



## Mr. Jason Lester Christ

April 11, 1972 - February 17, 2026

Lebanon, Tennessee 53

Passed away at his residence.

Please keep the Family in your prayers.

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Jason Christ, 53, passed away from a heart attack on February 17, 2026, in Lebanon, TN. Jason was born in San Jose, California. He was raised in Willow Glen with his father, Harry Christ, and mother and step father, Deena and Kurt Meier, along with siblings Jeff Christ, Julianne Christ and Erica Meier Thompson.

Jason graduated from Willow Glen High School, class of 1990, and attended Idaho State University. He developed a love for the restaurant & bar business, which he carried into the food and beverage industry, working many years in management and sales.

In October of 2010, Jason proudly welcomed a son, Maddox Harold Christ, who immediately become the light of his life. Throughout their years together, they developed a deep bond and enjoyed traveling, tasty meals, and watching sporting events -- cheering on the SF Giants, Warriors, Sharks, "Da Bears" and many other teams. Without question, Jason's role as a father to Maddox was his most revered and cherished achievement.

Jason (aka Hoopa J) leaves behind an amazing social circle from his Willow Glen, ISU, and restaurant days. Together these friends created countless wonderful memories. Time spent with his large, extended Greek family was also very important to him. The shared traditions and celebrations shaped who he was. He delighted in being a fun-loving cousin to Katie, Nikki, Tina, Debbie, and “KnUncle Jason” to Jordan, David, Justin, Carleen and Jackson. Jason had a knack for remembering special moments from past experiences and then sharing those memories to stay connected with family and friends. He valued these relationships more than anything, and treasured them all! He will be greatly missed and remembered by many. A Celebration of Life will take place in the spring.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB 27. 5:00 PM - 6:00 PM (CT)

Neuble Monument Funeral Home, LLC  
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# Tribute Wall

SD

“ *Shalanda Donnell sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Jason Lester Christ*



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**Shalanda Donnell** - March 11 at 12:13 PM

MB

“ *So heartbroken. Well, we didn't speak much in the last few years It was wonderful to keep in touch over Facebook and see you enjoy being a wonderful father. Those few years that we spent so much time together in downtown San Jose are some of the highlights of my life. You'😴 were always so kind and thoughtful. One of the good guys. You'll be great greatly missed. ❤️*

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**Miyuki One Bear** - March 04 at 05:39 PM

MB

*Not sure where the random emojis came from.*

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**Miyuki One Bear** - March 04 at 05:40 PM

MJ

MARCH 2026 [SATURDAY MORNING] THIS TOUCHED MY HEART. I HAVE FAMILY & MANY, MANY AQUAINTAINCES FROM DIFFERENT REGIONS OF MEXICO. [WE TOOK A FAMILY VACATION A FEW YEARS AGO & VISITED THREE DIFFERENT SECTIONS OF MEXICO. [EXP. THE ME-DI-R.....ETC.....ON AN ALL INCLUSIVE SHIP CRUISE]. THE PEOPLE WERE 100 PERCENT OUTSTANDING. THE ENTERAINERS/ENTERTAINMENT & ALL ENTERNPENURS WERE FANTASTIC. THE GOODNESS OF OUR HEAVENLY FATHER [KING JESUS & HIS PEOPLE] IS ARE AMAZING. FAMILY CONTINUE HOLDING FAST/ STEADFAST, TO YOUR FAITH & BEING FAITHFUL TO YOUR/ OUR LORD & SAVIOR. THE GODLY LIVE, JESUS LOVE, FAMILY LOVE, INNNER/OUTTER LOVE, DEEP JOYFUL, FREE SALVATION, IS AVAILABLE TO & FOR \*ALL PEOPLE IN JESUS HOLY, HOLY, HOLY NAME\* [GODLY/JESUS] LOVE IS FOR THE ENTIRETY OF EVERYONES' LIFE. THE LOVE OF PARENTS/GRANDPARENTS, ALL RELATIVES, "ALL CHILDREN", & THE FOND MEMORIES ARE THE THE ENTIRETY OF EACH INDIVIDUALS LIFE. GOD BLESS EACH FAMILY MEMBER.....FROM A FORMER, RETIRED SENIOR [ PERSON, MOTHER/ GOD GRANDPARENT, SENIOR CITIZEN, SISTER, AUNT, NIECE, ETC.....

