



Tyler Lee Spink

September 5, 1995 - September 5, 2016

Tyler Lee Spink Tyler, age 21 of Rapid City, passed away tragically on September 5, 2016. He was born on Oct. 1, 1994 in Traverse City, Mi. He is survived by his mother, Kelly step father, Dave Dalton, father, Tony Spink of Georgia; siblings, Nickole Jimenez, Kirsten Spink; grandparents, Sam and Bernadette Jimenez, Fred Spink of Kalkaska, Sharon Spink of Florida; aunt Kim Laginess, Melissa Dickey of Texas; uncles Dale Spink of Florida, Kelly Spink of Kalkaska, Sam Jimenez of Texas; cousin Chelsea Coy and his pride and joy, Kole Miller (nephew). Tyler found his true love when Jordan Thompson and their dog Rockko completed his life. Together they enjoyed camping, kayaking and spending cherished moments with family and friends. Arrangements are being held at Church of Christ in Kalkaska, Mi on what would have been Tyler's 23rd birthday Oct. 1, 2017. Visitation will be held from 2:00-3:00 with ceremony starting at 3:00 pm. From the heart; Words simply do not give justice to how much we deeply appreciate the continued outpouring of prayers, support and love that has been given to our family throughout these trying times. Please know that each and every single person, business and organization from near and far that reached out to us, made a profound impact. We are sincerely grateful! We still have plans and hope that one day soon Tyler will be brought home.

Tribute Wall



“ *Tyler Lee Spink*

January 30, 2023 at 04:02 AM



“ *Tyler Lee Spink*

January 30, 2023 at 01:03 AM



“ *While I've never met Tyler, I've often thought of him since the day of his capsiz. He was a handsome young man and as a member of the paddling community, I mourn his loss.*

I am grateful that he has been found and hope that those who love him will find some solace in finally being able to put him to rest.

My deepest respect and admiration to Tyler's mother who, in spite of her anguish, became proactive about the importance of wearing a life jacket. There can be little doubt that her efforts have made a difference.

*Peace and healing....
Linda Darnton*

Linda Darnton - July 26, 2018 at 01:27 PM



“ *I'm prays are with you Kelly,tony and family*

Jill - October 01, 2017 at 12:00 AM



“ *So very sorry for your loss. Please know you are in our thoughts and prayers as you have been this past year...*

Connie - September 25, 2017 at 12:00 AM