



Jeffrey S. Dew

August 10, 1963 - February 11, 2015

Devoted husband and father, Jeffrey S. Dew, passed in peace Wednesday, February 11, 2015, at the age of 51.

Jeff was born August 10, 1963 in Monroe, MI. He will be greatly missed and remembered by family and friends as a loving husband, father, generous friend and dedicated Manager of Gordon Food Service. Jeff was also an active Disney enthusiast, along with occasionally swimming out to the island at Loma Linda's.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Robert and Mary Lou Dew and by his brother, Mark Dew. He is survived by his wife, Robin (Shindledecker) Dew; son and daughter, Jeffrey and Amanda Dew; his dog, Westie; brother, Michael (Elaine) Dew, as well as, nieces and nephews.

Friends may visit at the Coyle Funeral Home, 1770 S. Reynolds Rd., on Sunday, February 15th from 2-8 p.m. Funeral services will be held on Monday, February 16th beginning at 9:30 a.m., in the mortuary, followed by a Funeral Mass at St. Patrick of Heatherdowns Church at 10 a.m. Interment Ottawa Hills Memorial Park.

Memorials may take the form of contributions to the Dew family or to St. Jude's Children Research Hospital.

Cemetery Details

Ottawa Hills Memorial Park

4210 W Central Ave
Toledo, OH 43606

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB **15**. 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Coyle Funeral and Cremation Services
1770 S. Reynolds Road
Toledo, OH 43614
(419) 865-1295
<https://www.coylefuneralhome.com>

Funeral

FEB **16**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Patrick of Heatherdowns Church

Tribute Wall



Amanda
Dew

“ *I love you dad*

Amanda Dew - February 20, 2015 at 11:24 AM

CO

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Coyle - February 16, 2015 at 01:45 PM

PL

“ *Dear Robin and family, our deepest sympathy, for the passing of Jeff.
He was an dear friend over the years.
From Lorentz family St. Anne's, Monroe*

pete Lorentz - February 16, 2015 at 10:44 AM

SH

“ *Dear Robin, Jeffery and Amanda,
We are so sad to hear of Jeff's passing.
Our thoughts and prayer go out to all of you.
With love,
Sue and Tope Hallett and all the girls.*

Susan Hallett - February 15, 2015 at 07:53 PM

SH

“ Susan Hallett lit a candle in memory of Jeffrey S. Dew



Susan Hallett - February 15, 2015 at 07:43 PM

KT

“ Dear Robin, Jeff and Amanda,

I am deeply sorry for your loss. Jeff always talked about his family and he loved all of you so much! He had a deep sense of empathy for those who needed help, and he always went the extra mile to do the right thing. I will always remember the great times at GFS when I worked out of the back sales office in Monroe. Jeff brightened the day for all, and he would always make us laugh about everyday life events. He was genuine through and through. I pray God's comfort on your family. He will truly be missed by all.

Kim Tuttle / Monroe, MI

Kim Tuttle - February 15, 2015 at 02:22 PM

LS

“ Robin and family. Words of encouragement from Jeff's Mother led me to meet Jeff at the GFS Marketplace Store. Wow!! Such a humble, warm and dynamic individual in a body of spirit and love. I worked with Jeff for many years and it remains my honor to have had such an experience. Jeff will always be a part of GFS and Monroe County history for year to come. May you and yours know Jeff's presence will be missed; but he will always be a wonderful memory in our hearts.

Linda Schafer

Linda Schafer - February 15, 2015 at 01:47 PM

MS

“ I am so sorry for your loss. Jeff was always so pleasant and happy every time we talked with him at Gordons whether it was Monroe or his latest store. Your family will remain in my thoughts and prayers.
Mike Sheldon

