



Fred Kendall

October 22, 1955 - October 25, 2011

Fred Kendall died in Estes Park, Colorado on October 25, 2011. He was born on October 22, 1955 to Fred Kendall and Evelyn Ambler Kendall. The family made their home at Fish Lake, South Lyon, Michigan. He loved Fish Lake! Fred was preceded in death by his parents, Fred and Evelyn. Fred is survived by his sons, Tripp Kendall Palm City, Florida, Corey Kendall Palm City, Florida; his sisters, Lynn Kendall of Fort Collins, Colorado, Leslie Kendall, of Ashland, Oregon; his nephews, Scott MacArthur, Ian and Spencer Kendall of Ashland, Oregon. Fred is also survived by dear friends all over the world. He loved us all so much.

He lit a room with his smile and his humor. Fred taught us how to laugh. There is a hole in our hearts that will over time fill with his memory. All of his friends and family are heart-broken by his choice to leave us so soon. Some questions have no easy answers. There will be two services to celebrate his life and his smile. Thursday, November 3, 2011 at 10:00 a.m., Unity of Fort Collins, 1401 West Vine Drive, Fort Collins, CO and November 18, 2011 in Palm City, Florida. When our hearts break it's easier for our love to get in and out. We are out of words to describe our loss. His family and friends will love each other through this because there is just nothing else to do. In Fred's honor, our laughter will return as we remember him and share "Fred's Stories" with great love. Fly free in peace dear heart.

Tribute Wall

CK

“ *I miss you Dad, every day*

Cory Kendall - September 07, 2016 at 10:33 PM

JC

“ *I am sorry that your father was so saddened to end his life. Know that if you ever feel such, Jesus Christ loves you and can give you comfort if you turn to Him. I know.*

Julie Cramer - March 22, 2012 at 12:00 AM

MV

“ *Just now I learned of the death of Fred. I had the privilege to know Fred three years ago. I spent 10 days with him for professional reasons. I want to remind him of the great smile and friendliness. I Fred...*

Marco Volpari - February 10, 2012 at 12:00 AM

MN

“ *I am currently in southern CA and Lee gave me the sad news. I remember Fred from Olney; he was very funny and very cute. This is both tragic and expected from someone so vital. Special condolences to his children.*

Maria Gorecki Nowak - November 11, 2011 at 12:00 AM

SV

“ *My thoughts and prayers to the Kendall family at this terrible loss. When I think of Fred, I remember his smile, his laugh and his boundless energy.*

Sarah Connelly Vaughn - November 04, 2011 at 12:00 AM

BS

“ My heart was broken when the news came this morning. My thoughts and prayers are with you, Lynn and Leslie - and your whole family. Fred was a special friend with a gift for laughing and loving. I will always remember all of those weekend afternoons of endless tennis at boarding school. Be comforted in His arms now, old friend.

Beth Sanders - November 03, 2011 at 12:00 AM

ML

“ Fred, how could you? I love you anyway. Sorry I was not more in touch. Thanks for the memories.

Martin Livezey - November 03, 2011 at 12:00 AM

LH

“ I wish all the love and strength in the world to Fred's family, especially his sons. He was a riot in the classroom, in a soccer or baseball game, and pulling outrageous stunts in the dorm. The coolest FBS fellow Michigan guy, an age ago.

Lee Harris - November 02, 2011 at 12:00 AM

SK

“ Thoughts and prayers to the Kendall family. Fred and I met our Freshman year at FBS and I believe, were intrigued by our differences which made us friends. Enjoyed having Fred as my dance partner at the Jr. Social. His last facebook message sent me hugs and kisses; I'm sending him and family hugs back now. Peace be with you , Fred. Love, Suzanne

Suzanne Krekler-McClelland - November 02, 2011 at 12:00 AM

CH

“ My deepest condolences to the Kendall family. During my years at Friends Boarding School Fred was a constant source of love and laughter. He was always ready with a smile. His presence will be greatly missed. Words fail in describing his energy and generous nature. May you be comforted and supported by our respect and love for him.

Christopher Hallett - November 02, 2011 at 12:00 AM

JP

“ So sad to hear this, much love to family and friends. Many memories from Olney and summer at the lake. Greenills together and I followed to FBS. Summer swimming late at night, bright moonlight.. laughing and laughing. That contagious smile, the wild blue eyes. I will never forget. Much love from here. Jody

Jody Platt - November 02, 2011 at 12:00 AM

LN

“ I knew Fred from Olney Friends School. I remember him as actively fun-loving and outgoing. Such a wonderful smiling guy! I'm so sorry for your loss.

Lisa Nagle - November 02, 2011 at 12:00 AM

DH

“ Oh Fred. What?! So many years ago. Roomates at Olney, second semester along with Eric Davis and Martin Livezy. So much energy. I always thought that you could sell anything to anybody, whether they wanted it or not! The Ford you brought down from Mich. to drive home in. In comparison to my Dodge Dart, it was a Porsche. So sad, the world is a bit emptier now but you will live on in our hearts!

Dave Henderson - November 02, 2011 at 12:00 AM

KS

“ Although I did not know Fred very well, what I did experience was his beautiful aura and smile. Now you will know Absolute Magnificence! My dear friend Lynn, the memories will fill the hole in your heart in time. You will always cherish for the rest of your life all the times that you shared together, all the laughter, the stories and the personal sharing. You filled a spot in his heart and life, like no other. He has been "Embraced by the Light" You are in my thoughts and prayers.

Kathy Scribner - November 02, 2011 at 12:00 AM

BS

“ We are so sorry to hear the news. We will dearly miss the times we spent together at the Imperial Hotel in Italy each year. You always had a smile on your face and we will miss your wonderful laugh. The shows will never be the same without you there. Rest in Peace our friend.

Buddy & Kim Stevens - November 01, 2011 at 12:00 AM

VF

“ It was such fun to watch Fred's face when you, Lynn, told some family lore. It was wonderful knowing you, Fred.

Virginia Febinger - October 31, 2011 at 12:00 AM

LS

“ I will miss Fred's funny exchanges with Lynn, his smiling face, the mischief in his eyes, but most of all his doubled over, knee slapping, hardy laugh. We at Unity will miss that contagious laugh. The world is less brighter without Fred. My love goes out in a huge hug to Lynn and family.

Laura K Stevens - October 31, 2011 at 12:00 AM

PC

“ We will miss you, Fred. You left us way too soon. Thank you for your friendship and your laughs, for cooking all that corn for us multitudes of hungry souls at Unity, for guiding Lynn in sensible unpacking upon her recent move and for the lesson that that was transformed into for the rest of us, and for a thousand other things. Godspeed.

Peter and Cori - October 31, 2011 at 12:00 AM

JL

“ Sending much, much love to family and friends... It was a joy to know Fred, and he will never be forgotten.

Judi & Rudy Lucero - October 31, 2011 at 12:00 AM

TF

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“ Fred One of my fondest memories are with you at the Mish where this picture is taken of you. Waiting and waiting to see the crazy RAMS you have been talking about in Colorado. Well the good Lord brought us those RAMS that day. I hope you are up in heaven having a RAM day! Much love always and forever. Your Special K

Kathryn Spencer - October 31, 2011 at 12:00 AM

CW

“ Fred, thank you for sharing your time with us at Unity. Your laughter was contagious, and you helped make Lynn's stories come alive. There are many of us who loved you here. We will miss you very much.

Cindy Wilson - October 29, 2011 at 12:00 AM