



## Steven Michael Moore

July 3, 1954 - January 29, 2015

Steven Michael Moore, of Fort Collins, passed away Thursday January 29, 2015, after battling brain cancer.

He was born July 3, 1954 in Colorado Springs. Steve graduated from Northglenn High School in 1972 and received a Bachelor's degree from Colorado State in 1976. Steve worked 37 years in the information technology (IT) field. He spent the first two years in Tulsa, Oklahoma with Cities Service Company (Citgo oil). The last 35 years were spent with Larimer County in various IT positions until retiring in July 2013. Since 1996, Steve was the Webmaster, responsible for the initial creation and maintenance of [www.larimer.org](http://www.larimer.org), the 2008 winner of best local government website by the National Association of Government Webmasters. An avid cyclist, he rode 30,000 miles since 1993, including 190 miles in one day in Sweden in 1999.

He was preceded in death by his parents Lloyd and Shirley Moore, also of Fort Collins.

He is survived by sister, Sue Lassiter, her husband Dan of Janesville, Wisconsin and nephew Jarred Lassiter of Burlington, Iowa.

Steve was known to his friends as Stevie Ray, after the late Stevie Ray Vaughan, one of his favorite musicians.

A Celebration of Life will be held on Wednesday, 4:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m. at The Rio, The Agave Room, North Ballroom, 143 W. Mountain Ave.

# Tribute Wall

RS

“ Steve was a friend and coworker for many years. I had many great days on the golf course with Steve. Rest in Peace my very good friend.

*Rollie Stokes*

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**Rollie Stokes** - February 22, 2015 at 04:20 PM

MW

“ I only met Steve in person a couple of times and yet so many times we spoke online that I know that the world is a better place for him stopping here for awhile and I am grateful I was able to know him. So smart, and friendly and just an overall great person. Peace be with you Steve.

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**Michele Woodhouse** - February 03, 2015 at 10:09 AM

DM

“ Truly a great friend . . . you know you've been buddies for a long time when you can't even remember when you started hanging out for coffee together. If you were his friend, you knew he'd do anything in his power for you. Rest peacefully Mr. Moore.

*Dave Mosher*

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**David Mosher** - February 02, 2015 at 09:02 PM

LY

“ Steve was a co-worker for many years. He was talented, kind and sharing. I learned so much with his help. The greatest tribute I can relate is that I wanted to be "Steve Moore" when I grew up. I always knew that when my Graham Crackers ran out he'd have a some to share from his desk drawer. An amazing man to have in your family.

*You have my sincerest sympathies,*

*Lynn*

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**Lynn** - February 02, 2015 at 07:05 PM

VM

“ As Steve's elder cousin, I am one of only a few left who have known and loved Steve all of his life. Notwithstanding the sorrow or losing him, I am pleased to have this opportunity to join with others in what Suzan phrased as "a celebration of his life."

Steve was a man of few words. He described himself as "not much of a talker." Maybe that's why communication with him always seemed more precious.

Steve was a truly good man. He lived a life of integrity. He was strong, honest, loving, smart and fun. Steve was a great source of pride to his family, particularly his parents and grandparents.

Our Aunt Sue loved calling Steve because his unique, upbeat greeting was ALWAYS the same, and it made you happy.

I am so thankful Steve and I were able to spend a couple of weeks together last winter soaking up the warm Florida sun and enjoying the white powder beach. I will really miss my "Cuz," but he will be forever in my heart and memories of him will always make me smile.

