



Scott L. Ford

April 28, 1972 - January 1, 2021

Scott L. Ford, 48, passed away on January 1, 2021. Scott was born the son of Marilyn and David Ford on April 28, 1972 in Kansas City, Kansas

Scott was a graduate of Shawnee Mission West High School in 1990. Following High School, Scott went to Green Bay, Wisconsin where he studied Law Enforcement. He was a Deputy for Clay County Sheriff's Department for 25 years.

Scott loved his sports. He enjoyed playing soccer, basketball, golf, mountain bikes, motorcycles, swimming, hunting, Midwest Crawler group, Kansas City Northland Jeepers, Radio Free Texas, and dancing to name a few. Scott also went to Rodeo Clown School so he could be a Rodeo Clown in Missouri. He won three gold buckles during his 7 years as a clown.

Many people know Scott had his own band where he wrote and recorded his songs. Scott was on the radio, Reverb Nation Station where he had several #1 hits. He loved to travel and share his music with his friends and family. He has traveled to Texas, Kansas, Missouri, Oklahoma and Colorado for his music.

Scott volunteered everyday at Morning Glory Ministers in Kansas City, Missouri. He was a member of the Knights of Columbus and was involved in several clubs in the metro area. Scott never met a stranger. He was friendly to everyone. Scott had a wonderful sense of humor and smile that went on forever. His laughter would fill the air and it made you smile. If you were his friend, he was your friend forever. He'd love you like a brother.

Scott is preceded in death by his grandparents, Dave and Evelyn Ford and Vernon and Wanda Sims; uncle, Jerry E. Sims; and cousin, P.J. Palmer.

Scott is survived by his parents, David and Marilyn Ford, of Overland Park, KS; sisters, Christy Gantt, Springhill, KS and Stephanie Reynolds, Mason, Ohio; four nieces, Lauren Gantt, Aubree Gantt, Sydney Reynolds and Julia Reynolds; great nephew, Colton Gantt; aunt, Donna Ford Palmer, Bellevue, WA; cousins, Andrew (Carrie) Palmer, London, England, Glen (Katie) Palmer, Overland Park, KS, his faithful canine, Jackson; and many more relatives and friends.

Donations may be made to Morning Glory Ministries or Union City Missions, 1112 Broadway Blvd., Kansas City, Missouri.

Services will be live streamed on Facebook. Use the following link to access. <https://fb.me/e/1PD4esG3q>

Cemetery

Maple Hill Cemetery

2301 S. 34th St.

Kansas City, KS, 66106

Comments



“ A tribute video has been added.



Maple Hill Funeral Home and Cemetery - January 06 at 02:20 PM



“ Marilyn and David, I am so sorry for your loss. I wasn't around Scott a lot but I do remember that, without fail, every time I saw him he was smiling and having fun. Whether it was at a wedding, a rodeo or just being at home, he was always smiling. Several years ago I went in to a sandwich shop and there was Scott and a fellow police officer having lunch. I hadn't seen him for a long time but he was just good ol' Scott and happy to see me. I also remember his dog, Brinks. Scott loved that dog. That dog was HUGE but Scott treated him like he was a puppy. You have a lot of wonderful and special memories of your son and I pray they will bring you peace and comfort.

Rebecca J Smith - February 03 at 05:30 PM



“ Scott the love of our lives, he was a sweet kind child. He started performing in church at the age of 5. He was always a singer even before he talked well he could carry a tune. He was always active in sports, music and everyone to him was a friend. We was funny and smiling all the time, he did have a quick temper but it came fast and was gone. He loved and protected his little sister, Stephanie. He adored his nieces. He was always willing to help his grandparents at anytime. We will miss him and Love him always.

Love you son!
Mom and Dad

Marilynn & David Ford - January 26 at 09:20 AM



“ Scott, I didn't get to see you perform that often, but you were a true friend from the Sheriff's Department. I first met you shortly after you got hired on, and remember your "blunders" until you learned the "ropes". You always had a smile on your face, and was always open to advice from the "old salts". You'll be missed my friend, RIP'1

Roy Evans - January 21 at 04:31 AM



“ Shawn & I loved going out to listen to Scott's music. He was so very talented and he would always play songs for us that we would request. I'm still in shock and about this. He will be loved & missed Prayers for his Family & friends. May Jesus wrap his arms around his family and friends.

