

Nolan L. Sousley

December 28, 1966 - August 18, 2019

Nolan L. Sousley, age 52, of Versailles, passed away Sunday, August 18, 2019, at his home surrounded by his loving family and friends. He was born December 28, 1966, in Jefferson City, a son of Robert E. Sousley and June L. Brewer.

He had a passion for helping others and most recently was a patient rights advocate for cannabis.

Nolan enjoyed spending his time fishing, hunting, gardening and enjoyed deejaying events for many years.

He is survived by his children, Tylor Sousley and husband Michael Maxwell of Olathe, Kansas, Emmy Sousley and significate other Jalon White of Versailles, Missouri, Logan Sousley of Kansas City, Kansas and Dominic Sousley of Columbia, Missouri; his granddaughter, Kinsley White; his significant other, Amber Kidwell of the home; his mother, June Sousley of Versailles, Missouri; brother, Ray Sousley and wife Lynn of Kansas City, Missouri; nephews, Slater and Turner Sousley; step-children, Koltin, Adelle, Nichole, Alex and Kelsay and many friends. He was preceded in death by his father, Bob Sousley and his grandmother, Emma Sousley.

A celebration of Nolan's life will be held from 1:00 to 4:00 p.m., Saturday, September 7th at the New Life Assembly of God Church in Barnett. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions are suggested to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital.

Arrangements are under the direction and care of the Kidwell-Garber Funeral Home of Versailles.

Events

SEP Celebration of Life 01:00PM - 04:00PM

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New Life Assembly of God 22139 Highway 52, Barnett, MO, US, 65011

Comments



Loved you unconditionally for 45 years my friend. I miss you very much. Rest in peace!



Larry - May 09 at 11:33 PM



Hadn't seen you since you worked for Diversified with Eric, Sam, and my other-half at the time: Jeff Turner, around 1993. The next time I saw you was on the local news having your hospital room torn apart by a couple of absolute imbociles in police uniforms with nothing better to do. I was completely horrified...not just due to the blatant harassment you received from these idiots, but mostly the severe decline of your health since I last saw you in Versailles in about 1994. I remember Jeff really looking up to you as both a respected mentor, and a great friend. My sincerest condolences to your entire family and anyone who had the privilege of knowing THE Noland Sousley! You truly seemed to have left a beautiful mark on this world. RIP bud.



Kim Bruns - May 27, 2020 at 08:15 AM



Nearly a decade ago, on the way to or return from a continuing legal education conference at the Lake of the Ozarks, Noland's brother Raymond offered to stop by Noland's home so that I may meet the legendary brother I had heard so many great things about. Ray and I were office mates and from time to time I had the privilege to join in phone calls between Ray and Noland. Ray thought the world of Noland and was very proud of and enthusiastic about him. I always enjoyed chatting with Noland.

There he was standing erect straddling the roof line in nothing but jeans, not even sandals. Noland was the living picture of a youthful ancient god-like countenance with his long flowing mane, barefoot and bare chested directing his heavy set helper in a t-shirt who was on the ground. There were smudge pots burning and spewing clouds of soot into the air and roof debris laying about. It was a surrealistic site, almost movie-set like.

Noland was a trim, very fit, handsome young man with a commanding countenance conducting the restoration of his home's roof. I said, "Look Raymond, it is Jesus ascending!" and Ray just laughed The picture of a tranquil rural setting framed with soot clouds with soot spewing smudge pots and smouldering tar pot and debris with the heavy set assistant in a white t-shirt lumbering about and then Noland standing Zeuss-like on the roof in nothing but jeans remains unforgettable.

Noland politely interrupted his project for a proper introduction by Ray and we had a cordial chat which was all too brief as Noland needed to get back to work and we needed to get back on the road. Finally, I had the great pleasure in meeting the legendary gentleman and it was an unforgettably positive experience.

From time to time we spoke thereafter and Noland was always a pleasure. Undoubtedly, he has ascended to eternal peace and tranquility having made the world a much better place for all privileged to have known him.

Stephen B. Small, Esq. Kansas City, Mo

Stephen Small - October 09, 2019 at 12:16 PM



Dear Nolan, This has to be one of the hardest things I have ever had to do. You are my best friend and it is hard to believe you are gone. I am going to miss you greatly little buddy. You were never suppose to go before me. You were a good person and a great friend and brother. I will think of you every day. There are so many great memories and I will think of those and smile often.

You were one of the most unique individuals I have ever met and I don't believe I will ever meet anyone like you again. Nolan, you were one of the most intelligent individuals I have every known. You had a very sharp wit. We did so many things over all these years and it is hard to believe it has gone so fast. I am very proud to call you my friend and brother. You will always have a special place in my heart. Deer season is going to be very hard this year. You usually always came to the house and spent opening weekend and the second weekend at the house. It sure will be different without you there.

