



## Scott King

December 15, 1956 - October 25, 2006

Scott Alan King passed away suddenly on Wed., Oct. 25th at Tri-County Hospital in Wadena. Scott was born on Dec. 15, 1956 to his parents Wendell & Ida ((Morris) King in St. Paul. Scott lived in Bemidji, Tracy and Hutchinson before moving to Wadena in 1998. He was self employed doing carpenter work, served as the Wadena Community Center Ice Arena Manager and was the girls hockey coach. Scott loved hockey, hunting, fishing and spending any amount of time outdoors. Scott was preceded in death by his parents. He is survived by his children Shane Morin of Richfield, Melissa Smith & Mike King of Prior Lake, Scott Jr. of Wadena & Sam of Hutchinson; grandchildren Christian, Abigail, Abi, Brody and one expected; sisters Sherri King & Jody King both of Stewart; brothers Brad of North St. Paul and Jeff of Pueblo, CO; nieces, nephews and cousins. A celebration of Scott's life will take place on Monday, Oct. 30th at 3:00 PM on the ice at the Wadena Community Center with Rev. Daryl Jacobson officiating. Honorary pallbearers will be Tommy Galloway, Ted Leigh, Pat Flarity, Tommy Miller, Frank Palmberg & Ray Skrypek. Active pallbearers will be Amanda McManigle, Wayne Plomerbaum, Andrea King, Steve Johnson, Brandon Kvamme & Gary Holweger.

# Tribute Wall

MC

“ Scott where are you when I need you? Brit has been having a terrible time dealing with your loss. Her heart just isn't into hockey anymore like it was when you were around. I tell her though Scott wouldn't want you to quit. So just go and play and keep Scott in your heart and do what Scott would have wanted you to do. I have started a scrapbook of you for Brit to keep, and believe me not a day goes by that she doesn't look at a picture or look at the articles that I have collected for her. She truly misses you and is not the same girl. You were a big part of her life. So please look out for her and be her guardian angel, she really needs to know that you are looking over her. We miss you and think of you always. Sincerely ,  
Missy

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**Melissa Crabb** - October 25, 2006 at 12:00 AM

DH

“ Sam & Jr.

*We Feel Bad to have heard about your Dad. When remember a ton of the funniest times living with you guys and Scott lace'n up my skates for the first time and you all laughing when I hit the ice and Scott came to the ice and picked me up and said it will happen a thousand more times ( and it did ) but you all made us kids love the game and we had a blast with all the road trips, Hockey arena food and movie times and then there was halloween where Jr and Scott set up the sound system outside and scared all the tricker- treaters half out of their costumes. Always having fun and always joking. A great man taught us all the game of hockey and how to have fun it was the funniest two years of our life.  
Would love to send hugs your way !!*

*Dominic Monique & Holden*

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**Dominic, Monique & Holden** - October 25, 2006 at 12:00 AM

PS

“ Scott was a great guy he did some work on my house when I had a fire in 2005 and also did my bathroom in my house earlier this year. He also came into where iworked and always had a smile on his face I dont recall him ever looking mad. We all will miss him coming into Ortons where I work. He was a great guy. My condolences to his family.

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**Patty Sanders** - October 25, 2006 at 12:00 AM

JB

“ To Scott's Family, Sincerest regrets to you all. Scott and I worked closely together over the years, I being the Treasurer of the club for most of the past four years. He also coached my son, Kyle, as a Squirt for two years and daughter, Bailee, last year with the GHS team. Our family had much respect for his hockey knowledge and general concern for the youth and the game of hockey. Even though we didn't always agree on approach and tactics in handling difficult situations in the hockey club, we always managed to maintain our friendship and mutual respect for each other's opinion. His loss will be felt for a long time and he will be missed. God's blessings to you all. Take care.

