

Skyler James Tibbits was born on April 15th, 1998 in Sidney, MT. He departed this earth far too young at 21 on February 5th, 2020 in Fairview, MT.

Skyler was born a twin one minute before "little" sister, Kaitlyn. That 60 seconds was very important to him, as he wouldn't let Kaitlyn celebrate their birthday until one minute after he started.

He was affectionately called Skyler Bear by his mom, who loved taking pictures of him as he was so photogenic! Being the "eldest" twin, he did everything for his sister. When he was around 3 years old he got into Grandma Deana's utensil drawer, grabbed spatulas and came out of the kitchen announcing "Butt Spankers for everybody"!

There was a natural ease about Skyler. He was an easy baby, a humorous toddler, played sports (running was his passion) and he was an amazing trumpet player. He surprised his mom with numerous solos during school concerts.

Skyler was very inquisitive, always tinkering on a project. He was a true motor head, working on vehicles, even when they seemed beyond repair.

In 2016, the fall after graduation Skyler met the love of his life, Micah Hurley. Skyler and Micah taught each other about love, with him gaining a second family with the Hurley's. They all embraced him and loved him as their own.

Skyler signed up for the Army National Guard completing basic at Fort Leonard Wood in Missouri, returning before their first child, Owen Michael James, was born in July 2017. They welcomed their second son Noah Jared in July 2018.

Skyler was a good dad. The boys loved when he played "monster" and chased them around the house and also liked building legos with them.

Aside from being a good dad, Skyler adored his little brother Wyatt, playing video games and legos with him. He also had a special bond with his brother Gabe, sharing their humor with Dad jokes!

Skyler was employed by Warren Well Services, where he found lifelong friends with his employers and co-workers. They treated him like family.

Skyler will never truly be gone from the ones that had the privilege to know and be loved by him.

Skyler is survived by his fiancé Micah, his two sons Owen and Noah, his parents Julie (Harvey) Asbeck and Jeff Tibbits, sister Kaitlyn (Kade) Swisse, brothers Wyatt and Gabe, maternal grandma Deana Bauer, paternal grandparents Jim and Linda Tibbits, numerous aunts, uncles, cousins and his Hurley family.

Preceded in death by maternal Grandpa Chet Bauer, Uncle James Asbeck, Cousin Ryan Chatterton and his great grandparents.





Skyler Tibbits

Born to Julie Bauer & Jeffrey Tibbits

April 15, 1998~Sidney, Montana

Passed Away

February 5, 2020~East Fairview, North Dakota

Services

10:00AM Tuesday February 11, 2020

Pella Lutheran Church~Sidney, Montana

Officiating

Pastor Audrey Rydbom

Pastor Kelly Sloan

Casketbearers

Gabe Schipman

Sean Lofthus

Zach Mulholland

Kyle Warren

Billy Hanson

Donny Donarski

Honorary Casketbearers

1063rd National Guard Unit

Ushers

Landon Skov

Sterling Sannan

Military Honors

Montana Honor Guard

Luncheon will be served at the church following the service

Interment

Fairview Cemetery

East Fairview, North Dakota



I'm Free

*Don't grieve for me, for now I'm free
I'm following the path God has laid you see.
I took His hand when I heard Him call
I turned my back and left it all.*

*I could not stay another day
To laugh, to love, to work, to play.
Tasks left undone must stay that way
I found that peace at the close of day.*

*If my parting has left a void
Then fill it with remembered joys.
A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss,
O yes, these things I too will miss.*

*Be not burdened with times of sorrow
I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow
My life's been full, I savored much
Good friends, good times, a loved one's touch.*

*Perhaps my time seemed all too brief
Don't lengthen it now with undue grief,
Lift up your hearts and peace to thee
God wanted me now: He set me free...*

