



## Trevor Jerry van Soolen

*July 7, 1983 ~ Sept. 8, 2021*

Trevor Jerry van Soolen died Wednesday, September 8, 2021, at 38 years old. Born in Salt Lake City on July 7, 1983, Trevor was a fiercely loved son, brother, and friend who will be deeply missed. Trevor lived his life the best way he knew how: unapologetically and with love. His world centered around his family, and if one of his siblings had a goal or needed support, he could always be counted on to be there. He showed his love through his smile, his laughter, and his time. When he told you he loved you, you felt it.

Trevor walked his own path, one dictated by himself and not others, and when he committed to something, he always committed 100 percent. Trevor was a person full of conviction who thought deeply. He loved good conversation and would often share his perceptions, challenging others to consider his points of view. He had a dry and sarcastic sense of humor, and his smile and laugh would light up a room. He brought joy to those around him.

Music was his passion and often his medium of choice when it came to expressing himself. When he had his guitar in his hand, he would fall into a rhythm that would entrance those around him. Blending his passion and his profession, Trevor was a skilled audio engineer. He graduated with a bachelor's degree in Digital Media from Utah Valley University in 2009. While at UVU, he was a finalist in an international audio engineering competition. He was known in his career for his talent, professionalism, and ability to adapt to any challenge. When he wasn't working, he enjoyed kickboxing, watching MMA, and going to the gym—often helping others with proper technique. Trevor was always helping others. Another passion of his was spending time with his family. Whether it was playing games, skateboarding, or making the best brownies ever, he was always there.

Trevor is preceded in death by his mother, Michelle Renae Nance van Soolen, and his sister Hanna Lee van Soolen; his grandfather, McKinley Nance and grandmother Johanna van Soolen. Trevor is survived by his father, Jerry; and siblings, Randy, Derrick, Pieter, Amanda, Taylor, Nicholas and Alex; his grandmother, Leola; and his nieces and nephews, Kedyne, McKinlie, Olive, Felix, and Ruka. All loved Trevor dearly.

A Celebration of Trevor's life will be held Friday, September 17, 2021 from 10:00am to 11:30am at the Lone Peak Pavilion, 10140 South 700 East in Sandy, Utah. A graveside service will follow at Larkin Sunset Gardens, 1950 East 10600 South, also in Sandy.

Rest in peace, Trevor. We will always love you and miss you.