



Chris William Caperones

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Chris Caperones, age 54, died June 23rd, 2022, at Washington Hospital Center due to cardiac complications. Chris is survived by his life partner Stephanie Boyd, his parents George and Joan, his brother Andy and partner Jackie, and his beloved black Lab Shelby.

Chris was born in Silver Spring, Md. and graduated from Montgomery Blair High School. Soon after, he moved to Orange County, California where he worked in the commercial and residential building industry. He then gained his Contractor License and opened his own company, Caperones Contracting. He was later licensed in Washington State and then in Maryland, where he has operated his business for the past 20 years.

It was in Newport Beach, California where he met Stephanie, and they have been together for the last 30 years.

Chris was a very social and active person who worked and played hard. His passion for fishing and the water made Annapolis a perfect fit. His family will always remember him as a fun loving, adventurous soul who would always make time for a friend or neighbor in need.

A memorial gathering will be held on Saturday, July 16, from 2-4 pm at Lasting Tributes. His Celebration of Life service will begin at 4 pm. For those unable to attend, services will be livestreamed by clicking the link generated on Chris' obituary page on July 16.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the ASPCA.




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Memorial Gathering

 **Saturday**, July 16, 2022

 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM ET

 **Lasting Tributes Cremation & Funeral Care**
814 Bestgate Rd, Annapolis MD 21401



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July 15 at 11:10 AM



Frank Titus lit a candle in honor of Chris.

RIP Chris.

July 17 at 10:47 AM



Nancy Becker posted:

I am so sorry about the passing of Chris. I have many memories of fun I had with he and Stephanie at Les Follies. He will be missed. My Sympathy to Stephanie and the Caperones family. Nancy Becker

July 16 at 5:05 AM



Marie Gavin, Sally Griffin, Norma Courlang sent a Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant to the Caperones family.

July 14 at 11:00 AM



Love, Tom And Melanie sent a Basket Full of Wishes to the Caperones family.

July 14 at 5:02 AM





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George Dunn posted:

I always enjoyed hanging out with 'Steph & Chris' ... mostly because they were inseparable. It didn't matter what we were doing ... watching a movie, throwing the frisbee, cooking up a meal ... they were my "Go To" people to go have fun, and hang out with. That's because life can get a little lonely ... when you decide to live out of a Dolphin Mini-Motorhome ... while you attend CSUF college ... and work weekends as a crazed Yellow Cab driver around Disneyland ... in your late 30's. Steph & Chris lived in Costa Mesa for awhile which is a stone's throw from Newport Beach. Every once in awhile, I'd find time to hang out with Team Fun, and get away from school and work to take time to enjoy a sunset along Newport Beach pier, or have some famous Charlie's Chili, or just watch a movie. When your life gets consumed with school and work ... those random things you do for fun mean everything. Steph & Chris never let any dust settle on them. Later, Steph & Chris moved to Santa Ana, and moved into a historic house that reminded me of 'The Munsters Haunted Mansion'. Huge house with a long backyard on nearly an acre of land. Team Fun became Team Remodel. My random visits of fun became random visits of work ... and I didn't even care. This was when I learned how meticulous Chris was with his work. He realized the value of his historic home, and he set out to remodel every room ... to help his investment grow in value. I didn't even care that my visits to the mansion went from doing Team Fun things to Team Help Chris With House & Yard Work. It didn't even matter to me that I was literally doing labor for Chris ... his zest for life was present no matter what he did ... whether for fun or work ... he enjoyed both! Even though I hadn't seen Chris in over two decades, some of those carefree memories of doing random things for fun with Chris are still memorable. Recently I was looking for a card to send Steph, and the words from one of the cards reminded me of how Chris has impressed so many people. I'm sharing this because like many others, I'm still shocked that I'm even writing this. I mourn for Steph, and will miss Chris, but I will always cherish our times together. "A Journey Remembered" "As some people journey through life, They leave footprints wherever they go, Footprints of kindness and love, Courage and compassion, humor and inspiration, Joy and faith, even when they are gone, We can still look back and clearly see, The trail they left behind, A trail bright with hope that invites us to follow." George Dunn

