



# Aaron Jeffrey Drews

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Aaron Jeffrey Drews*

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January 28, 2023 at 02:51 PM

MG

“ Hello, My name is Marisa and although I am not sure who I am addressing this letter to (who checks the website), first I would like to say I am very sorry for your enormous loss with Aaron. I hope you have been able to find some peace and continue to live with joy, as he would wish for you.

Aaron and I dated from around 1993-1997. Although that was a very long time ago, He was my first serious boyfriend we loved each other very much. We finally separated because he picked up the habit of leaving town, sometimes for weeks, and often without contacting me while he was away. It was driving me insane because I was very much in love with him. We moved away in opposite directions and fell out of contact.

Aaron was as kind-hearted, intelligent, and loveable as ever a person could be. My world really did revolve around him for a very long time (he was very magnetic!). I only wish I could have had more time with him, as I know everyone does.

I will be in Portland this Friday (his birthday), I am coming up because I just had my birthday last week and some friends gifted me tickets to see Alex Grey paint live with music. If there is something like a stone marker for him, can you please let me know where it is so that I can visit him and bring flowers on his birthday. If it is farther than Portland then I would still like to visit it soon.

Thank you very much and I wish you and your family every blessing.

Marisa

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marisa gonzalez - May 20, 2009 at 12:00 AM

MA

“ *The sad news of Aarons passing has just reached my friends and I here in Bend.*

*There are not adequate words to describe Aaron's kindness and charisma. To be with him was to be at ease and also filled with an intense joy that I think every person in his life was touched by.*

*His heart was always full of love for Witt, Griffin, his friends, and his family. He spoke of his sister often and as a best friend. There was always a framed picture of her in his room.*

*Aaron and I spent several years here in Bend that I will always remember with a smile and a skip of heart beat.*

*Although it was sad to see the quality of media coverage surrounding Aaron's passing, it is well known he was a man of remarkable integrity, class, and ever high standards who lead a great life surrounded by people who admired, respected, and adored him.*

*Friends in town will be sharing memories of Aaron with joy one evening this week, anyone in the Bend area please contact me if you would like to join us. [marisa\\_belle@yahoo.com](mailto:marisa_belle@yahoo.com)*

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**marisa** - May 03, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JE

“ My dear Aaron, You now have a new toy (I'm sure it will be a favorite) your wings. FLY - to the highest peak, hike the most exotic trails, visit beautiful places. Have fun while you are waiting for us to join you. Please remember us and visit us often. We miss you Aaron! I'll be watching "22". Loving you, Jeanne

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**Jeanne** - February 28, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JE

“ *His smile was his trademark,*

*wherever he went.*

*A room would brighten*

*when Aaron came in*

*'cause the first thing you saw, would be his grin!*

*A son and brother so precious;*

*a friend so true!*

*Whatever he had,*

*he'd share it with you!*

*A thought, a deed, a kind*

*word for a while*

*But always, oh always,*

*He'd share 'His Smile'.*

*Our hearts are breaking,*

*our thoughts are going wild!*

*We've lost our friend:*

*We've lost our child!*

*"But only for a while,"*

*Hand selected by Jesus from  
this 'garden of life'*

*Gone to Heaven!-He's  
through with this strife!*

*Why is he gone?*

*God only knows.*

*But Oh what a treasure,*

*A "smiling rose!"*

*Love you Aaron!*

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**Jess** - February 25, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ Aaron (Double)--we cannot believe you're gone, it just doesn't make any sense to us, and we are so deeply saddened. You were absolutely so kind-hearted, had such a good soul, such a great smile and a huge heart! We will miss seeing you loungin on the dog beds at Shuan's...wakin up in your work boots of course ; ) We know Magnus & Raina are missing you so much, but we know that they, as well as all of us, will be with you again someday. We're just happy to know that you're reunited with Glacier & Griffin again, and happy to have known you and had the gift of your friendship! Please know how much you will be missed everyday Double. We love you~Jason, Jaime & Stormy

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**Jaime Blake & Jason Hacker** - February 24, 2009 at 12:00 AM

TC

“ I just wanted to say how saddened I am to hear that a great guy was taken from us. I meet Aaron while my husband lived with him in his house for a couple of months. My husband is from Texas and was a Glazier in Portland not knowing alot of people Aaron opened up his home and friendship to my husband and very few people do that. I visited once and thats when I meet Aaron and Mags I loved that dog right away and saw how he cared for him. Thank you to his family for having such a wonderful son me and my husband appreciated that. Aaron you will be missed deeply . From Tony and Jamie Corpus Christi, Texas

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**Tony and Jamie Colunga** - February 21, 2009 at 12:00 AM

RS

“ We had the pleasure of getting to know Aaron while he and Stacey dated, what a great guy, so much admiration for the love he expressed for his Mom, his Sister and of course his buddies, Griffin & Glacier. Our family shared some fun times with Aaron, our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family Aaron...

