



Kevin Burr Hope

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Kevin Burr Hope, 51, of Lahaina, died on October 11, 2013 at his home.

Private services to be held at a later date.

Mr. Hope was born on December 2, 1961 in Los Angeles, CA, to Kenneth James and Ann Clemence (Burr) Hope.

He was a carpenter.

He is survived by his sister, Katherine Hope Ondatje; brother-in-law, Christopher R. Ondatje; nephew, Tyler C. Ondatje; niece, Jordan Elizabeth Ondatje; many friends and loved ones.



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KS

Kurt Shewfelt posted:

I was friends with Kevin back in the 1970s and also was a classmate of his sister, Katie, at Cathedral Chapel School in Los Angeles. My sister, Ellen, was in Kevin's class at CCS. We hung out together for a few summers and I remember working our first jobs together at the Rossmore House as 15-year old waiters in a retirement home. I have fond memories of those summers with Kevin and sorry to hear of his passing. God bless him and his surviving family. Kurt Shewfelt

January 8 at 6:04 AM

JJ

Jay Johnson posted:

I was the closest friend to Kevin over the past couple years. I stayed with him on and off quite a bit this last year. I went to see him at xmas to learn about his passing. Kevin went in the manner he wanted to go out in. I can say that he made no bones about his life and somewhere he is laughing. I was sad for a minute until I remembered. Kevin Hope. Would have asked me if I was alright in the head for being sad he died. Laugh on Kevin.

December 31 at 11:05 AM



Mark Whalen January 4 at 10:30 AM

Jay, I was friends with Kevin as children in Los Angeles would love to find out more.. Mark Whalen Fineart.mark@yahoo.com

JK

Joel Kalmus lit a candle in honor of Kevin.



December 16 at 12:04 PM

CF

Craig Farrar posted:

Thinking of you today. Today is my b-day and I'm 51 today. We were born only 2 weeks apart. Wish we'd been closer the last couple years but I was lucky to know and work with you for the years we did. Funniest friend I ever had. Toasting a life well lived today. R.I.P my friend. Craig

December 16 at 7:50 AM



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December 12 at 12:11 PM



Curtis Buckley posted:

Kevin was definitely the alpha child back in grade school. We didn't have much to say to each other. We did bond over an appreciation of Jethro Tull. I can still here him sing the refrain of this song.as you push off from the shore,won't you turn your head once more --- and make your peace with everyone?For those who choose to stay,will live just one more day ---to do the things they should have done.And as you cross the wilderness, spinning in your emptiness:you feel you have to pray.Looking for a signthat the Universal Mind (!) has written you into the Passion Play.Skating away on the thin ice of the New Day.Rip Kevin

November 30 at 8:15 AM



Mark Whalen December 5 at 5:27 AM

Very nice Curtis, glad you took the time out to write something



Mark Whalen lit a candle in honor of Kevin.



November 29 at 6:57 AM



Mark Whalen November 29 at 6:58 AM

From the alter boys of CC



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MS

Mike Sheehan posted:

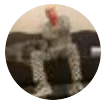
I was fortunate enough to go to Cathedral Chapel with Kevin. He had a very outgoing personality which made me marvel, because he made friends very easily. I kind of thought of him as Snoopy's character "Joe Cool"; he had that kind of aura. I found my CCS "memory book", which was our 8th Grade Graduation yearbook, and while leafing through it, I found something Kevin had written to me in the back pages: "To carrot top, you have been a good friend to me. Keep up the athletics, Kevin" I was able to connect with Kevin, when we played sports, which was when I was most comfortable. He was a great athlete and even a better friend! So, to my friend in Heaven, "May the road rise to meet you. May the wind be always at your back. May the sun shine warm upon your face. May the rains fall soft upon your fields and until we meet again, May the Lord hold you in the palm of His hand." I look forward to throwing the football around with you, when we see each other again...Mike Sheehan

November 29 at 6:09 AM



Mark Whalen November 30 at 7:03 AM

Very nice Micheal, from the heart.



