



William Jordan Gollhofer

August 27, 1990 - September 16, 2017

Wm. Jordan Gollhofer, age 27 of Grand Tower, passed away Saturday, September 16, 2017 due to complications from a motorcycle accident.

He was born August 27, 1990 in Carbondale to William Smith and Gloria Gollhofer.

He loved riding his Harley! He was an avid Atlanta Braves and Chicago Blackhawks fan. He enjoyed fishing and hunting.

William's greatest joy was spending time with his son, Avery Gollhofer and little sister, Peyton Danler.

He is survived by his son, Avery of Dongola; his mother, Gloria Gollhofer of Kenosha, WI; his father, William Smith of Sioux City, IA; siblings, Peyton Danler of Kenosha, WI; Anthony Smith of Sioux City, IA and Kristina Axley of Birmingham, AL; maternal grandfather, William Gollhofer, Sr., of Grand Tower; paternal grandmother, Susan Smith of Summit, IL; paternal grandfather, Ricky Smith of Grand Tower; uncles, Rickey Smith of Summit, IL; William Gollhofer, Jr. and Nick Smith, both of Grand Tower; aunts, Victoria Loden, Michelle Derossett and Nicole Downey, all of Grand Tower; his girlfriend, Sara Brotherton of Milwaukee, WI; cousins, Derek, Alexia, Evan, and Lauren of Grand Tower; other relatives and many friends.

He is preceded in death by maternal grandmothers, Roberta Gollither and Irene Robertson; maternal grandfather, Loren Robertson and paternal grandparents, Gilbert and Mabel Smith.

Visitation will be Friday, September 22, 2017 from 5:00 pm to 8:00 pm at Crain Pleasant Grove-Murdale Funeral Home.

Funeral Services for William Jordan Gollither will be Saturday, September 23, 2017 at 11:00 am in Lighthouse Assembly of God Church at Grand Tower with Rev. Peggy Camp officiating. Visitation will be from 10:00 am until the hour of service.

Interment will follow at Walker Hill Cemetery in Grand Tower.

Memorials can be made to Crain Pleasant Grove-Murdale Funeral Home to assist the family with funeral expenses and will be accepted at the funeral home and at the church.

Cemetery Details

Walker Hill Cemetery

Grand Tower, IL

Tribute Wall



“ *William Jordan Gollither*

October 23, 2023 at 06:26 AM



“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



zach Greene - May 20, 2018 at 04:53 PM



“ *Gloria, this is Nancy Combs. I am truly sorry for your lost, my hope for you is that the special memories you keep of your son will help to comfort you! Take care of yourself. ❤️*

Nancy Combs - September 23, 2017 at 10:56 PM



“ *Jordan,
It broke our hearts to lose you, but you did not go alone. A part of us went with you, the day God took you home. If tears could build a stairway and heart aches make a lane, we'd walk our way to heaven, and bring you back again. In life we loved you dearly, in death we love you still in our hearts you hold a place no one could ever fill.
Grandma and Grandpa Danler*

Wayne Danler - September 22, 2017 at 10:12 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of William Jordan Golliher.*



September 21, 2017 at 09:47 AM



“ *Terrie Schaefer sent a virtual gift in memory of William Jordan Golliher*



Terrie Schaefer - September 20, 2017 at 10:24 PM



Love to that family he is with sweet Jesus now

Terrie Schaefer - September 20, 2017 at 10:25 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of William Jordan Golliher.*



September 20, 2017 at 10:04 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of William Jordan Golliher.



September 20, 2017 at 10:06 AM



“ To the family of Jordan, I am so very sorry. I know nothing can take away the pain you must be feeling. As a mother, my heart breaks for such a tragic loss that everyone who loved him must be feeling. When someone touches so many lives as he has, you know his purpose on this earth was for something great.



Jordan, one of those purposes was to create something "beautiful", and you both did, and those memories will live on forever... Ride with the Angels

Michele - September 19, 2017 at 09:11 PM



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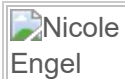


September 19, 2017 at 05:46 PM



“ Jordan you were amazing friend and a brother to Zach you have even brought a couple sweet awesome people into my life who has helped me Cheryl and Lisa thank you I don't know how the world can be the without you but we will do the best we can and because of you we are better people god bless you

Kevin Vanbuskirk - September 19, 2017 at 01:07 PM



“ Jordan,

It's still so hard to believe this is real. I will always be grateful that I was able to meet you during this lifetime. When I first met you it was like we all just picked up right where you left off, as if you had been there forever. You got along with everyone so well. We were just so happy for Sara to have finally met such a wonderful person for her. It breaks our hearts to have to let you go so soon when it feels like we only just put you in a special place in our hearts. Every memory I have with you is the best. I wouldn't have changed a thing. Only god picks the best flowers. For reasons we will never understand. But I know we will meet again someday. Say hello to my big brother for me.

Until we meet again <3

Nicole



Nicole Engel - September 19, 2017 at 12:47 PM

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“ Jordan you were always my FAVORITE rent a kid 😊😊. All the times you slept over, needed a ride to school or work. I tried to always be there for you. You made me laugh until it hurt then you would make laugh more. I remember your concerns with mom and Payton and wanting to make sure they were safe and always knew you loved them both. I remember you calling me from your "mini vaca" as you called it, I am sorry I never made it to visit. I am bummed that we didn't get the chance to go have a few drinks and catch up and for me to meet Sara. I am so sad that you are gone but you will NEVER be forgotten. I will see you again and you bet your butt so will hug you ever so tight. I love you Jordan and I hope you are just living the BEST life in heaven. Ride Free Jordan!!

Jeni Heyden - September 18, 2017 at 04:12 PM

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“ Jordan I miss you so much, you have taught me so much! I'll never ever forget every smile, tear, anger, and hours on the phone talking about our hectic life.. we always talked about life being so short, but lord I didn't know you would go this soon!! :(I know you'll be by our side daily with your smile and joy!!! I miss you bro until we see again!

Ioni Eisenhauer - September 18, 2017 at 12:45 PM

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“ Jordan you where a good friend and just like another little brother to me. We all love you and I'll be missing you buddy. I can't wait to see that big beautiful smile again. Love ,Ashley and Family .

Ashley Childers - September 18, 2017 at 08:51 AM



“ *Jordy, I hold very fond memories of you since you were just a little boy. You always had a big smile on your face and were a joy to be around. You touched so many peoples lives. I am honored that I was able to know you and watch you grown into a fine young man. You are now flying with the angels and watching from above. Just know you will forever be loved and missed. R. I. P. Sweetie, love you!*

Missy Schaefer - September 18, 2017 at 12:03 AM



I awsys thought you were the most charming young man I ever met. Fly high.

Billie Sue - September 19, 2017 at 02:45 AM



“ *Jordan was a good kid good man and a good friend. He was and is loved by many. I pray you find Peace knowing Jordan is in a better place. We love you Zach and Sheila . We are truly sorry .*

Sheila Waltz - September 17, 2017 at 05:26 PM



Wow how awful he was such a good little boy growing up what a shame may his soul rest in heaven

Shon Roberson - September 18, 2017 at 07:22 AM