

**Zachary Thomas Sumsion** 

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So sorry for your loss.... Zac and I taught Primary together for a year or so back in 2010-2011..... I loved the time spent talking with him and after giving a 10 min lesson the rest of the class time was spent trying to solve all of the worlds problems.... always loved listening to him

- Rich Anderson

Although you don't know me, I feel as though I know you. My beautiful granddaughter is Calie Bradley. Your talent as a photographer proceeds you. I am so very sorry, sad, and heart broken for you. I wish I could have met Zach. Gods prayers and mine are with you. Barbara Kelley

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Ali, I am so so sorry for your loss. Our family is no stranger to mental illness and have several warriors too. Please reach out if you need anything please please let me help!

- Mary Day

Ron Susan and family, our hearts are broken for your loss, know you are in our thoughts and prayers! We love you all. Mike and Valerie Hill

- Valerie Hill

Love to you and your family.

#### - Stacia Walker

Zach, you have been and will continue to be an inspiration to me. Your mind is so keen and your wit razor sharp and hilarious! As I think back to my time working with you I will always cherish the times we were worked side-by-side with the Grand Rapids team and the Financial Management (Finance and Accounting) Group. Thank you for being both an amazing colleague and an incredibly good-hearted friend. There has never been a doubt how much you love Ali and your boys! You will always be a positive influence in my life to help me strive to be a better person! Thank you!

# - Wayne Davis

I worked with Zach at CHG many years ago, and always loved working with him. Zach was always easy going, but could make us laugh with his quick wit and humor. I always looked forward to Halloween, to see what Zach would dress up as next. The highlight was Richard Simmons. My condolences to all that loved Zach, I am so sorry for your loss.

# - Jen Lemon Simonsen

My friend of old, you will be missed. Our My Two Dollars reunion we joked about will have to take place ina different spot. I hope that you found your silvertown. I know it had been a while since we last talked, but wish that I could've been there for you. RIP my friend.

#### - Drew Rosa

I was just thinking about what a good friend Zack was to me when I moved out west to Utah from Pennsylvania, and was kind of the only friend I had my freshman year at UVU in a new state. I lost touch with him after my mission. But today just thought to try to connect or do a search on the internet. I found this obituary and was deeply saddened to see we lost him. In college, I had my older brother but outside of family I had like 2 friends in Utah. I met Zack through rock climbing. And he helped me learn what to expect as I got ready for a mission. He gave me confidence that I needed in college. We climbed in the gym a lot and did a roadtrip to Joshua Tree in California where we got in trouble with the ranger for camping in a non-designated spot. Zach handled it really well with a laugh and some smooth talking. I remember thinking I could easily beat him in a wrestling match in our back yard at a house we were renting in Provo. I was wrong. Despite him being lighter and shorter than me, he pinned me in a cross face cradle in less than a minute. I asked for a rematch twice more, and he showed it wasn't a fluke by pinning me faster each time. The guy could really sing. I looked up to Zach and still do. I want his boys to know that their Dad was strong and tough and kind and humble and inspiring to me. I think I have some videos from my old camcorder of him climbing a big boulder. Have the grand-parents Call or text me at 720-785-0273. And I can send them over.

# - Nate Riggle