With love, Valarie

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**Valarie Mitchell** - February 02, 2015 at 12:45 PM

HB

“ Steve left no song unsung, no wine untasted in his work and in his play. Now he knows the whole story. I enjoyed his being ,I'll miss him, henry baker

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**henry R baker** - February 02, 2015 at 12:07 PM

RR

“ After almost 28 years, I recently learned that Stevie Ray played a big part in my employment at Larimer County. I remember wondering the halls of DP (back in 1987) Looking for someone named Steve that I was suppose to interview with. (Which incidentally was suppose to be Steve Miller not Steve Moore.) So I asked the first man that I saw. "Are you Steve" he responds with a smile.. "Well Yes, I am Steve, who are you". I remember pausing for a minute thinking, if you are Steve then you should know to be looking for some one coming in for an interview. So, then I just figured he was just joking with me and trying throw me off....and he was....but, I asked the question and he answered truthfully. We both had a laugh before my interview which also eased my nerves a bit. Anyway, my interaction with Stevie Ray that day helped in the decision making for my employment.



*I feel blessed to have known Steve all of these years. He was such a great guy. SMART guy...one of the smartest guys I knew. We had some good times together over the years. I will cherish those memories. May you RIP Stevie Ray. I will miss you. Rhonda*

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**Rhonda Ross** - February 02, 2015 at 11:49 AM

KP

“ Steve you will be missed! I enjoyed working with you for many years and we had a special friendship. Rest in peace.



*For family and friends:  
In time, may your memories comfort you. My thoughts, prayers, and heartfelt sympathy are with you.*

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**Karen Paulus** - February 02, 2015 at 11:07 AM

SC

“ So sorry to hear about Steve's passing. Steve gave so much to the Colorado Government Webmasters and National Association of Government Web Professionals and was well known for his "Friday Web Goodies" on the NAGW listserv. He was a class act and he will be missed.

*Susan Christophersen*

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**Susan Christophersen** - February 02, 2015 at 09:47 AM

JS

“ TO FAMILY AND FRIENDS OF STEVE MOORE: FEBRUARY 1, 2015

*When coming to Ft. Collins in 1978 as MIS Director for the county, Steve was my first interview for position of software director. I was totally impressed by Steve, both in his maturity and knowledge of the computer environment. I made one of my best decision at the county when I hired him. He proved to be exactly what we needed to supervise the expansion of the Larimer county computer system. When software problems arose. I never had to concern myself whether Steve could resolve it. Most of the time I did not have the vaguest ideal what the problem was but never worried as i know Steve would solve it. His knowledge and expertise certainly made me look like a good manager. I must have been to some extent as I was smart enough to hire Steve. In my 36 years in the computer industry, Steve was certainly one of my favorite computer people, but more important he was a caring individual that we will all miss. Will MISS YOU STEVE!!*

*Jim Stokes, Director of MIS..Larimer County.. 1978-1996*

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**Jim Stokes** - February 01, 2015 at 06:39 PM

JL

“ *When your heart is empty, filling it with happy memories can help you find a smile. I was so fortunate to work with Steve for twenty-six years. He was a great friend and mentor. I am thankful that we have many happy memories of Steve. I will miss you, rest in peace and love*

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**Josie Linnebur** - February 01, 2015 at 09:11 AM

RS

“ *Sue and Dan;  
I started my professional career working for Steve.  
I can't express the life impact he had on me. He showed me what integrity  
and professionalism looks like. My life is the result of his investment  
on me.  
I will miss him a lot.*

*Roy Schutt*

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**Roy Schutt** - January 31, 2015 at 07:19 PM

SZ

“ *Sue & Dan -- so sorry to hear this. He was a wonderful neighbor and an amazing man! I enjoyed working with him to sell your mother's place...he was so helpful and kind. He will be dearly missed in the community. My thoughts and prayers are with you.  
Susan Zack, 226-1222*

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**Susan Zack** - January 31, 2015 at 12:33 PM

VF

“ Hi Sue and Dan.....We are sorry to read of your brother's death Sue....what a nice looking man! Please come by and see us if you can while you're here in town...we are still in the same place ....we would love to visit with you and see you again. Somehow we have lost touch with each other. And we're sorry for that too.....We know this is a very sad time for you...our heartfelt sympathy comes to you....With love Vicki and Bill Fisbeck

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**Vicki Fisbeck** - January 31, 2015 at 11:19 AM