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**Joel and Kim Beiswenger** - October 25, 2006 at 12:00 AM

VJ

“ I am so sorry for your loss. I wish I could have been there with you. He is now watching over you from heaven. He will always be with you in your heart and in spirit. Love you! Vanessa

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**vanessa Johnson** - October 25, 2006 at 12:00 AM

JB

“ To Scott's family...  
I knew Scott for many years when he lived in the Hutchinson area. I first met him when he worked as a mechanic for Russ Meade. He kept my cars running for many years. Scott and I also worked together off and on for many years playing in bands together. We kind of lost track of each other after he moved away from the Hutchinson area but the memories of our friendship will be with me always. He was a good friend and a good band-mate. My deepest sympathies go to you, his family.  
Sincerely...  
John "A-Frame" Beck

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**John "A-Frame" Beck** - October 25, 2006 at 12:00 AM

TW

“ Scotty was always an icon in our neighborhood. I don't remember a time that he didn't have a smile on his face or a little joke up his sleeve. The neighborhood was never the same when he left. Now there is an empty space on earth, too. Scotty--you will be missed!

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**Tamara Kamrath Wishard** - October 25, 2006 at 12:00 AM

HM

“ To Scott Jr. & Sam  
We are sorry for you loss. If there is anything we can do for you two boys let us know. Your in our thoughts and prayers always.

With Deepest friendship,

Heidi, Dominic, Monique, Holden & MaKayla

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**Heidi, Dominic, Monique, Holden & MaKayla** - October 25, 2006 at 12:00 AM

LE

“ My thoughts and prayers are with you. I am ever so sorry for your loss.

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**Lorina (Yocum Oil Co Employee)** - October 25, 2006 at 12:00 AM

JG

“ To my very good friend Vanessa, and the Family of Scott:  
Our thoughts and prayers are with you in this time of sorrow.  
Scott was a very dear person and will be greatly missed.

*Take Care & God Bless  
Jody & Monte*

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**Jody & Monte Grossinger** - October 25, 2006 at 12:00 AM

MC

“ Scott was a wonderful man, and he will truly be missed a lot. I have just gotten to know Scott a little bit better in the last 2 years when he has been trying to talk me into letting Brit join hockey, well this year it finally worked and he talked me into it. He taught my daughter all that she knows about hockey, and she loves it alot. Scott was a big influence to not only my daughter but to a lot of other kids also. We will never ever forget him and what he has done for our kids, he will be truly missed. Brit and I will never forget Scott and he will forever be in our heart and prayers. I never got to thank Scott for all that he has done for Brit. So thanks Scott We will truly miss you.

*God Bless all of Scotts family and friends, I will keep you all in my thoughts and prayers. No one will ever take the place of Scott, cause they will have some big shoes to fit. He was a very busy, caring man who was always helping some kid, or someone, or doing something to keep himself busy. Take care all and god bless.*

*Sincerely  
Missy, and Brittany Crabb*

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**Melissa Crabb** - October 25, 2006 at 12:00 AM

DJ

“ On behalf of my family. Our thoughts are with you! whether hanging out with Scottie at a gig or at his bar or just jammin on a Sunday with all the guys and gals who would show up to jam at the Hiway Inn, It was always fun.

running into Scott again here in Wadena was a real treat for me, someone from home!!! It was 15 years ago all over again.

*I'm happy we got to hook up again!*

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**Dave "Lee" Jopp** - October 25, 2006 at 12:00 AM

BH

“ I was saddened at the death of Scott at such a relatively young age. The King name and family is a very familiar one in North St Paul, and I was honored to know mom, dad, Jeff, Brad, and Scott. It made me proud to see that he was involved at the ice arena, and especially coaching the girl's hockey team.

The roots for that, certainly began for Scott on the neighborhood rinks of North St Paul, and at Polar Arena.

My deepest sympathy goes to all of the King family members, and especially to Jeff, and to Brad.

Sincerely,

*Bill Halbrehder*

*Former Polar Coach*

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**Bill Halbrehder** - October 25, 2006 at 12:00 AM