June 28 at 3:47 PM



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Patrick Kenefick posted:

I'm really at a loss for how to express my condolences and how much I'll miss my friend Chris. I've known Chris since we were in elementary school. He has been a part of my family since we were teenagers. We all truly loved him. My kids called him Uncle Chris. Chris was a kind and generous soul who always had time to help out no matter what the task was. What I'll miss most is being able to just call and talk to him about whatever was going on in our lives, catching up. Our family has a hole in it that nobody will be able to fill the way Chris did, and that hurts my heart. I do love and appreciate that everyone else who is leaving memories here has shared that common thread of laughter and generosity that always accompanied a visit from Chris. He was just such a great friend and I will always appreciate the times he helped me or my family so much. May he rest in peace and I hope his family finds some comfort in how much Chris was loved by his friends.

July 12 at 8:43 AM



Rob & Amanda Propst shared 3 photos to the **Tribute Wall** album.

Words can not explain just how much I miss you buddy. Our times together hunting, fishing and just hanging out at Dobbins will be times I will never forget. I will never be the same without you . We all will miss your catch phrases but will never forget them. You truly were like a brother to me. Rest In Peace you "Dirty Pirate Hooker" (yes one of yours) love ya bud. P.S. Shelby misses you as well.



June 28 at 3:47 PM



Love, Roberta And Gerry Bilderback sent a Strength & Solace Spray to the Caperones family.



July 6 at 5:01 AM



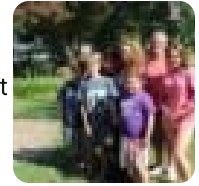
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Ok I can finally look at this site without crying. Such a total unbelievable loss. My heart breaks for my sister Stephanie and Joan, George and Andy. I remember my first encounter with Chris. After moving to Colfax in northern CA I when back to Orange County to see Stephanie and there was a person sleeping on the couch. That was over thirty years ago and that person was Chris. What a ride the last thirty years has been with Chris being a part of our crazy Boyd world. So much joy and laughter he brought with him. My three daughters always loved their Stephy mommy and they couldn't help but love and adore Chris. Chris's nickname for the twins was BOGOS they were to young to know what it meant. They just started calling Chris BOGO too as did other Boyd kids, a trend to this day. When Chris and Steph spend time with our Mom and Dad up in Colfax there was so much fun. Jet skiing on Rawlings Lake and Clementine. Trips to Reno and Tahoe. Chris would get so mad playing Blackjack he started acting like a madman. I had to tell him he couldn't play at my table any more. Of course when more relatives came to visit Mom and Dad the fun just got crazy. Lots of good times and great food was had by all. I was so sad when Chris and Steph moved to Maryland. But it was a great move for them and they were so happy. I was able to take Mom and Megan back to visit a few times and I really liked their house and Maryland had a lot to see and do and as Steph says it is so green. The last time I was there I had taken Megan and my four oldest grandkids back for a visit that was four years ago to the day. Of course the kids had a blast with Chris. Taking the boat out on the bay for fishing, going swimming and watching fireworks on the 4th out in the bay. I hope they remember what a great time they had and how lucky they were to know and spend time with Chris. I wish family and friends had another 30 years to spend with Chris gone way too soon at 54. He worked HARD He played HARD and HE LOVED EVERY MINUTE OF IT and we LOVED every minute we spent with you. We will think of you and miss you forever Chis so blessed that you found Stephanie and became part of our family THANK YOU Dianne and Megan Chaloux

June 28 at 3:47 PM



Sherry Dunn shared a photo to the **Boyd/Capriones** album.



July 3 at 8:52 AM



Diane And Matt Chasse posted:

It's hard to find the workds to express how much my husband and I will miss Chris. So many conversations over the years as neighbors. He always made us laugh and smile. He was a bright star...

