



Nathan Verland Wright- Waterman

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Nathan Verland Wright-Waterman, 43, longtime Annapolis resident has died after a long illness.

Born December 28, 1980 at Johns Hopkins Hospital in Baltimore, he spent much of his life in Maryland. He traveled up and down the Atlantic coast and waterways over the years. Nathan spent time living in Augusta, Maine and aboard the 41 foot sailboat Susquehanna, living in the Bahamas Islands as a child. Nathan's scientific mind and extensive research made him the "go to" for identifying sea life. He came to Annapolis in 1988 and attended area schools including Annapolis Elementary, Middle, and High school and AACC where he studied guitar. He volunteered caring for children and animals; with the PACT and SPCA organizations respectively.

Nathan had an amazing ear and could play almost anything he heard enough on his custom guitar. He lived his life immersed in music, whether on his ever present headphones, or listening to live music bartending around town. After all of his animal friends, Nathan, most loved being outside – at the pool, on the water, playing, tennis, baseball, skateboarding, snowboarding, or walking any dog. He honed his skills on a survival trip snowboarding in the Rocky Mountains of Colorado. He loved flora and fauna, literature, science, comedy, and a great conversation – especially if he cared passionately about the topic. He had particular ways, a kind heart, a generous spirit, and a wide smile for anyone who needed it.

Nathan is survived by his mother Laura, his sisters, Rachel, Amy, Candace, Sue, his brothers Christopher, Tod, Eric, his grandmother Emogene, his Aunt Jo, his Uncle Ken, many in-laws, cousins, nieces, and nephews. Nathan was preceded in death by his father Dr. Roger Waterman, paternal grandparents and maternal grandfather, and beloved dog Misha.

A memorial gathering will be held Sunday, August 11 at 2 p.m. Red Maple Pavilion in Quiet Waters Park. Memorial donations can be made to: Anne Arundel County animal care and control- faacac.org Friends of Quiet Waters Park-fqwp.org



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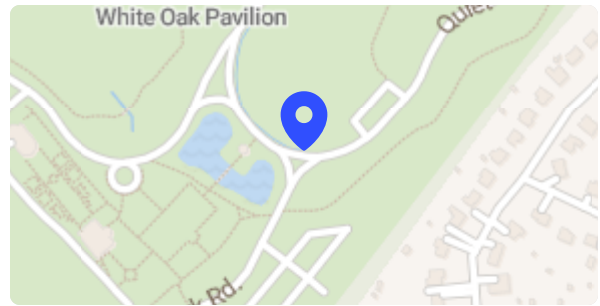
Memorial Gathering

 **Sunday**, August 11, 2024

 2:00 PM ET

 **Quiet Waters Park**
600 Quiet Waters Park, Annapolis MD 21403

 The Red Maple Pavilion is where family and friends will gather.





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Alikat Erickson posted:

Nathan was not just a close friend to me; he literally saved my life, in more ways than one. His unconditional love and support for those he held close is unmatched, and will never be forgotten by anyone that had the honor of calling him a member of their family; whether by blood, or by choice. He will always be my chosen family, and a part of him will always be with me... Every time I hear Rataat, WuTang, or see someone on their skateboard... Even though we had disagreements, we never stopped caring for one another. I always knew I could count on him to be there. I'm blessed to have known him as well as I did for the time I was given. Rest easy sweetheart.

October 16 at 7:39 PM



Emily Mccoy posted:

I am so very sorry to hear this. Nathan was one of my closest friends in high school when I moved to Annapolis. He was truly gifted musically and always kind. I am truly sorry for the loss of this wonderful person.

September 4 at 5:47 AM



Aunt Jo posted:

P.S. To Aunt Jo's Poem:Nathan, I'm so, so sorry for yourLong struggles and pain,Now you are free,And your sweet love remains.

August 15 at 12:54 PM



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AJ

Aunt Jo posted:

