

# Larry Vaughn Spendlove II

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The funeral was a loving tribute to a great man. Holly and children, we are most grateful to have known and enjoyed the company of Vaughn. May the Lord continue to bless each of you. We are grateful to those who made the funeral available over zoom. Joe and Eileen Spendlove

- Joe and Eileen Spendlove

I was saddened and shocked to learn of Vaughn's illness and passing. I was blessed to have worked with Vaughn in his late teen years and will always treasure the time I was able to hang out, goof off, or just spend time with him. He will always be in my fondest memories, as will his family be in my thoughts and prayers.

- Karen (Goaslind) Barney

Holly and family, Rob and I are sorry for your loss of your husband father and grandfather. It will be a hard time at this point. Know God is there for you. And we know we will be with them again. Hugs to you God bless you at this time Elsie and Rob DeKorver

- Elsie DeKorver

We love your family. We pray for Gods Blessings of peace and love to be with each of you. Love the Harrison's (Angela)

- Cheryl Harrison

I can not possibly imagine what you feel right now, let me know if there is anything I can do to ease your pain at this difficult period. I'm sorry for your loss, with time and courage you will sail through these rough waters.

#### - Praveen

So sorry to hear about Vaughn's passing. Sending love and prayers from Jan and myself to Holly, the kids, and to Uncle Larry & Aunt Venice. Vaughn was my closest cousin growing up and we made many fond memories together (usually during sleepovers at either of our houses) and almost always with William and my brother Doug along as well. One of the things that I loved about Vaughn was that he always included his younger brother William in anything we did. That worked out great because my younger brother Doug was my best friend and we used to do almost everything together as kids. The four of us cousins used to love to watch funny or scary movies utilizing the world's most incredible technological achievement of that era... the VHS tape player! Our plan was always the same; relentlessly beg each other's parents to allow a sleep-over, increase pressure until one gave in, arrange a ride across town, run around the neighborhood until sundown and then kick the night off with a .99 cent Totino's pizza and an insanely large bowl of popcorn drowned in margarine. About 10 pm we would make a solemn pact, promising each other that THIS TIME we would stay awake until sunrise. I'm not exactly sure why we were so infatuated with the idea of conquering the night but between the ages of 10 and 13 every sleep-over felt like an adventure that demanded we stay awake in case something great happened. However hard we may have tried though we never made it to sunrise. No matter, we always had fun, got along really well, and got to know each other. We would talk about our ideas on various subjects, our ambitions, pop culture, and different bands that we liked. I remember introducing him to the band "Rush" and him turning me onto "Dire Straits", and "The Police". Vaughn was always hip to the latest movies too and he seemed to especially love comedies in those days. If I remember correctly Vaughn was also interested in comic books, or at least a particularly interesting and funny one called "MAD Magazine!" that he introduced to me in the early 80's. Since we both held similar interests in reading books we would occasionally find ourselves roaming the halls of either the Whitmore or S.L.C. libraries. In our later teens we would catch a movie here and there and as we got older we would see each other at family events. It was always good to see Vaughn and we always had a hug for each other. He was smart, inquisitive, thoughtful and a great cousin. I'll miss you Vaughn. Until we meet again cousin! Love you.

## - Scott & Jan Longman

Dear Larry and Venise and family: I just read the obituary of your son. Karen and I are deeply sadden by your loss and wish to send our condolences. We lost our eldest daughter about a year ago from breast cancer and have some sense of your feeling. May you and all of your son's impressive family find comfort in the Gospel and solace in the many wonderful memories you have of your life with him. Love to you all. Roger & Karen Cutler

## - Roger and Karen Cutler

I served briefly with "Elder" Spendlove in the mission office in Bordeaux. My heart, along with my prayers go out to his family.

#### - Phillip Rash

Vaughn was such a wonderful person. I am glad I had the pleasure of getting to know him. I felt good,knowing he was taking care of my sweet Holly. I am so devastated. I feel so terrible, for Holly and their children. I am so sorry for their loss.

- James and Christine Riding

Oh Holly, my heart is broken for you. I remember Vaughn being such a kind-hearted, soft-spoken man who loves you so deeply. I am so sorry for your loss. Please know your family is in my prayers.

- Melissa Ash