



## Christopher John Allen

February 19, 1970 - July 25, 2018

Dateline Jasper, Indiana

Christopher John Allen, age 48 of Jasper, Indiana, passed away at 10:25 a.m. on Wednesday, July 25, 2018 at home.

Chris was born in Eureka, Kansas on February 19, 1970 to J.L. and Sadie M. (Howard) Allen. He married Melissa Bass on May 24, 1997 at the First Christian Church in Pittsburg, Kansas.

He received a B.S. Degree in Wood Technology from Pittsburg State University in Kansas.

He was the owner and operator of Creative Storage in Ireland, Indiana.

Chris was an active member of Redemption Christian Church in Jasper, where he served on their security team. He previously served as a Cub Scout Leader for Pack 130 and a Boy Scout Leader for Troop 185 in Jasper, and also served as a facilitator for Financial Peace University.

He enjoyed scuba diving, flying Ultralight planes, was an accomplished woodworker, a car fanatic, and Halloween was his favorite holiday. He was a stay at home Dad for 12 years and was devoted to his family.

Surviving are his wife, Melissa Allen of Jasper, one daughter, Chloe Allen, and one son Kyle Allen, both at home, his father and step-mother, J.L. and Shirley Allen, Pleasanton, KS, two sisters, Nichole Murphy (Steven), Lee's Summit, KS, Megan Brixey (Chris), Lee's Summit, KS, and one brother, Jay Allen (Tana), Ft. Scott, KS.

Preceding him in death was his mother, Sadie Allen.

A Celebration of Life Memorial Service will be held at 4:00 p.m. on Sunday, July 29, 2018 at Redemption Christian Church in Jasper, IN.

A visitation will be held from 1:00 p.m. until the 4:00 p.m. service time on Sunday, July 29, 2018 at Redemption Christian Church in Jasper.

Memorial contributions may be made to Redemption Christian Church, the Dubois County Leukemia Association, or a favorite charity.

Online condolences may be made at [www.becherkluesner.com](http://www.becherkluesner.com)

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL 29. 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Redemption Christian Church of Jasper  
1450 Energy Drive  
Jasper, IN 47546

## Celebration of Life Service

JUL 29. 4:00 PM (ET)

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Jasper, IN 47546

# Tribute Wall



“ *Christopher John Allen*

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January 01, 2023 at 10:54 AM



“ *Thoughts and prayers are with you all.*

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**Robin Hughes** - July 31, 2018 at 06:20 PM



“ *Our hearts go out to the Allen family. We witnessed and know Chris had a personal relationship with Jesus Christ and is off to better things. Jesus specializes in taking our sadness and grief and turning all of it into blessings. Our specific prayers continue for Melissa, Chloe and Kyle. Such a sweet family!*  
*The Cullison Family*

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**Rc** - July 31, 2018 at 07:36 AM



“ *Celebrating the life of a good man and mourning his passing with you.*

*Chuck and Deb Chamberlain*

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**Chuck and Deb Chamberlain** - July 30, 2018 at 01:08 PM

VA

“ Our deepest and sincere sympathy goes out to your family at the passing of your dear husband, father, son and brother. May your memories and the love you shared give you peace and comfort in the days ahead.

Your friends at the Vincennes University Alumni and Foundation Office

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**VU Alumni** - July 30, 2018 at 11:55 AM

AE

“ Chris was one of the first people group of people I got to know when our family moved to Jasper in 06. Not being from here, it was difficult to adjust, and the small group was very important to us. Your whole family was very important to us in those difficult early days. I will miss Chris, and look forward to seeing him again in heaven. May you lean into the peace and comfort from God, as he has his arms out there for you to fall into.

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**Adrian Engelberth** - July 27, 2018 at 06:29 PM

PW

“ Praying for your family. God bless you during this difficult time.

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**Phil and Stacy Weisman** - July 27, 2018 at 06:24 PM



“ Melissa and Family,  
Keep the memories of Chris close for comfort, lean on your friends & co-workers for strength, and know that you are in our prayers. I am so sorry for your loss.

Sue Habig & family

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**Sue Habig** - July 27, 2018 at 06:08 PM

BE

“ *Melissa, Chloe and Kyle, so sorry to hear of the passing of Chris. The way you spoke of him conveyed the love you had. Prayers for Chris and your family.*

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**Brenda Erny** - July 27, 2018 at 02:23 PM

JS

“ *Melissa, I am so sorry for your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.*

*Jacob Shor*

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**Jacob Shor** - July 27, 2018 at 12:42 PM

JD

“ *As backyard neighbors we learned to know Chris as an energetic father with Chloe and Kyle. And a caring man with their dog, Lance. He and Melissa were always making improvements together in their yard. We will miss his big wide grin and positive attitude toward life. Blessings to the family,  
Julie and Bob Dutchess*

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**Julie and Bob Dutchess** - July 27, 2018 at 11:13 AM

BR

“ *Barbara Rasche lit a candle in memory of Christopher John Allen*



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**Barbara Rasche** - July 27, 2018 at 09:29 AM

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*To the Family , What a great smile on this mans face, so sorry for your loss !!! Love and Prayers !!! Barbara & Ron Rasche..*

**Barbara Rasche** - July 27, 2018 at 09:33 AM

DL

“ *Our prayers and sincere sympathy are with your family at this time. May God give you peace, comfort and the special strength that only He can give during our most difficult times.*

**Darryl and Vicki Leonard** - July 26, 2018 at 11:37 PM

FG

“ *Though we lost touch over the years, Chris was a good friend growing up, and we are deeply saddened to learn of his passing. Our thoughts and prayers are with his family. May God comfort you and bring you a peace beyond understanding.*

**F.P. and Stephanie Gable** - July 26, 2018 at 11:12 PM

JD

“ *Always enjoyed visiting with Chris and Kyle when they stopped by to sell Boy Scout popcorn. Sincere sympathy to all the family. Jim and Marilyn Dittmer*

**Jim and Marilyn Dittmer** - July 26, 2018 at 08:34 PM

DP

“ *With our deepest sympathy to your family. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.*

*Dave and Beverly Peterson*

**David Peterson** - July 26, 2018 at 08:32 PM

TD

“ *Your love for Chris will live on in your hearts and memories and you will be comforted. Please know that we are thinking of you with sympathy and love.*

*Tony and Marilyn Dubray*

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**Tony and Marilyn Dubray** - July 26, 2018 at 07:06 PM