrit and Leslie van der Leer

Relation: Friend

Andi, I wish there were words to help mend your pain but it's only with time that we heal. The time came for CJ to carry on with his journey but his spirit lives on in our thoughts and our hearts, he will always be with us. The conversations we had and the laughs we shared we will always remember. Andi, we would love for you and Gracie to be part of our lives, now and always.. Love, Gerrit & Leslie

#### **Tribute from Gaynor Stroebel**

Relation: Shawnigan Lake School community Dear Andi, Julie, Gracie, and family, Our thoughts and prayers are with you.

#### **Tribute from Titus Family**

Deepest sympathy for your loss of CJ. You are in our hearts and prayers.

#### **Tribute from Mandy Parker**

Relation: Former colleague

Andi, Jerry and family, I am so sorry for your loss. It was devastating news and our thoughts are with you.

#### **Tribute from June Conolly**

Relation: I knew Andi and her Mom and Dad

Dearest Andi, and your precious Gracie,Lou Lou George and Stavros. Through FB i could see the precious Happy family you were. May God surround you with His love and give you strength. Sending tons of love June

## Tribute from Miriam Fry

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