July 2 at 8:32 AM



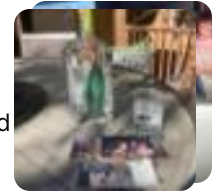
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I felt somehow, I had to wait my turn here to comment, I haven't seen Chris in I don't know how many years. I looked for pictures and realized I had hardly any. So, I pulled out the few I had for posterity's sake, but they aren't even close to the memory of him that still lives in my head. Funny thing is every memory I have with him is crystal clear. More vivid than any photo could ever offer. Tubing down bear river, Catalina, Krispy Kremes, drinking in Newport, mowing his lawn using the ride on mower, that hilarious chicken sound he used to make. If we were ever bored, we'd look to Chris. Didn't matter if we did anything or nothing, it was fun, it was memorable, a memory that could be made without a photo. If I'm this upset, sad, and disappointed, I can't fathom how Stephy Mama feels. Stephy and Chris are like a word phrase that I can't undue in my head. I can't seem to say one without the other. I had plans to come visit with plenty of time in my own head. That time is passed though. So now we raise our glasses and give cheers to Stephy and Chris from here on out! Chris lived more in his short years than most live in a 100. We will all be left with an empty hole in our hearts forever. BUT...so we don't BORE Chris too much...lets fill that hole with Tequila for now. Cheers Bogo!

June 28 at 3:47 PM



Melissa Hillis shared a photo to the **Tribute Wall** album.



I love you Uncle Chris. I love the way you were silly and sassy but somehow still respectful. You taught all the cousins how to have fun and laugh. I love that you had a language all your own BOGO and I love how much you loved our Stephy Mama.

July 1 at 4:48 PM



Diane Pennington & Jean Caperones sent a Your Heart Water Globe to the Caperones family.



July 1 at 12:30 PM



Anonymous sent a Beautiful in Blue to the Caperones family.



June 30 at 10:05 AM



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SB

Shari Bowen shared 2 photos to the **Tribute Wall** album.

Words can't even explain the loss for my girlfriend of 40 years, Steph, and the pain she is going through right now. Chris will be forever in our hearts, as we move on in this world, creating new memories and remembering the old, he will be with us forever...



June 30 at 6:07 AM

TW

Tammy Williams June 30 at 10:14 AM

He was the light that walked into a room. Kind, funny, caring always helpful. My heart will always go out to Steph his life partner who was his perfect match. Will be forever missed!!

DD

Doug Delost posted:

I will always remember Chris as a wonderful neighbor and friend, who was always willing to help everyone! My sincere sympathy and prayers for Stephanie and the Caperones family. Chris will truly be missed by all that knew him.

June 29 at 1:18 PM

TM

Tom Morgan shared a photo to the **Tribute Wall** album.

I am grateful that I had the opportunity to spend some time with Chris in 2021 after my father passed. Chris took me fishing and we had a great dinner. He knew how to have fun. I will miss him. Sincere condolences to the Caperones family and Steph.



June 29 at 7:07 AM

AL

Andrew Lapp posted:

Out of a sense of duty, love, or loyalty the trait I admire most of Chris was his streak of altruism. He likely would drop a few choice colorful words at the prospect of rearranging his always busy schedule to help a loved one in need but he would always always do so without fail. This is one among numerous reasons I, among countless others, regarded Chris as a good close friend for 35 or more years. In fact, I loved him like a brother and my life is demonstrably better for knowing him. He held a respect for people that worked hard and damn if he wasn't the hardest working man i will ever have the honor of knowing. My deepest heartfelt condolences to Steph, his family, and friends that I know feel the same. CAP!!!

June 29 at 3:37 AM



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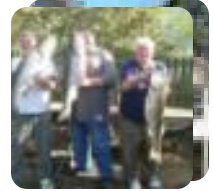
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The fishing captain!