IN WILSON COUNTY [LSSD] & I /WE ATTENDED SEVERAL DIFFERENT SCHOOLS, COLLEGES, UNIVERSITIES, WORKSHOPS, CPR TRAINING@ DIFFERENT CHURCHES/ SCHOOL, DIFFERENT FACILITIES, WORSHIP CENTERS, AT JFFC, LEBANON, TENNESSEE [WILSON COUNTY] LEBANON SENIOR CITIZENS CENTERS, SEVERAL DIFFERENT [SEMINARIES] SEMINARS, CONCERTS@ CUMBERLAND UNIVERSITY, OTHER COLLEGES/ UNIVERSITIES, MAGNET SCHOOLS, PUBLIC/PRIVATE SCHOOLS, TRADE SCHOOLS/ WELDING SCHOOLS, MEDICAL SCHOOLS, BUSINESS SCHOOLS, HOME SCHOOLS, [SCHOOL OF PRAYER], ETC AND ALL ARE UPLIFTING, ENCOURAGING, INSPIRATIONAL, SINCERE, HEARTFELT, WORDS/ EXPRESSIONS FOR YOUR FAMILY & ALL FAMILIES. [ALL PEOPLE] I TRIUED TO STOP OR END THIS SINCERE CONDOLENCE, BUT, BUT, BUT OR HOWEVER APPROPRIATELY & RESPECTFULLY. THE HOLY SPIRIT IS/WAS IN CONTROL. I LIFTED MY HAND HIGH TOWARD THE SKY/ HEAVEN OUTSIDE/ INSIDE EVERYDAY. OUR HEAVENLY FATHER [ JESUS CHRIST/CHRIST JESUS] IS YOUR/ OUR EVERYTHING, OUR MAIN SOURCE, THE HEAD OF OUR LIFE, HAS THE KEY TO SALVATION, OUR FUEL, OUR NUTRITION, ALPHA/ OMEGA, THE BEGINNING & THE LAST. THE AUTHOR, THE CHAMPION OF THE 🌍 WORLD & YOUR/ OUR ALL AND ALL. \*GOD BLESS ALL\*. FROM MS. MELBA [ CIRDER] JOBE & OUR ENTIRE FAMILY. IN JESUS HOLY, HOLY, HOLY NAME, AMEN !!! JESUS IS LOVE & GOD/JESUS CERTAINLY REPRESENTES \*PURE ❤️ LOVE\*. UNSPEAKABLE, UNCONDITIONAL AND SUSTAINABLE

*LOVE. GOD WILL KEEP/SUSTAIN YOU [YALL], OTHERS, ALL PEOPLE/ ALL FAMILIES AND OUR FAMILY/ FAMILIES. ONCE AGAIN, IN JESUS HOLY, HOLY, HOLY NAME, AMEN CHILDREN, MEN, WOMEN, MOTHERS/FATHERS, GRANDPARENTS & ALL INDIVIDUALS/ALL PEOPLE. YES, INDEED & AMEN !!!*

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**Melba Jobe** - March 07 at 09:22 AM

JB

“ I am heartbroken.

*Jason and I grew up together on Fairorchard Ave. Most of my childhood memories live right there on that street, and so many of them are tied to his family.*

*Deena was my second mom. When my parents traveled, I stayed with her, and she shaped me in ways I will always be grateful for. Erica was my babysitter for what felt like forever and, as an only child, the big sister I never had. Their home was my second home, which makes this loss especially personal.*

*When we played hide and go seek, I still laugh thinking about how, when it was my turn to hide, Jason didn't exactly sprint to come find me. I'd be tucked behind a bush or squeezed along the side of the house wondering if he had forgotten about me. Such a small memory, but one I will always hold onto.*

*What I remember most is basketball. We played P-I-G and H-O-R-S-E from sun up to sun down. I was not good. At all. It was never much of a challenge for him, and he had every reason to say no and do something more exciting. He never did.*

*Jason was the most popular boy in school. Everyone knew him. He always had people who wanted his attention. The fact that he still made time for me meant more than I can say.*

*In a simple, steady way, he showed me what it means to be a good friend. You show up. You make the time.*

*My heart aches for Deena and Kurt, Erica, Julie, Jeff, and the entire Christ family, who meant so much to me growing up. The world lost a good person far too soon.*

