



William D. VanGorden

July 8, 1990 - October 21, 2021

Lord's Valley, PA - William D. VanGorden, age 31, unexpectedly passed away on Thursday, October 21, 2021 at Newton Medical Center. Born in Newton on July 8, 1990, Billy grew up in Sussex County before moving to Lords Valley, PA. Billy was a Dallas Cowboys fan, a New York METS fan, a Los Angeles Lakers fan, and a huge fan of Connor McGregor, UFC Champion. He loved to watch shows; especially Sons of Anarchy and Trailer Park Boys. He was predeceased by his brother, John E. VanGorden, Jr. on August 14, 2018; grandfather, William Douglas Van Orden on January 10, 2018; and his paternal grandparents, Alfred and Helen VanGorden. He is survived by his mother, Doris J. Van Orden and her longtime companion, who was Billy's step-father, John Occhipinti of Lords Valley, PA; his father, John E. VanGorden, Sr. of Greeley, PA; his fiancé, Destiny Strick of Lord's Valley, PA; his daughter, Amelia Anastasia May Van Gorden; his step-daughters, Lilly Barker and Avery Ashley; his brother, Joseph VanGorden of Greeley, PA; his two sisters, Nicole VanGorden of Lords Valley, PA and Lalina VanGorden of Greeley, PA; his nieces and nephews, Teigan, Travis, John, Bentley, and Rivers; and his maternal grandmother, Mary Van Orden of Sussex. Memorial services will be held at 6 p.m. on Wednesday, October 27, 2021 at the Pinkel Funeral Home, 31 Bank Street (Route 23), Sussex. Friends may pay their respects to the family on Wednesday prior to the service from 4 p.m. to 6 p.m. at the funeral home. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorial donations may be made to his mother, Doris or to the funeral home to help

defray the funeral costs. Online condolences may be offered to the family at www.pinkelfuneralhome.com

Cemetery Details

Private Cremation Services

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **27**. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

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Memorial Service

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Tribute Wall

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“ I remember when I used to watch you and your brother and sister and the long walks we used to take and how you hated them . Rest easy Billy and watch over your Mom and sister and your Family too. Keep them safe. I also remember the name you used to call Curt, Bald headed chicken ***** lol . He said that the day we were told you had passed away. sorry did not get there but had a headache and just did not make getting there in time. RIP Billy you will be missed by all who knew and loved you. Fly high with the angels Billy fly high with the angels. My thoughts and prayers goes out to your Families in this difficult time.



Jean and Curt Crowell - October 27, 2021 at 08:08 PM

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“ Sorry for your loss Doris my thoughts and prayers are with you at this time God Bless Love Aunt Debbie

Debbie Reiser - October 26, 2021 at 06:17 PM



“ Rose Tribute was purchased for the family of William D. VanGorden.



October 25, 2021 at 12:05 PM



“ *Majestic Heart was purchased for the family of William D. VanGorden.*



October 25, 2021 at 11:50 AM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of William D. VanGorden.*



October 25, 2021 at 07:28 AM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of William D. VanGorden.*



October 23, 2021 at 04:25 PM