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**Randy & Paula Sellers** - February 19, 2009 at 12:00 AM

SS

“ Aaron, I have many good memories with you and will hold them in my heart forever. You inspired me with your positive outlook on life. The endless love you had for your friends, family and your dogs is something I always admired about you. You had a kind soul and an amazing smile, I will always remember you that way... Love always,  
Stacey

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**Stacey Sellers** - February 19, 2009 at 12:00 AM

CS

“ Mary, Sarah and Jeff

*My heart felt sympathies are with you. All though it was a long long time ago I remember Aaron as a beautiful child. I am so sorry for your tragic loss.*

*cricket stalmer-james*

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**cricket stalmer-james** - February 19, 2009 at 12:00 AM

ND

“ Aaron no words can express how much I will miss you. I feel blessed to have been a part of your life. Thank you for sharing with me some of the greatest memories that I've ever experienced, for that I will never forget you. I hope you know how much you are loved by everyone who knows you and how in your own little ways you have touched our hearts.

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**Nicole Dent** - February 19, 2009 at 12:00 AM

LP

“ *In your short life all who were blessed to know you will always remember your Big Smile, your Friendliness, and kind heart. My prayers are with you from above and your family and friends*

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**Lynda Parsons** - February 19, 2009 at 12:00 AM

Jl

“ *Aaron you always brought a smile to my face when we were hanging out. I am remembering specific moments with you and all I see is your smile your kind eyes and hear your mellow voice. You were a comforting person and I thank you for that. My hearts saddens each time I realize I won't be seeing you anymore. You were loved by so many and they all miss you so much. The next time I go to the hill the day will be in honor of you. Take care and know we all will be together one day with you. xo*

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**JILL** - February 19, 2009 at 12:00 AM

CB

“ *I'll miss you bro. I'm sorry we didnt have more time together.*

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**Cody Buchholz** - February 18, 2009 at 12:00 AM

MH

“ Sarah and Mary,

*I just wanted to reach out and say how very saddened and sorry I am for your loss. I have thought about Aaron a lot over the years and I want you to know that he will always have a special place in my heart as he was my first love. I have so many great memories of Aaron. Please know that I am thinking about you both and praying for you. I also want you to know that my cat Wiley (named after Wyle-e-Coyote) is still alive. He is the cat that Aaron went to pick up with me 19 years ago and Aaron was the one who named him. Sarah, I know it has been a long time but I still live in the Twin Cities, if you ever want/need to get in touch please feel free to call or email me. Again, I am so very sorry Aaron was a wonderful person and I know he will be missed. All of my love, Mindy*

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**Mindy Acacia Hockin/Hamilton** - February 18, 2009 at 12:00 AM

TS

“ My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. Enjoy the Mountain Views from above. You will be missed by all who knew you.

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**Travis Smith** - February 18, 2009 at 12:00 AM

CB

“ Aaron, It's hard to believe your gone, knowing that you are watching over all of us now. I will always remember the time you taught me how to snowboard, with you mom (Mary) and your sister (Sarah.) Not to mention your great big smile and that unforgettable voice! Say hi to grandpa Hugo for me. You mabye gone, but never forgotten!! Have fun shreddin the Mountains, you have a great view from where your at now, (Heaven) Take your pick, cause there all yours!!! Love ya cuz, love you cousin, Collin

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**Collin Betts** - February 18, 2009 at 12:00 AM

CB

“ Can't believe this happened. You were an amazing person and wonderful cousin. I was blessed to have you in my life and will never forget all the good times we had! Please tell Grandpa Hugo I miss him and love him! God Bless you Aaron! Love you with all my heart! Love, your Cousin Courtney

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**Courtney Betts** - February 18, 2009 at 12:00 AM

RU

“ You will be missed my friend.

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**Ryan Uhlar** - February 17, 2009 at 12:00 AM

LP

“ My prayers are with your family and many friends. You found your way into our hearts just by being YOU. I will not hesitate to tell the ones I care for how I feel, and for this I thank you. You will be missed but not forgotten.

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**Laura Pastore** - February 17, 2009 at 12:00 AM