*Rest in peace, Jason. Heaven gained a great one.*





Jennifer Stern (formerly Brieger) - February 27 at 04:20 PM

MJ

02/28/2026 [EARLY SATURDAY MORNING] IT'S GOOD OR NORMAL TO BE "SAD, TOUCHED, FOND MEMORIES, CHILDHOOD/ADULT MEMORIES, HEARTBROKEN & SOMES THE EMPTINESS OR VOID. THE ABSENCE OF "LOVED" ONES. ALL [PEOPLE] REMINCE A LIFETIME. \*IT'S A PART OF LIFE\*. THIS IS [JUST] ONLY OUR TEMPORARY HOME. A BEAUTIFUL, BEAUTIFUL, MANSION, GLORY OR GLORIOUS PLACE [THE FINAL RESTING PLACE. TOTAL/ COMPLETE PEACE, PAIN FREE, NO THIS, THIS & THAT, NO COMPLAINTS/COMPLAINING, NO GROANING/ NO SUFFERING, JUST \*PEACE\*. THESE PICTURES/PORTRAITS ARE ABSOLUTELY BEAUTIFUL. FAMILY, FORMER NEIGHBORS, FORMER CHILDHOOD FRIENDS, FORMER TEACHERS/CLASSMATES, FORMER EXTENDED CHURCH MEMBERS@ SEVERAL DIFFERENT CHURCHES/ WORSHIP CENTERS, SANCTUARIES/ SYNAGOGUES AND ALL AQUAINTAINCES LAST [FOREVER & EVER] A LAST. PHILIPPIANS 4:13, THE BOOK OF PSALM & OTHER.....OF YOUR PERSONAL WAYS/MANNERS, PRECEED/PRECEEDINGS, FAMILY TIDINGS, KINDNESS, THOUGHTS/THOUGHTFULNESS, HUMBLE/ HUMBLENESS, HUMILITY, LOYAL, LOYALTY, COMPASSION/COMPASSIONATE, ETC..... \*JESUS LOVE\* GOD BLESS YOUR FAMILY. AND "ALL" FAMILIES. FROM A FORMER, RETIRED, LSSD SUBSTITUTE TEACHER@ SEVERAL [MANY] DIFFERENT SCHOOLS. SEVERAL/MANY DIFFERENT CORPORATIONS & INTERACTED WITH MANY, MANY, MANY DIFFERENT PEOPLE. \* PEOPLE FROM ALL OVER THE USA. AND OUTSIDE THE USA. > ALL OVER THE WORLD< GOD BLESS ALL IN JESUS HOLY NAME !!!

Melba Jobe - February 28 at 03:29 AM

AW

“ Jason Christ was my first friend. We grew up together on the fun filled streets of FairOrchard Avenue. As kids we played YMCA Basketball and Pony League baseball together (shout out to the 0-15 Reds)! We would eat over at each other’s house in the weekends, of course we would call the other Mom to find out what they were serving to help our decision, then we would watch The Dukes of Hazzard on Friday nights. Just the good ol’ boys. I am so sad to lose Jason. I know all those who knew Hoopa are sad as well.

Fast forward to recent years, Hoopa loved to take his son Maddox to sporting events, they would make the effort to visit a Men’s Volleyball game when possible... I cherish the moments watching Hoopa heckle the other team while serving the ball, he would yell “NOONAN!” - Hoping they would serve it into the net... a few years ago at Concordia University my son was like “who was that chirping NOONAN?!”

Hoopa was up in the stands that night, and he will forever be there with all of us.

We Love You Hoopa!

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**Abraham Wagner** - February 25 at 10:33 PM

MJ

02/25/2026@10:03 PM; I, MS. MELBA (CORDER) JOBE CHERISH & DEEPLY ADMIRE MR. CHRIST BIO (BEFORE & AFTER). EACH PERSON/INDIVIDUAL HAS A BEAUTIFUL & OR DIFFERENT LIFE COMPOSITION, ETC. I "DID NOT" KNOW THIS MAN. HIS LIFE STORY LINGERS IN MY/ OUR HEARTS, NOW & FOREVER. CONTINUE BLESSING THE LORD. GOD BLESS ALL !

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**Melba Jobe** - February 25 at 11:10 PM

HF

“ His Willow Glen Friends purchased the Beautiful Dreams for the family of Mr. Jason Lester Christ.



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**His Willow Glen Friends** - February 25 at 05:32 PM

HF

“ His Willow Glen Friends purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Mr. Jason Lester Christ.



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**His Willow Glen Friends** - February 25 at 05:27 PM

LF

“ Love, Michelle Pennington-Lewis & Family purchased the Beautiful Dreams for the family of Mr. Jason Lester Christ.



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**Love, Michelle Pennington-Lewis & Family** - February 25 at 04:33 PM

LF

“ Love, Michelle Pennington-Lewis & Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mr. Jason Lester Christ.

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**Love, Michelle Pennington-Lewis & Family** - February 25 at 04:33 PM

WK

“ Wanda Keeley lit a candle in memory of Mr. Jason Lester Christ



Wanda Keeley - February 25 at 02:51 PM

GB

“ G-muz & Aunt Bea purchased the Treasured Lilies Spray for the family of Mr. Jason Lester Christ.



