



WILLIAM ALAN FRENCH

October 27, 1987 - February 12, 2015

William 'Willy' Alan French

On February 12, 2015, William 'Willy' Alan French, became his mother's guardian angel. Willy succumbed to his life long battle with Cystic Fibrosis. He was surrounded with family and loved ones at his side.

A Celebration of Life will be held on March 7, 2015 at Western Gateway Park in Penn Valley; the potluck will be held from 11:30-4:40pm at the cottage area. Willy was born October 27, 1987, in Woodland Hills, California. His family moved to Nevada County in 1990 when he was 1 ½. He attended Oak Tree School, Nevada Union High School and graduated from Camptonville Academy.

His mother, Kathy, always believed "quality over quantity" and Willy let nothing slow him down! Willy had many passions. He loved skateboarding, snowboarding, air-soft, paintball, wakeboarding and fishing. In his short life, Willy touched so many lives. He had an infectious smile that would light up any room and an amazing sense of humor, making all who met him love him. Even though Willy was only 27, he was brave beyond his years. Towards the end of his days, Willy would spend his time with his longtime girlfriend, Kristen Hamilton, and his step-son, Kameran. They enjoyed watching movies and playing video games.

He is survived by his mother, Kathy French of Grass Valley; father, Roger French of Pahrump, Nevada; aunts and uncles, Donna 'Aunt Donnatello' Martin, Aunt Tina and Uncle Winston Atkins, Uncle Joe French, Aunt Becky

and Uncle Ken Kraft; grandfathers, Floyd Arens and Don French; his fiancé, Kristen Hamilton, step-sons, Kameron Hamilton and Damien Pickens, plus numerous cousins.

Willy was preceded in death by his grandmothers, Betty Jo Arens and Edna Mae French.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Make A Wish Foundation or the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation, Sacramento Chapters in Willy's name.

Arrangements are under the care of Chapel of the Angels Mortuary in Grass Valley.

Tribute Wall

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“ *CHAPEL OF THE ANGELS MORTUARY lit a candle in memory of WILLIAM ALAN FRENCH*



CHAPEL OF THE ANGELS MORTUARY - February 24, 2015 at 05:26 PM