Louis Offer posted:

R.I.P. bob you were a great friend we had barrels of fun a zuma beach i am grateful that we stayed in touch all of these years i am a richer man for having you in my lifelove alwayslouis (blueie louie, noton) offer

November 28 at 3:56 PM

JD

Joe Davis posted:

Its always sad and a part of life when we've lost a friend, Kevin, aka Bob aka seven!..was and is my friend we also did the school thing, and not! Hung out for hrs and did nothing!...but when one looks back we did so much! ...we made memories for each other to carry on. I also met KH WITH FRANKE THEY went to school together and frank and I lived around the corner from each other and thats how we met. Kevin was very strong willed, as most of you know!, Very smart! And I think the lady's would say...easy on the eyes! well I've missed my buddy for a while now...so I guess I'll never say goodbye, just see you later bud! J.d.

November 22 at 5:34 AM



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Mark Whalen posted:

Would like to share this. Fill not your heart with pain and sorrow, but remember me in every tomorrow. Remember the joy, the laughter, the smiles, I've only gone to rest a little while. Although my leaving causes pain and grief, my going has eased my hurt and given me relief. So dry your eyes and remember me not as I am now, but as I use to be. Because I will remember you all and look on with a smile, Understand, in your hearts, I've only gone to rest a little while. As long as I have the love of each of you, I can live my life in the hearts of all of you. Joey Beighley
Posted by Mark Whalen

November 17 at 9:48 AM



Mark Whalen lit a candle in honor of Kevin.



November 16 at 9:39 AM



Mark Whalen posted:

I grew up with Kevin in Los Angeles. We attended the same grade school Cathedral Chapel. I came to the school in 3rd grade. September school started and I think Kevin was still on vacation with his family. I made lots of friends and when Kevin came back he wondered who was this new kid in his class. We butted heads at first maybe even fought, but Kevin was bigger than that, instead we became close friends. Many a splendid afternoon was spent at the apt His mom kept on Maryland drive in Park La Brea. I remember having sock wars (tossing rolled up pairs of clean socks from Kevin's room to hers) with his sister Katy. His mother was a beautiful woman who worked hard, She worked at the magazine Architectural Digest. She kept that apt so stylish and neat right out of what would have been in the magazine. His parents were separated (as were mine) and I remember his dad taking us to an airshow maybe 1974/75. I think after high school he lived with his dad for a bit. Great memories of skateboarding together in 1975, We would hang out at Gardner Park Go TO 7-11. Halloween fair at Gardner park. We used to catch the Wilshire bus down to Santa Monica beach. Boogieboarding at life station 10. We would skateboard from Wilshire and Fairfax all the way to UCLA. Then skate all afternoon and skate back. 1976 Graduation from grade school what great times and great friends. Many a fine summer day was spent at Paul Hoens house and pool. I always admired Kevin his surfer boy looks, Always got really tan in the summers. Great smile and his special laugh. We stayed friends during High school even though we went to different schools. He went to Fairfax and I went to Uni. He had a white pick up truck, and a trick Z28 Camaro. That Joe Davis still owns. He would pick me up and we would go to clubs. I remember when he lived on Highland and I would stop by and see him... When I worked at the Ralphs market on 3rd and Fairfax he had moved back in with his mother who was sick and needed some help. I respected him for that and I'm sure that was one of his great memories and accomplishments in life. The last time I saw Kevin in person was at my bachelor party in 1992. It was at the Chateau Marmont in Hollywood. We drank some 1962 (Kevin and my birth year) Canadian Club whiskey that I had procured and saved for the occasion. He proclaimed it "Mothers Milk" Kevin was a sweet, lovable great person He meant so much to so many. He was loved by all. I'm honored to have spent so many days of my youth with him. Great memories. Let's all remember him as he was and pray for him and his family. I will pray for him daily and look forward to seeing him again in heaven. God bless his soul and may he rest in peace. Mark Whalen Any family or friends please feel free to contact me at fineart.mark@yahoo.com

November 1 at 9:04 PM



Boyd Family posted:

May the God of all comfort, be with you and your family during this difficult time.

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Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Kevin by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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