G-muz & Aunt Bea - February 25 at 02:27 PM

MJ

“ PHILIPPIANS 4:13 FROM A FORMER [RETIRED] LSSD SUBSTITUTE TEACHER, LEBANON, TENNESSEE. FAMILY, \*YOU ALL\* [YALL] STRENGTH COMES FROM ABOVE\* KNOWING YOUR/OUR ENTIRE COMMUNITY IS/ARE IN FERVENT PRAYER FOR THE CHRIST FAMILY. AND ALL BEREAVED FAMILIES. FAITH, THE BOOK OF JAMES & OTHER BOOKS, CHAPTERS, & BIBLE VERSES. \*FROM THE HOLY BIBLE\* UPLIFTING, ENCOURAGING, HONEST, HUMILITY/HUMBLE, ETC. TO SUM IT UP, EQUALS EMPATHY. PRAYER CAN & WILL CHANGE/ MAKE A DIFFERENCE FOR EVERYONE. CONTINUE TRUSTING [GOD] YOUR/ OUR LORD & SAVOUR/SAVIOUR. GODS' BLESSINGS UPON ALL !



Melba Jobe - February 24 at 06:36 AM

KW

“ Jason was a HUGE part of my college and young adult life. He will be deeply missed. He was a great guy and a great friend to many.



Kathy Fehringer Webster - February 23 at 04:38 PM

CF

“ Calleja + Winder/Lin + Clements Families purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Mr. Jason Lester Christ.



Calleja + Winder/Lin + Clements Families - February 23 at 04:35 PM

MF

“ Montrea Freeman lit a candle in memory of Mr. Jason Lester Christ



Montrea Freeman - February 21 at 10:33 AM

PW

“ Pamela Waters lit a candle in memory of Mr. Jason Lester Christ



Pamela Waters - February 20 at 09:43 PM

DS

“ *Hoopa was always a fantastic addition to any family or holiday gathering ..*

*We will miss you bro*



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**Daniel Shea** - February 20 at 02:42 PM

TT

“ *Teresa Turner lit a candle in memory of Mr. Jason Lester Christ*



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**Teresa Turner** - February 20 at 02:23 PM

MJ

“ *\*JESUS SAVES\**



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**Melba Jobe** - February 20 at 06:45 AM

DC

“ I'm dumbfounded Hoopa, way too soon. Remember that night in Glenwood Ave, Mar was away in LV and you, Dan and I played Wi Golf till some stupid hour. Anyway, next day I went to the office and before long was in lots of pain, I put it down to over consumption and Mar said I was constipated!!! 3 hours later I was minus my appendix, some constipation Mar. You and Dan were first to visit me in the Good Sam. Rest in peace my friend, when we next meet, we'll play 18! Dave, Mar & Ellen.

Dave Corcoran - February 19 at 06:06 PM

MJ

“ 02/ 19/2026; OUR [ONLY BIO BROTHER/OUR MOTHERS' ONLY SON & FAMILY] ENTIRE FAMILY/ FAMILY'S & NEIGHBORS ARE IN FERVENT PRAYER FOR THE CHRIST FAMILY. [ALL FAMILIES], OUR NEIGHBORS, AS WELL. WE ARE CHRISTIANS BY OUR LOVE.

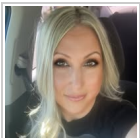


M.S. JOBE - February 19 at 04:50 PM



“ Hoopa, you are one of the best!! We are going to miss you my friend...

Brad Crudo - February 19 at 03:13 PM



“ You will be deeply missed Hoopa! Sending lots of love to your son and family. ❤️



Katie Sanchez Magee - February 19 at 02:49 PM

DS

“ 3 files added to the tribute wall



Dennis Shea - February 19 at 02:48 PM

DS

“ Always fun when hanging with Hoopa!



Dennis Shea - February 19 at 02:31 PM



“ Always a festive time 🍷 Mishawaka Amphitheater Co. May 11 2023



Matthew Crudo - February 19 at 01:30 PM

RS

“ 2 files added to the tribute wall



Rosie Shea - February 19 at 01:25 PM

DS

“ 1 file added to the album Jason Pictures



Dennis Shea - February 19 at 12:53 PM

CO

“ 02/19/2026@11:38 AM ; EXTENDED PRAYERS & CONDOLENCES TO HIS CHILDREN & FAMILY [ARTIST/ PSALMIST, JAMES FORTUNE], RESTING PEACEFULLY & ALL [WILL] SURVIVE/ SURVIVED WITH GOD & CHRIST. \*STILL BLESSED BY YOUR/ OUR HEAVENLY FATHER\*. FROM MELBA SHAWN & OUR ENTIRE FAMILY.



CORDER-JOBE - February 19 at 12:40 PM

WK

“ Wanda Keeley lit a candle in memory of Mr. Jason Lester Christ



Wanda Keeley - February 19 at 12:18 PM

AB

“ Aunt Bea lit a candle in memory of Mr. Jason Lester Christ



Aunt Bea - February 19 at 03:29 AM

SJ

“ Shawn Jobe sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Jason Lester Christ



Shawn Jobe - February 19 at 12:55 AM

PM

“ Pat Mcgowan lit a candle in memory of Mr. Jason Lester Christ



Pat Mcgowan - February 18 at 10:04 PM