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Quentin Lee Van Gelderen, age 35, of Spring Lake, MI passed away suddenly at 4:15 am on May 27, 2023, at Henry Ford Hospital in Detroit. He is survived by his daughter, Jazmyn Nevaeh Van Gelderen; parents, Kevin (Penny) Van Gelderen of Spring Lake; sisters, Rebecca Van Gelderen-Cruz and April Van Gelderen of Holland, MI.; uncles, Chet (Ruth) Toth of Ionia, Jim Wilson of White Cloud, Keith Wilson of Crystal, Tim (Barb) Wilson of Belding, Norm (Phyllis) Garvelink, and Duane (Sonija) Garvelink of Holland; aunts, Jean (Jerry) Jones of Ionia, Rose (Jim) Klingenberg and Loraina (John) Saunders-Taylor; nephews, Daniel and David Cruz; cousins, Julie (Jeff) Starkweather of Tennessee, Teresa Toth of Ionia, James "Jay" Wilson, Clela (Carol) Frantz of White Cloud, Angie (Chris) Wilson of Belding, Kathy (Ed) Greenhoe of Crystal MI, John (Jordan) Wilson, Tim Wilson & Alona Reeves, Jessica (Carl) Masell, Rick (Anna) Jones, Jamie (Earl) Schmidt, Brian (Jodi) Jones, Jerry (Rebekah) Jones, Melissa (Dan) Marsh of Ionia, Jason (Erika) Garvelink, Daron (Becky) Garvelink, Amber (Brad) Pugh, Laura (Rick) Taylor, Katie Homkes, Kristen (Jeff) Geerlings, Matt (Amanda) Garvelink, Sara Garvelink, Angie (Chris) Willis of Zeeland, Lisa Johnson, Brian (Stephanie) Klingenberg; and good friends John and Linda of Grand Haven

He loved his family and cared for them deeply and would help in any way he could. He enjoyed listening to music and loved his jewelry. He also loved watching the Detroit Lions play and getting mad when they lost. Playing poker at times with his dad and on the Xbox. He always said, "If you do not swear a little when you talk, I cannot trust you". He has a tattoo of Jazmyn on the calf of his left leg along with the heart pulse symbol which we later found out why; because at birth her heart had stopped beating, but she was revived. He also was a really good dad that would try to give his daughter what she needed. He was preceded in death by grandmothers, Clela Wilson and Judy Jones; uncles, Chuck Wilson, Larry Toth and Charles Garvelink; cousins, Chet Toth Jr, Candy Toth, and Jerry Toth, Rose Wilson, Harold "Paul" Wilson; aunt, Betty Wilson, and a close friend, Josh Reed of Mississippi.



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A memorial service for Quentin will be held at 11:00 a.m. Saturday, June 3, 2023, at The Spring Lake Chapel of Sytsema Funeral & Cremation Services, 213 E. Savidge St., Spring Lake, MI 49456. Visitation will be held from 5 - 8 p.m. on Friday, June 2, 2023, at The Spring Lake Chapel. You are encouraged to come wearing your Detroit Lions "swag" (apparel) in honor of Quentin's love of the Detroit Lions. Participation appreciated but is not required. Memorial contributions to the family are appreciated. Share memories with the family at their online guest book at www.sytsemaf.com.



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Visitation

 **Friday**, June 2, 2023

 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM ET


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213 East Savidge, Spring Lake MI 49456



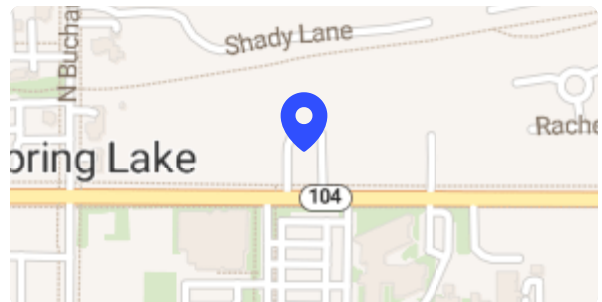
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Anonymous sent an Emerald Garden Basket to the Van Gelderen family.



June 1 at 5:24 PM



Anonymous sent a Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum to the Van Gelderen family.



May 30 at 3:00 PM



Sonya G. sent a Medium Dish Garden to the Van Gelderen family.



May 30 at 11:55 AM



Lisa Johnson posted:

Very first little baby I ever got to babysit!! He was and always will be my Detroit Lions buddy. Even when they were horrible!! You will be at every game in heart and spirit 4 ever!! I'll miss you "Cuzzo" Rest Peacefully. I'll see ya when I get there. 🏈❤️💙👍💙👍

May 29 at 2:48 PM



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RR

Rene Belin (Reed) lit a candle in honor of Quentin.

I remember when my brother Josh Reed and Quentin would walk up and down the street to each others houses all times of the day and night. These too together were the true meaning of ride or die BFF. It brings me a little comfort to know that Josh was there in heaven to meet him at the gates. The BFF are together again. Just hope they behave up there. I am do sorry for your family's loss. Prayers to you all.



May 28 at 5:47 PM

RR

Rene Belin (Reed) May 29 at 7:01 AM

Everyone close with Josh has a hard time on May 1st. They both left this earth to early but God has a plan for them and needed them both. I pray that your family finds comfort that he is not alone

PG

Penny Van Gelderen May 29 at 6:34 AM

Thank you Rene he always had a problem on the date that Josh passed and thought of him always



Memories only last if you share them

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



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