I can honestly say this you being here on earth you made a difference and you have left a lasting legacy. You brought a voice to the cannabis issue and this will help so many people in the future. There will be a great deal of people who will benefit from your fight. You have four wonderful children, Tyler, Emmy, Logan and Dominick.

I thank you my friend for supporting the pharmacy. You and our friend Lana were some of the first people to support the pharmacy here in Versailles. I thank you for always being there for me. Whenever I needed something you were always there. You meant a great deal to me. When my dog Zeke would run off from my house he always knew where I would be and he would show up at your house. Whenever I see an eagle I will think of you. Say hi to my mom and Zeke. I am really going to miss you. I think Lana must have needed some company. Watch over me and save me a spot near you my friend. I will see you soon.

James R. Stepp, PharmD

James R. Stepp, PharmD - August 31, 2019 at 12:08 AM





David And Debbie Mccollom lit a candle in memory of Nolan L. Sousley



David and debbie mccollom - August 27, 2019 at 07:41 PM





66 Lori Gerlt lit a candle in memory of Nolan L. Sousley



Lori Gerlt - August 27, 2019 at 09:40 AM





66 May God keep him where the light is...

Brenda - August 25, 2019 at 11:11 PM



66 Ronda Chappell lit a candle in memory of Nolan L. Sousley



Ronda Chappell - August 25, 2019 at 10:34 PM





Susan Emert lit a candle in memory of Nolan L. Sousley



Susan Emert - August 25, 2019 at 08:55 AM





66 RANDY RATH lit a candle in memory of Nolan L. Sousley



RANDY RATH - August 25, 2019 at 02:25 AM





Carol And Steve Wright lit a candle in memory of Nolan L. Sousley



Carol and Steve wright - August 24, 2019 at 01:46 PM





Sam & Kathy Kauffman lit a candle in memory of Nolan L. Sousley



Sam & Kathy Kauffman - August 24, 2019 at 09:22 AM





66 Kim Courtney lit a candle in memory of Nolan L. Sousley



Kim Courtney - August 23, 2019 at 02:51 PM





66 Albert Andrade lit a candle in memory of Nolan L. Sousley



Albert Andrade - August 23, 2019 at 02:14 PM





66 Janet White lit a candle in memory of Nolan L. Sousley



janet white - August 23, 2019 at 11:03 AM





66 Rip my friend

janet white - August 23, 2019 at 11:04 AM





66 Dean lit a candle in memory of Nolan L. Sousley



Dean - August 23, 2019 at 09:18 AM





Trish Mayer lit a candle in memory of Nolan L. Sousley



Trish Mayer - August 23, 2019 at 02:40 AM





66 Always willing to help people . A great man . Will be missed dearly . My heart goes out to his family . RIP my friend



Donna Layman - August 22, 2019 at 11:00 PM





66 Patricia Chism lit a candle in memory of Nolan L. Sousley



Patricia Chism - August 22, 2019 at 09:10 PM



66 My condolences, so sorry for your loss. lifting you all up in prayer.

Patricia Chism - August 22, 2019 at 09:12 PM



66 Lynda Raines lit a candle in memory of Nolan L. Sousley



Lynda Raines - August 22, 2019 at 07:24 PM





66 Rest in peace Nolan



wendy comstock - August 22, 2019 at 06:57 PM



66 May the family be comforted knowing Nolan is free of pain and is now resting comfortably in peace.



linda regelski - August 22, 2019 at 05:39 PM



66 Cherie & Brad Rufer lit a candle in memory of Nolan L. Sousley



Cherie & Brad Rufer - August 22, 2019 at 05:02 PM



66 Fly high my friend you was an amazing person. Prayers for all that has been touched with sorrow from your passing. Special prayers go out ro the family,



Brad N Connie Hilkemeyer - August 22, 2019 at 02:16 PM





66 Don & Jane Carter lit a candle in memory of Nolan L. Sousley



Don & Jane Carter - August 22, 2019 at 11:09 AM





66 Fly High and I'll see ya on the other side when its my time.



Yalonda Simmons - August 22, 2019 at 11:06 AM





66 Joe & Kay Williams lit a candle in memory of Nolan L. Sousley



Joe & Kay Williams - August 22, 2019 at 07:46 AM





66 Cindy White Marriott lit a candle in memory of Nolan L. Sousley



cindy white marriott - August 22, 2019 at 07:18 AM





Kelly Norwood lit a candle in memory of Nolan L. Sousley



Kelly Norwood - August 22, 2019 at 07:01 AM



To a Sioux Nation Brother, the WAKAN TANKA has received a Great Warrior his Spirit Forever Lives on!...Loved all the Awesome Memories we had at Isle of Capri & then the many hours at Auctions across Mid-Missouri just visiting with each other...Rest in Peace Brother til we meet again, Love from Hupa Hu Luta

Robert Red Wing - August 22, 2019 at 05:35 AM





Denise Sharp lit a candle in memory of Nolan L. Sousley



Denise Sharp - August 22, 2019 at 02:44 AM



Although Nolan wasn't my blood family, he was part of my Isle of Capri Family. We had so many laughs, pranks, and funny times. My Condolences to the family and the Tribe! Rest In Peace my Brother!

