



## Marshall L. Christian

April 3, 1958 - December 19, 2023

Marshall L. Christian, 65, of Fond du Lac, passed away peacefully at home on December 19, 2023, with his family at his side.

He was born on April 3, 1958, in Beaver Dam, the son of Donald E. and Bonnie Dinkel Christian. He was a graduate of Randolph High School, Class of 1976. On April 12, 1996, he married Deborah Lewis.

Marshall worked on the family farm for 15 years. He then went on to work at Brenner Tank, where he had made several friends and left a lasting impact in over 25 years working there. He was an active member of Covenant United Methodist Church. Marshall was the type of man who easily made friends and was loved by all who knew him. In his spare time, Marshall enjoyed bowling, having two perfect games, taking care of his lawn, and he loved the Brewers. Traveling to major league stadiums with Deborah was one of his favorite things to do.

He is survived by his wife Deborah, his children: Robert Sullivan of Oshkosh, Caitlin Sullivan (Alex Jameson) of Vancouver, British Columbia and Samantha Sullivan of Seattle, Washington; his grandson Henry, his mother Bonnie Christian of Oshkosh, his brother Mark (Lori) Christian of Oshkosh, his sister Pat (Rick) Bednarek of Princeton, his father and mother-in-law: Robert and Janet Lewis of Fond du Lac, sister-in-law Cheryl Lewis of Fond du Lac, his nieces, and nephews.

He is preceded in death by his father, his brother Douglas Christian, and his sister-in-law Marsha Christian.

VISITATION: The family will greet friends and relatives from 4:00 - 7:00 PM on Thursday, December 21, 2023, at Kurki Funeral Chapel & Crematory, 31 East Division Street, Fond du Lac, and again from 10:00 – 11:00 AM on Friday, December 22, 2023, at Covenant United Methodist Church, 20 North Marr Street, Fond du Lac.

SERVICE: Funeral Services will be held at 11:00 AM on Friday, December 22, 2023, at Covenant United Methodist Church. Cremation will follow the services.

In lieu of flowers, memorials appreciated to SSM Cancer Center, who took great care of him the last two and a half years.

Kurki Funeral Chapel & Crematory is serving the family, on-line guestbook can be found at [www.kurkifuneralchapel.com](http://www.kurkifuneralchapel.com). 920-921-4420

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC **21**. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Kurki Funeral Chapel & Crematory  
31 E. Division Street  
Fond du Lac, WI 54935

## Visitation

DEC **22**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Covenant United Methodist Church  
20 North Marr Street  
Fond du Lac, WI 54935

## Funeral Service

DEC **22**. 11:00 AM (CT)

Covenant United Methodist Church  
20 North Marr Street  
Fond du Lac, WI 54935

# Tribute Wall

MG

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

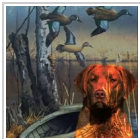


Mary Goebel - December 29, 2023 at 11:30 PM

JK

“ *Prayers for Debbie and the family during this time of grieving and loss.* ”

Joel Krueger - December 26, 2023 at 11:04 AM



“ *Todd McLaughlin lit a candle in memory of Marshall Christian* ”



Todd McLaughlin - December 22, 2023 at 11:02 PM

NS

“ *Dear Caitlin, I am deeply sad to hear about your immeasurable loss. Though I never had the opportunity to meet Mr. Marshall, knowing you I can imagine his awesomeness, the impact he had on you, and the love he gave and received. Sending my heartfelt condolences to you and your family. Please know that you and your family are in my thoughts and prayers. Please take care of yourself and family, and let me know if I can be of any help. Wishing you strength, warmth, and peace during this difficult time. Warmly, Neha Shivhare* ”

Neha Shivhare - December 22, 2023 at 12:42 PM

NS

“ *Neha Shivhare lit a candle in memory of Marshall Christian*



**Neha Shivhare** - December 22, 2023 at 11:41 AM

RR

“ *Ruben Rodriguez lit a candle in memory of Marshall Christian*



**Ruben Rodriguez** - December 22, 2023 at 07:57 AM

DO

“ *Deborah Olson lit a candle in memory of Marshall Christian*



**Deborah A. Olson** - December 21, 2023 at 04:01 PM



“ *Ocean Breeze Spray was purchased for the family of Marshall L. Christian.*



December 21, 2023 at 12:03 PM

BH

“ *Barb Hunn lit a candle in memory of Marshall Christian*



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**Barb Hunn** - December 20, 2023 at 04:20 PM

BW

“ *brittney weeks lit a candle in memory of Marshall Christian*



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**brittney weeks** - December 20, 2023 at 10:30 AM

JF

“ *Jen Ryan Leavitt Family lit a candle in memory of Marshall Christian*



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**Jen & Ryan Leavitt Family** - December 20, 2023 at 09:47 AM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Marshall L. Christian.*



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December 20, 2023 at 06:41 AM

WD

“ Dear Debbie and Family: Our hearts ache for your loss of Marshall. We considered him and told everyone he was our world's best neighbor. We loved Marshall as our brother. We may not be able to cut your lawn 2 or 3 times a week....but we will be there for you...whatever we can do to help. Our deepest sympathy and love, Wendy and Dan

Wendy and Dan - December 19, 2023 at 09:21 PM

LT

Dearest Debbie, No words can describe the loss you and your family must feel with the passing of Marshall. He will be vastly missed by all he loved and befriended, I will especially miss his company on our yearly salmon fishing trips to Algoma Wi. Whenever we would get together those are the first stories that we all relived. Good times were had by all, Fish or no fish it didn't matter. It was always the friendship that mattered. You will be sorely missed but. never forgotten! God Bless. Larry Tobolski and Family

Larry Tobolski - December 20, 2023 at 04:26 PM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Marshall L. Christian.



December 19, 2023 at 09:14 PM

RP

“ Rick and Va Peterson planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Marshall L. Christian.

Rick and Va Peterson - December 19, 2023 at 09:14 PM

KH

“ *Deb, I am holding you and your kids in my heart. Marshall loved you beyond words and I know you loved him in the same way. I am so honored to have known this kind, gentle, sweet man. Sending you my deepest sympathies. Fondly, Kristie Hepp*

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**Kristie Hepp** - December 19, 2023 at 09:13 PM

CH

“ *Cheryl lit a candle in memory of Marshall Christian*



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**Cheryl** - December 19, 2023 at 06:54 PM