



## Scott Matthew Carlton

March 9, 1971 - July 23, 2020

Scott Matthew Carlton, better known as Scotty to all who knew and loved him, left this wild ride we call life very unexpectedly on July 23rd, 2020. He was born on March 9th, 1971 and spent every one of his 49 years here on Earth living life to the fullest. Scotty attended school in Dixfield. He participated in Odyssey of the Mind during middle school and was the eighth grade winner in the annual prize speaking contest. He excelled at cross country running and wrestling during his high school years. Scotty loved going to camp, snowmobiling, and tagging along with family and friends on any adventure they took.

He loved fiercely and wouldn't hesitate to protect those he loved. He was a son, brother, husband, uncle, grandson, nephew, cousin, and friend. Scotty was so much to so many. He was a free spirit who was known for his infectious laugh, giving the best hugs, and always sharing a good story. You just never knew which parts of the story were true and which parts he may have, let's say, embellished a bit. He was truly one of a kind and that's why so many loved him dearly. Scotty was a talented guitarist and if you never had the opportunity to hear him play, you surely missed out. His passion for music ran deep in his soul and carried him through all of the ups and downs that life brings. From Led Zeppelin and Pantera to James Taylor and Joe Bonamassa, you just never knew what riff, lick, or shred he might play next. Short hair, long hair, he didn't care, but those curls he grew were stunning and a true trademark of the rock star within. You may recall seeing him cruising around in a lime green Camaro, always obeying the speed limit and surely never doing a burnout, after all he loved to remind us that he was a "law abiding citizen" with that mischievous grin on his face. Scotty loved all things Chevy and Ski-Doo, going to concerts and shows, planning for his next big adventure at the Redneck games, and more recently target practicing at the gun range or in his yard. He loved to eat and grill, especially his signature steak, "still mooing" on the inside and charred on the outside.

He was a man of many skills whether that was roofing, carpentry, mechanical work, or manufacturing. Scotty has a lengthy work history which began with employment at Griffin's Gas Service and Holmes Market in Dixfield. More recently he worked for Masterbuilt Construction Inc. and was a long time employee for Jones and Vining Inc. in Lewiston.

Scotty is survived by his parents, Raymond “Tiny” and Joette (Young) Carlton of Hebron; partner Laura Wainwright; brother Michael Carlton of Hebron; sister Amy and husband Chad Pierce (nephew Jake and niece Maci) of Rosharon, Texas. He was predeceased by his paternal grandparents, Kermit and Frances Carlton, of Dixfield and maternal grandparents, George and Ferdona Young, of Mexico.

Death is more universal than life; everyone dies, but not everyone lives (~Alan Sachs). It goes without saying that Scotty truly lived. We all know how much he enjoyed carousing, so all who wish to honor Scotty’s life are invited to turn up the music, raise a glass, hug their loved ones, and share memories of his life at the place of your choosing. And just remember, the song may have ended, but the melody lingers on...

# Comments

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“ The Ellis neighbors are saddened of the loss of your son. May you all be able to grieve not with sadness but with joyful memories . God Bless your families through this journey. Steve, Melinda and family.

**Melinda Ellis** - August 05, 2020 at 09:02 AM

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“ Scott was also survived by his Father Bob Fulton..brothers Robert Fulton n Thomas Fulton and sister Jessica Fulton..who all loved him very much!

**Tom Fulton** - August 03, 2020 at 10:26 AM



“ Well said Thomas! Even though he was giving the carlton name... he was a Fulton through and through! There wasn't a Christmas or an Easter or Thanksgiving that went by, that Scotty wasn't at our home. He enjoyed being himself and being with the family that accepted him and all his antics. Our house will be quiet during the upcoming holiday's..... he will be missed deeply!! He always said " death by rock n roll" Scotty loved, respected and cherished his little brother Tommy, and that was 100% true!! My heart is saddened to know that some have separated the fact that scotty has another family, and he wanted nothing more than to have both families bonded by his love for each. Life may take us to different places, and may have its challenges, but through all of that scotty Always made sure he kept close to those who loved him!!

**Tiffany Fulton** - August 03, 2020 at 10:55 AM



“ It's funny that since he was the age of 18, he was a Fulton. The fact that our family and father was snubbed is unforgivable. We loved him as the brother he was to us. Well said, Tiff. Rest In Peace bro.

**robert fulton** - August 03, 2020 at 08:56 PM

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“ My heart and my love is with you all in such a time unimaginable. I will believe in and pray for your love and connections to keep you finding the sustenance and the strength to carry forward cradling the memories and the beauty you shared. I am deeply saddened and short on words to offer that speak my flood of emotions. May Love and Light be yours. Toni Child Robertson

**Toni Robertson** - August 03, 2020 at 06:21 AM