Nioka M. Williams - August 22, 2019 at 01:01 AM



Rae Ann Chandler And Mitch Hughes lit a candle in memory of Nolan L. Sousley



Rae ann chandler and mitch hughes - August 21, 2019 at 11:48 PM



David And Christy Coontz lit a candle in memory of Nolan L. Sousley



David and Christy Coontz - August 21, 2019 at 11:25 PM



66 Great memories from Tri County Auction



Dawn Ely - August 21, 2019 at 11:20 PM



Rest in paradise Nolan. My condolences to the family. I followed in NH. Nolan was an amazing advocate for an all natural way of treatment. He's a true warrior.

Amanda - August 21, 2019 at 11:12 PM



66 Shannon Rumbo Homan lit a candle in memory of Nolan L. Sousley



Shannon Rumbo Homan - August 21, 2019 at 10:40 PM



66 Cami Jennings-Truett lit a candle in memory of Nolan L. Sousley



Cami Jennings-Truett - August 21, 2019 at 10:39 PM



Trish Zeigler lit a candle in memory of Nolan L. Sousley



Trish Zeigler - August 21, 2019 at 10:33 PM





66 Holly lit a candle in memory of Nolan L. Sousley



Holly - August 21, 2019 at 10:29 PM





66 Samantha Pipes lit a candle in memory of Nolan L. Sousley



Samantha Pipes - August 21, 2019 at 10:23 PM





Suzan Springman lit a candle in memory of Nolan L. Sousley



Suzan Springman - August 21, 2019 at 10:17 PM





66 Kim Decker lit a candle in memory of Nolan L. Sousley



Kim Decker - August 21, 2019 at 10:17 PM





66 Regina Myers lit a candle in memory of Nolan L. Sousley



Regina Myers - August 21, 2019 at 10:16 PM



66 I will miss our talks

Regina - August 22, 2019 at 03:37 PM





Prayers to you all for healing during this very difficult time. He was a true warrior.



Melissa Anne - August 21, 2019 at 10:08 PM





Tina Hilgar lit a candle in memory of Nolan L. Sousley



Tina Hilgar - August 21, 2019 at 10:00 PM





66 Carla Salzman lit a candle in memory of Nolan L. Sousley



Carla Salzman - August 21, 2019 at 09:46 PM





66 Great guy praying for Comfort .



Ronda Myers - August 21, 2019 at 09:45 PM





66 Gary & Sharon Ites lit a candle in memory of Nolan L. Sousley



Gary & Sharon Ites - August 21, 2019 at 09:44 PM





66 Awesome guy will be missed by many especially that smile



Jamie Kauffman - August 21, 2019 at 09:42 PM





Rachel Shirley lit a candle in memory of Nolan L. Sousley



Rachel Shirley - August 21, 2019 at 09:38 PM



I have a lot of great memories growing up with Nolan. He will be missed but I'm glad that he no longer has to suffer. Our prayers are with the family and may God comfort your hearts.



Bo Campbell - August 21, 2019 at 09:34 PM



66 Camilla And Derek Iman lit a candle in memory of Nolan L. Sousley



Camilla and Derek Iman - August 21, 2019 at 09:34 PM



Sacha Clemence lit a candle in memory of Nolan L. Sousley



Sacha Clemence - August 21, 2019 at 09:29 PM





66 Allie Anderson lit a candle in memory of Nolan L. Sousley



allie anderson - August 21, 2019 at 09:28 PM





66 God bless y'all. -Amy

CannabisData.org

Amy - August 21, 2019 at 11:59 AM





66 Stacy Chandler Turner lit a candle in memory of Nolan L. Sousley



Stacy Chandler Turner - August 21, 2019 at 11:28 AM





April Young lit a candle in memory of Nolan L. Sousley



April Young - August 21, 2019 at 08:44 AM



We live in the house Nolan built in1997. We have lived here since June 1998. We love this house and I can feel Nolan's joyful spirit here in these walls. Nolan you made a difference in so many lives in your short time on this planet. I will never forget you and how you brought us all joy even through your own suffering. Thanks for sharing your journey.

