



## J. Adam Ashworth

December 14, 1981 - July 22, 2021

J. Adam Ashworth, 39, passed away peacefully on July 22, 2021, in St. George, Utah, surrounded by his family. Adam was born in St. George on December 14, 1981, to Kenneth B. Ashworth and Jan Walton. He was raised in Santa Clara, Utah, the second of four children.

Adam married the love of his life, Bobbi Anne Orton, in St. George on January 19, 2002. Adam has been a police officer in southern Utah for the last 11 years, serving his community with his whole heart, integrity, and kindness. It's the job he was born to do, and he loved every minute of it! Children had a special place in Adam's heart, and he made sure to always have police badge stickers on hand for them.

As a child, Adam enjoyed football, soccer, baseball, and golf. Baseball and golf remained his passion the rest of his life. Before entering the police force, he and his dad ran a successful welding business.

Adam is survived by: his wife Bobbi; three children Hanna, Mattison, and Jackson; parents Ken and Jan; siblings, Christopher (Sarah), Angela (Corey) Furin, and Nicholas (Tabby); grandma LaVerne Walton; and grandfather Jay (Joice) Walton; and numerous aunts, uncles, cousins, in-laws, nieces, nephews, friends, and one godson. He was preceded in death by loving great-grandparents William Luker and Lena Jones, who taught us all the meaning of

love for family.

We are forever thankful for the time we had with Adam. We also thank his St. George Police Department family, friends, neighbors, IHC medical staff, and the local community.

In lieu of flowers the family requests donations: For the family at <https://www.gofundme.com/f/sgpd-officer-ashworth-covid19-support>, or Shop with a Cop at <https://utahpolicecivilianassociation.org/shop-with-a-cop/>

A visitation will be held Tuesday, August 3, 2021, from 4:00 to 8:00 p.m. at the St. George East Stake Center, 453 S. 300 E., St. George, Utah. Funeral services will be held on Wednesday August 4, 2021 at 11:00 am in the Burns Arena on the Dixie State University Campus, 700 E. 400 S. St. George, Utah. Interment will follow at the Tonaquint Cemetery, 1777 S. Dixie Dr., St. George, Utah.

Funeral services will be available live streaming via Zoom at <https://us06web.zoom.us/j/86759530274?pwd=VWRPdEhyZ2l0QkY0ME9STWNHUGpEdz09>

Meeting ID: 867 5953 0274

Passcode: 027850

The funeral service will also be televised on local television stations.

Family and friends are invited to share tributes online at <https://www.facebook.com/adam.ashworth.90> and [www.SerenityStg.com](http://www.SerenityStg.com).

Funeral arrangements are under the direction of Serenity Funeral Home of Southern Utah, 435-986-9100.

This is the link to watch the recording of the service

[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3iOReyr\\_HL0](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3iOReyr_HL0)

# Cemetery Details

## Tonaquint Cemetery

1777 S. Dixie Drive  
Saint George, UT 84770

# Previous Events

## Visitation

**AUG 3.** 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (MT)

St. George East Stake Center  
449 South 300 East  
Saint George, UT 84770

## Funeral Service

**AUG 4.** 11:00 AM (MT)

Burns Arena on Dixie State University Campus  
700 S. 400 E.  
St. George, UT 84790

# Tribute Wall



“ *Serenity Funeral Home of Southern Utah created a Tribute Video in memory of J. Adam Ashworth*



Serenity Funeral Home of Southern Utah - August 05, 2021 at 12:28 PM

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“ *Dear Ken, Jan and family, We are so sad to hear of the passing of Adam. Our thoughts and prayers are with you at this tender time. He will surely be missed in so many ways. May our Heavenly Father bless and comfort you now and in the times to come. Love, Ray and JaNae Cluff*

Ray and JaNae Cluff - August 02, 2021 at 09:53 PM

GD

“ *Gary, Kathy, Marty, Tyson, Lucy DeLand purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of J. Adam Ashworth.*



Gary, Kathy, Marty, Tyson, Lucy DeLand - July 30, 2021 at 06:41 PM

NV

“ I was a friend of Adam’s at Snow Canyon High School, where he was always funny & kind to me. I remember the way his laugh sounded & he gave me the nickname “Cheerio” because I kept a box of cereal in my locker. He was a good friend to me, he listened & it made me happy to be around him. He was a good guy & I’m so very sorry for his families grief. Sending my deepest condolences & love. ❤️

Nicole Vaterlaus - July 29, 2021 at 07:13 PM

KM

*In 1992-93 I was Adam's 5th grade teacher at Santa Clara Elementary. I remember his athletic abilities, his genuine smile, and his kindness to other 5th graders. He was a joy to have in class and fun out on the playground. I was so proud of him when I learned of his accomplishments as a local police officer. It makes me sad now to think of such a young life too quickly taken. My condolences to his family and loved ones. He will be greatly missed.*

Kelly Mitchell - July 30, 2021 at 03:34 PM

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*I was a friend of Adam's Dad-Ken, Mom-Jan & Grandmother-LaVerne when I worked at Skywest. Adam was a friend to our son Todd...they did bike patrol together with the St George Police Department. Adam will be deeply missed and our thoughts & prayers go out to his family.*

Paula & Jay Pitcher - August 02, 2021 at 05:55 PM