Debbie Regan - January 12 at 07:21 PM



“ I will never forget our trip to Monterrey, California. You left an imprint on my heart! You will always be one of my buddies. Thank you for being a part of my journey! Love always, Alissa. I'll see you on the other side Leon....

Alissa - January 12 at 01:18 AM



“ Jackie lit a candle in memory of Scott L. Ford



Jackie - January 09 at 10:11 PM



“ Scott was one of the good guys. He was passionate about his songwriting, and obviously had good taste in music, being friends with, and Mentored by Jackson Taylor. He was a pivotal figure in the community and will be sorely missed. Scott, I hope you are in a songwriter Circle up in heaven with Billy Joe Shaver, John Prine, Jerry Jeff Walker and others we have lost recently.

Jason H./ About Face Touring - January 08 at 12:44 PM



“ I met Scott back in 1999 or 2000 when he moved into an apartment at the NKC Rental. We became great friends instantly. He was a Clay County Sheriff, drove a purple Ford Mustang and was the first legit Rodeo Clown I had ever met! His smile would light a room and just a few years later, he met my sister and they started dating for several years! He was always "larger than life" and will forever be! Scott, you will be remembered daily by your amazing music and love of life! RIP

Lorri Laughlin - January 07 at 07:43 PM



“ If you knew Scott for any length of time, you knew he was genuine, true, kind, a great singer and an awesome song writer! His jovial laugh was contagious. His hugs could heal any bad day you might be having. His kind spirit toward his fellow man was like no other. Go rest high upon that mountain my friend , your work on Earth is done. May you find your eternal peace. I will miss you greatly !!! Fly high and sing with the Angels til we meet again my friend!!!

Melissa Brandon - January 07 at 01:39 PM



“ Scott was my friend but he was also my partner at The Sheriffs department. So many adventures, trips, dinners and the stories we shared! He did a great job both at work and his music. His Music is where he shined. He was so supportive to me and was always there! I could talk hours about his kindness and the love he shared for others and his community. He loved Jackson and his girl Maddie. Missing my friend and our special friendship we had! I will miss you calling me J! Love you my friend and until we meet again.



Jeanetta Belfonte - January 07 at 09:53 AM



“ Scott was only in my life for a short time. But the impact he had on my life was one I will never forget!! Fly high you will be missed by so many people.



kelly occhipinto - January 07 at 07:35 AM



“ Cassie lit a candle in memory of Scott L. Ford



Cassie - January 06 at 08:43 PM



“ Tammy Tracy lit a candle in memory of Scott L. Ford



Tammy Tracy - January 06 at 07:06 PM



“ Colleen Bardone lit a candle in memory of Scott L. Ford



Colleen Bardone - January 06 at 06:44 PM



“ Jessica lit a candle in memory of Scott L. Ford



Jessica - January 06 at 03:03 PM



“ Angela Hutsler lit a candle in memory of Scott L. Ford



Angela Hutsler - January 06 at 02:21 PM



“ 124 files added to the album LifeTributes



Maple Hill Funeral Home and Cemetery - January 06 at 01:59 PM



“ Mike Coyle lit a candle in memory of Scott L. Ford



Mike Coyle - January 06 at 12:16 PM



“ I remember holding Scott when he was an infant. You could see his soul in his eyes and just know that he was special. It was so much fun to watch Scott and his sisters play on the floor with their mother. His smile lit up the room. Rest in peace dear Scott.

Betty Franklin - January 06 at 11:46 AM



“ Betty Franklin lit a candle in memory of Scott L. Ford



Betty Franklin - January 06 at 11:40 AM



“ Nicole lit a candle in memory of Scott L. Ford



Nicole - January 06 at 09:14 AM



“ Rhonda lit a candle in memory of Scott L. Ford



Rhonda - January 05 at 10:04 PM