Ode To Nathan Written by Aunt Jo with endless LOVE* I wrote this in the present tense because I believe Nathan's love and energy live on. You're the youngest of 8, And a truly, "Nate The Great"! A darling, gentle, curious toddler, With Laura your Mom, and Roger your Father. So much to discover, So much to explore, You learned quite a lot from your Sister Rachel, Whom you clearly adore. Christopher, Amy, Candace Todd, Eric, and Sure, Are your siblings too, Whose births came before you. A year on the sailboat, To call your home. The inland waterways, and Bahamas, Your family did roam. Family vacations, celebrations, Kites to fly, To Outward Bound Adventures You did apply, and went. A gentle, kind soul To all that you meet, Kindness to animals in your heart beat. Dog walks, movies, books, music, skateboards, Puns, talents galore, You are all of those, And so much more. Your ocean blue eyes, Your sometimes, "I know something You don't know" smile, Your warm hugging arms and loving smile, You can carry gif miles. The unique gifts that you choose Are always a treasure, Their value to me, Is way beyond measure. (You will honor Nathan's life when you are kind to an animal or give someone your smile or show some love to someone.) Nathan, I started loving you on the day I learned you were on the way. As Andy Gibbs sang, it's an "Everlasting Love". You really are a rocket scientist. I watched you assemble and fly a rocket twice as a young child. It flew so high. And now you live among the stars in heaven. Soar with the love we send you today, and in the care of God. My heart is an aching to see you, talk with you, hug you. I'll have to close my eyes and hear your distinctive, distinguished voice and see you and sense you in music and through the movies of the memories of my mind. Soar happy, my most beloved nephew. XO...&PTL

August 15 at 12:34 PM

KM

Kathy J. Mcfadden posted:

Laura, I am so sorry to hear about the loss of your son Nathan. It is so hard to lose a loved one and so young. The pain is unbearable. May he rest in peace. Kathy McFadden

August 13 at 7:14 PM

EH

Evalyn Hartline posted:

We were so sorry to learn of Nathan's passing. He will always be in our memories as a sweet and caring neighbor. We send our love at this sad time. Evie and Joe Hartline

August 12 at 4:58 PM



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Ben Krasnoff posted:

As my thoughtful and caring cousin-in-law, Nathan always treated me with genuine kindness when I saw him at family gatherings. I remember him working to do his part to help make any occasion run smoothly, whether it was mashing the potatoes at Thanksgiving or cleaning up at a family get together. When we spoke, I knew he genuinely listened and showed interest, which is a notable characteristic in a person. Our most recent conversation touched on many topics, and I have reflected back to it often during the past several days. I wish we could have talked for longer, especially about music, but I shall always remember Nathan as both a family member and as someone with whom I felt a genuine connection. I will miss him greatly.

August 10 at 11:05 PM



Juli posted:

Nathan always had such a kind heart. He also had a brilliant mind and a great sense of humor. I always enjoyed our time spent together and have many fond memories of growing up together. Love you cousin ❤️

August 10 at 7:49 PM



Maryjane Krasnoff lit a candle in honor of Nathan.

Rest in peace Nathan. You were deeply loved and memories of you will be forever cherished.

August 9 at 1:56 PM



Rachel Brown August 10 at 4:31 PM

Thank you for your kind words Maryjane ❤️



Laura Wright-Waterman posted:

Now cracks a noble heart. Good night sweet prince, and flights of angels sing thee to thy rest

August 9 at 8:21 AM



Laura Wright-Waterman lit a candle in honor of Nathan.

August 9 at 8:15 AM





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Josh Brown lit a candle in honor of Nathan.



August 9 at 6:51 AM



Josh Brown posted:

Uncle Nathan was a caring soul for animals in need. I remember when he had even gone out of his way to house and care for a lost dog simply because the dog needed his help. I always knew him as someone with enough love for all lost creatures.

August 9 at 6:50 AM



Laura Wright-Waterman August 9 at 8:46 AM

Thank you, Josh. Really good description of his caring nature



Rachel Brown August 9 at 7:30 AM

Oh yeah Sweet Pea ❤️ What a cute dog she was!



Rebecca Brown posted:

I will always remember my Uncle Nathan for his love of animals and skateboarding. I know he and Misha are glad to be reunited for endless dog walks now. You will be missed and treasured always Uncle Nathan.

August 9 at 6:38 AM



Laura Wright-Waterman August 9 at 8:47 AM

Thank you, Rebecca. He and Misha are soulmates for sure



Rachel Brown August 9 at 7:31 AM

He had endless patience for Misha's endless pee stops ❤️



Steve lit a candle in honor of Nathan.

My deepest condolences to the family, and all who see this. Rest well, Nate.



August 9 at 6:35 AM



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Mary Newman lit a candle in honor of Nathan.



August 9 at 4:40 AM



Mary Newman posted:

Nathan was a kind and sweet soul who always showed compassion and playfulness towards my daughter Maggie, a good friend of his niece. He had a smile that would light up a room. He will be missed by all that knew him.

August 9 at 4:40 AM



Rachel Brown August 9 at 6:26 AM

Thank you for your sweet memories and kind words Mary ❤️



Rachel Brown lit a candle in honor of Nathan.



August 9 at 3:41 AM



Rachel Brown shared a photo to the **Tribute Wall** album.

Sweet dreams baby brother ❤️



August 9 at 3:40 AM



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Memories only last if you share them

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



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