

BYERS, JASON WILLIAM

March 11, 1974-January 5, 2008

A funeral service for Jason William Byers, 33, was conducted at 2:00 P.M., Friday, January 11, 2008, at Gorman Funeral Homes-Platte Chapel of Wheatland, Wyoming with Rev. Jane Willis officiating. Interment was in the Wheatland Cemetery.

He died Saturday, January 5, 2008, near Riverton, Wyoming.

Jason was born March 11, 1974, in Wheatland, the son of Russell William "Bill" and Marjorie Sue (Beatty) Byers. He was reared and educated in Edgemont, South Dakota and Wheatland. He graduated from Wheatland High School and attended two years at community colleges in Wyoming. Jason moved to Phoenix, Arizona where he worked in telecommunications. When his father became ill, he returned to Wheatland to be with him. After his father's death, he returned to Arizona working at a resort for a short time; but, returning to Wyoming to live. He enjoyed water skiing, darts, target shooting, and spending time with his friends.

Survivors include his mother, Margie Byers, Tulaoma, Tennessee; grandmother, Elizabeth Byers of Wheatland; an uncle, David Byers of Wheatland; an aunt, Denise Travis (Bill) of Moorpark, California; and two sisters, Linda Reichart of Sheridan, Wyoming and Debbie Swanson-Dunn of McMinnville, Tennessee.

He was preceded in death by his father, and a brother, David Swanson.

Serving as pallbearers were Chris Wright, Beau Bumford, Johnnie Hall, Brian Dulins, Addison Wright, and Will Smith. Honorary pallbearers were Jason Bordelon, Billy Anderson, Ed Preuit, Lloyd Sommers, Todd Betts, Danny Wright, Phil Driscoll, Leonard Driscoll, Dave Baker and Jazz.