BOYD KAT - August 21, 2019 at 01:42 AM



66 Shirley Sumner lit a candle in memory of Nolan L. Sousley



shirley sumner - August 20, 2019 at 11:08 PM



Gay Fred & Matt Smith lit a candle in memory of Nolan L. Sousley



Gay Fred & Matt Smith - August 20, 2019 at 10:16 PM



Will miss our conversations and matching sense of humors. Fly high, dear friend.

Cathy Daniels - August 20, 2019 at 08:42 PM





David White lit a candle in memory of Nolan L. Sousley



David White - August 20, 2019 at 07:34 PM





66 Mary Ellen Dunnaway lit a candle in memory of Nolan L. Sousley



Mary Ellen Dunnaway - August 20, 2019 at 07:22 PM





Nicky Wheeler lit a candle in memory of Nolan L. Sousley



Nicky Wheeler - August 20, 2019 at 05:51 PM



Nolan will forever be in our hearts, carry on his legacy...his angel wings will pass you by from time to time ...when you feel a brisk breeze on your cheek know he is near



Brenda Arment Guerin - August 20, 2019 at 04:45 PM



Jennifer Rouse lit a candle in memory of Nolan L. Sousley



Jennifer rouse - August 20, 2019 at 04:11 PM



Nolan you touched so many lives my friend....you will be missed by so many...it was truly an honor to know you ...fly high bud...see you on the other side



Betty Nicholson - August 20, 2019 at 03:51 PM





Darren Hilgar lit a candle in memory of Nolan L. Sousley



Darren Hilgar - August 20, 2019 at 03:14 PM





66 Bud & Janice Scott lit a candle in memory of Nolan L. Sousley



Bud & Janice Scott - August 20, 2019 at 01:19 PM





66 Monica Bertelli Bolin lit a candle in memory of Nolan L. Sousley



Monica Bertelli Bolin - August 20, 2019 at 12:40 PM





This man was such a brave fighter for the #TerminalLivesMatter cause and an inspiration to so many people, even though I only knew Nolan via FB. May Amber and his family have peace about this beautiful soul's earthly absence.

Katy Brandes, Fair Grove, MO



66 Willa Stafford lit a candle in memory of Nolan L. Sousley



Willa Stafford - August 20, 2019 at 11:28 AM



Tony & Virginia Espinosa lit a candle in memory of Nolan L. Sousley



Tony & Virginia Espinosa - August 20, 2019 at 10:45 AM



66 Deanna Hodges lit a candle in memory of Nolan L. Sousley



Deanna Hodges - August 20, 2019 at 10:43 AM





Jackie Pope lit a candle in memory of Nolan L. Sousley



Jackie Pope - August 20, 2019 at 09:09 AM





Judy Dunnaway lit a candle in memory of Nolan L. Sousley



Judy Dunnaway - August 20, 2019 at 09:06 AM





Tammy (Armer) Akers lit a candle in memory of Nolan L. Sousley



Tammy (Armer) Akers - August 20, 2019 at 06:43 AM





66 Randy Francis lit a candle in memory of Nolan L. Sousley



Randy Francis - August 20, 2019 at 06:19 AM





Penny Patton Haile lit a candle in memory of Nolan L. Sousley



Penny Patton Haile - August 20, 2019 at 05:40 AM





Peggy Penrod lit a candle in memory of Nolan L. Sousley



Peggy Penrod - August 19, 2019 at 11:51 PM





Cristy Bauer lit a candle in memory of Nolan L. Sousley



Cristy Bauer - August 19, 2019 at 10:58 PM





Kathy & Kenny Coffman lit a candle in memory of Nolan L. Sousley



Kathy & Kenny Coffman - August 19, 2019 at 09:33 PM





66 Susan Main lit a candle in memory of Nolan L. Sousley



Susan Main - August 19, 2019 at 07:57 PM





66 Kim Davidson And Gary Pace lit a candle in memory of Nolan L. Sousley



Kim Davidson and Gary Pace - August 19, 2019 at 07:42 PM





66 Regina Hilgar lit a candle in memory of Nolan L. Sousley



Regina Hilgar - August 19, 2019 at 07:22 PM





Shirley Root lit a candle in memory of Nolan L. Sousley



Shirley Root - August 19, 2019 at 06:18 PM





66 Carolyn Schnakenberg lit a candle in memory of Nolan L. Sousley



Carolyn Schnakenberg - August 19, 2019 at 05:17 PM





Pam Hill-Ramey lit a candle in memory of Nolan L. Sousley



Pam Hill-Ramey - August 19, 2019 at 04:51 PM





Tammy Hester lit a candle in memory of Nolan L. Sousley



Tammy Hester - August 19, 2019 at 04:28 PM





66 Brenda Spaulding lit a candle in memory of Nolan L. Sousley



Brenda spaulding - August 19, 2019 at 03:45 PM