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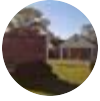




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having fun with Chris & Steph in 2004 at a party at greenriver clubhouse with Sue & Twig & A.J Dunn



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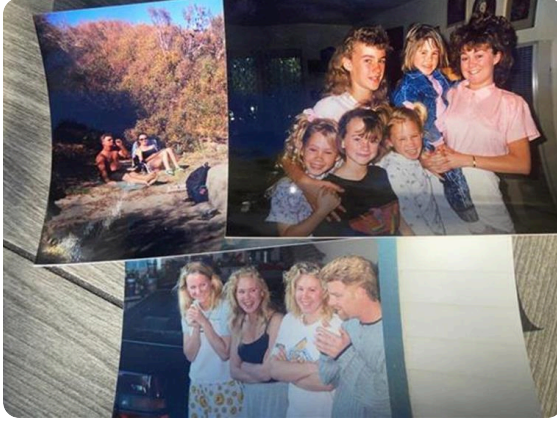
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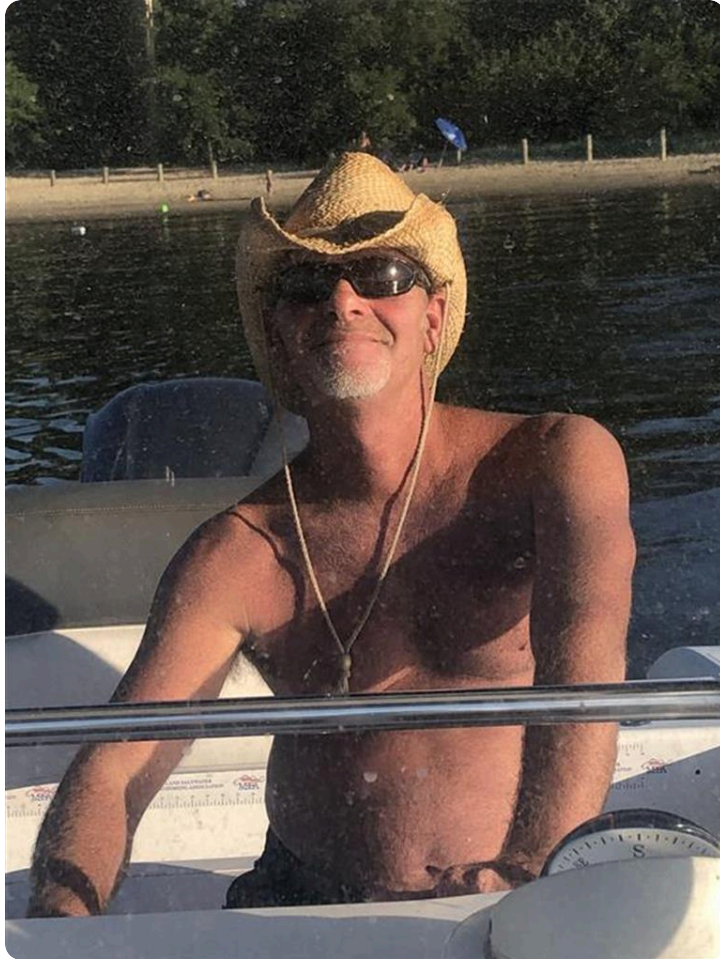
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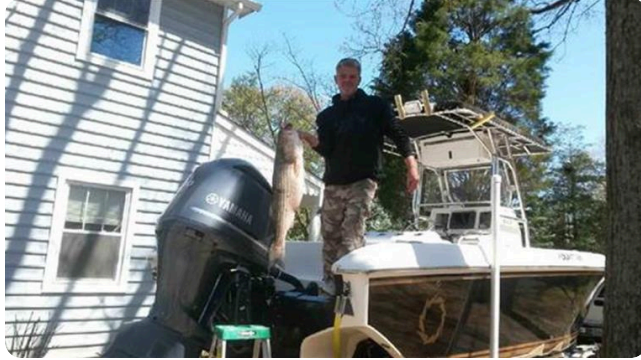
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Memories only last if you share them

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