



Brandon James Pickett

September 24, 2021

It is with much sadness that we announce the unexpected passing of Brandon at his home in Hampton on Friday, September 24, 2021.

Brandon will be deeply missed by his parents Sheldon and Denise and his two older brothers Matthew (Erin) and Adam; his daughter Aska-Mina; his grandparents Pat and John Walker, Dennis and Donna Vince and predeceased by Eleazor and Ruth Pickett; his immediate family Aunt Roxanne, Uncle Danny, cousins Alexis and Deanna Lemajic, Aunt Sheree and Uncle Regan Haydu, Uncles Brian (Laura/Harmonie/Brooklyn/Lumia) and Cheyne Vince, Aunt Jaki, Uncle Robert and cousin Jesse Mackinnon, Aunt Lisa, Uncle Rob and cousins Robyn (Tyler/Thomas/Travis Quinn) and Brian Hobbs (Leanne/Cyrus), Bob and Adele Coleman and his extended family and friends in both Ontario and Newfoundland.

Growing up, cousins Matthew, Alexis, Adam, Deanna and Brandon were inseparable, getting into all kinds of mischief during weekend sleepovers at Nan and Pop Pickett's house or taking trips to the beach or a cottage, and even a road trip to Newfoundland with the five children under the age of 6 (and their brave parents) for their great grandparents' 50th wedding anniversary.

Taking a family trip to Disneyland with Nan and Pop Walker and building a sand car on the beach or taking his "pet" plastic alligator for a walk around the pool, Brandon was always keeping everyone busy with his antics.

He also loved going with Nan and Pop Vince to Haliburton where he got to

spend time fishing and camping and finding every bug/worm/frog that he could.

Brandon was also involved in all sports – from hockey, ball hockey and soccer to football, and lacrosse – he would try anything once, even just for a season to experience something new, test his skills and meet new people. His real love was hockey and he even travelled to Europe to play with his team. He would eat, sleep, and breathe it – to the point that he would sleep with his gloves on or be standing at the door waiting to go to a game or practice.

Brandon was a carefree and adventurous man with a silly and infectious laugh that could be heard echoing throughout the house. He was often funny without even trying, and loved playing pranks, including dressing up (just like his Poppy Pickett) at family functions to play tricks on others. Brandon loved all things food and he always wanted to spend time with his family.

Although he is no longer with us, Brandon will always be a part of our lives through his daughter Aska-Mina. His sudden passing is made a little easier knowing that he is with his Nan and Pop Pickett, and that Nan is keeping both of them in line.

A Celebration of Life will be held at a later date.

In lieu of flowers, a donation in Brandon's name can be made to:

Canadian Tire Jump Start Program or Their Opportunity (Oshawa Hawkeyes Football Club).

<https://jumpstart.canadiantire.ca> <https://theiropportunity.com>

Tribute Wall

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“ Dear Sheldon, Denise and family:

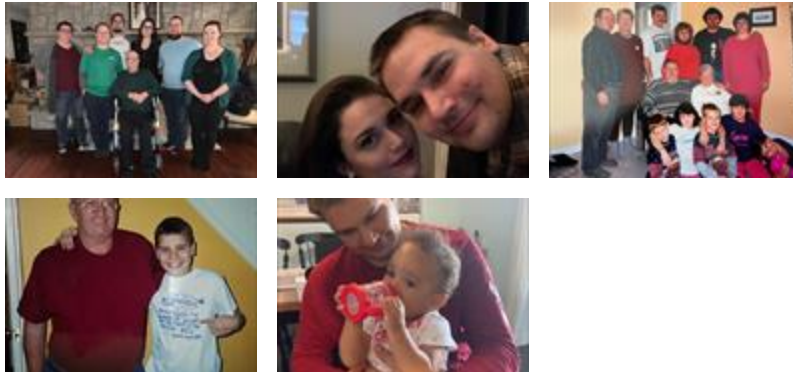
We were so sorry to hear of Brandon' passing. We can't imagine the sorrow that you and the family has experienced. Please know that we are thinking of you at this very difficult time.

*God Bless
Joan and Ken Powell*

Ken Powell - October 30, 2021 at 05:26 PM

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Denise Pickett - September 30, 2021 at 12:35 PM

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Denise Pickett - September 30, 2021 at 12:29 PM

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Denise Pickett - September 29, 2021 at 04:18 PM

RK

“ Sorry to hear about Brandon’s passing. Our love and prayers are with you all at this sad time. Hold on to the memories it will make it a little easier Love you all Aunt Roxanne and Uncle Barry. Big hugs

roxanne kelly - September 29, 2021 at 03:21 PM

MB

Sorry to hear of his passing
My condolences

Martin Bruce - September 29, 2021 at 03:50 PM

SH

Denise, Sheldon & family I am so sorry to hear of Brandon's passing. I just can't imagine what you're going through. Thoughts and prayers are with you. Hugs to all.

Shari - September 29, 2021 at 09:23 PM

RE

Deepest sympathies to the Pickett family. We grieve with them at this dark time.
Condolences,
Margaret and Russell Erman

Russell Erman - September 30, 2021 at 06:58 PM

TF

Denise, Sheldon & Family. Absolutely no words as not a word can ever express your horrific loss, loses. The loss of a child is just something a parent should ever have to endure. The strongest person on this earth is a parent that wakes up and keeps going every day. We unfortunately can relate with the pain. Please take care of each other.

Your Family & Friends are always near. We are here if you need anything.

May Angel's comfort you during such trying times.

Much Love to you all. ❤️ Kelli, Benny & Benji xoxoxo

The De France Family - October 01, 2021 at 02:06 AM

JA

We are sad to hear of Brandons passing. Brandon was a pleasure to have work with us for a summer in North Bay. Always ready to work, he was as entertaining as he was kind. Rest in Peace B. From your friends at the Pool Doctor Plus, North Bay.

Jamie - November 19, 2025 at 05:34 AM