Mike Sheldon - February 15, 2015 at 01:31 PM

SC

“ I was so shocked when I looked in the obituary page and saw this gentleman with a familiar smile staring at me. A pain of sadness went through my heart as I realized it was Jeff. We became friends when He managed the Gordon Alexis store. As I frequent shop at the store for my business, I could always count on Jeff to assist me in whatever I needed. Regardless of what time of day you met him, he was always delightful with that special smile. He made you feel welcome and appreciated. When he later moved to the Central location, I made sure to stop in to see him. To know him was to love him. He will be greatly missed. Jeffery fulfill the words of Jesus, "Blessed is the pure in heart for they shall see God". To his family and love ones, I am praying for you strength and deliverance that the Lord will lift the heavy burden and bring you through this hard period. Know that Jesus Loved Him best.
Pastor Susan Coleman

susan coleman - February 15, 2015 at 01:22 AM

JH

“ Our deepest sympathies to Robin, Jeff and Amanda. Jeff will be missed by many, and his unique ways of making one smile and feel welcome will also be missed.
Jim, Christine, Andrew and Caroline Hunt

Jim Hunt - February 14, 2015 at 08:51 PM

SA

“ *Rest in peace my friend. I will always remember the Monroe Gordon Food service days.*

Sara Accardo(waldecker)

sara Accardo - February 14, 2015 at 04:37 PM

PC

“ *I was so sorry to hear of Mr. Dew's passing. He was always a very supportive parent to the Jr. High teachers at St. Pat's. We always knew we could count on him for a chaperone, a helping hand or anything else we might need. I will keep he and your family in my prayers. Pam Ciepichal (Mrs. C).*

Pam Ciepichal - February 14, 2015 at 08:27 AM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Jeffrey S. Dew.*



February 13, 2015 at 03:22 PM

DL

“ Robin and Family,
My Deepest Sympathy to you all. Jeff was always such a kind and caring man, eager to help in any way possible. I have know Jeff since he started at the GFS Alexis store, he was not just and employee or the manager Jeff was a friend and a very good one at that.
Weather it was the fun times in doing inventory or testing out new products, Jeff always had a friendly smile and a kind work. Knowing Jeff was an honor and a privilege and I know he will be missed by many. My thoughts and prayers are with you, as Jeff enters the Kingdom of our Lord, God speed my friend til we meet again.
Dennis Lange

Dennis Lange - February 13, 2015 at 11:18 AM

AH

“ You are all in our thoughts and prayers. Jeff was a kind, fun-loving man. He always brought a smile to our faces. May you find peace in this difficult time.

Amy Hager - February 13, 2015 at 11:17 AM

WL

“ With everlasting love. purchased the Secret Garden Basket for the family of Jeffrey S. Dew.



With everlasting love. - February 13, 2015 at 10:36 AM

MF

“ *Meredith Family purchased the Sweet Tranquility Basket for the family of Jeffrey S. Dew.*



Meredith Family - February 13, 2015 at 10:07 AM

JP

“ *It was a pleasure working with Jeff. I have learned so much from him in the years. His passion for his family and care for his customers was truly inspiring. He was a kind and loving man, and has touched the hearts of many. He will be greatly missed.*

Jill Penrose - February 13, 2015 at 08:22 AM

EP

“ *I'm so sorry to hear of Jeff's passing and your loss. I had the pleasure of knowing and occasionally working with Jeff for many years. He was a good man and store manager.*

My prayers go out to your entire family.

Ed Pierson

Ed Pierson - February 13, 2015 at 08:20 AM

CH

“ *I was deeply saddened by the news of Jeff's passing, he will be greatly missed, you and your family are in my thoughts & my prayers.*

Christine Hill

Christine Hill - February 13, 2015 at 06:25 AM

PR

“ *Very sorry to hear of Jeff's passing, my thoughts and prayers are with you and your family during this difficult time.*

Pam Ramaker

Pam Ramaker - February 13, 2015 at 05:50 AM

PA

“ *Love ya boss*

Patrick - February 12, 2015 at 09:01 PM

RB

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Russell Bless - February 12, 2015 at 05:07 PM

RB

A True Friend that was passionate about everything he was involved with! Will be truly missed...

Russell Bless - February 12, 2015 at 05:16 PM

LA

I've know Jeff since I started with GFS 23 years ago and he will be so missed! He always made a great sounding board for us at Home Office :) My prayers are with his family and the store team who will miss seeing him each day. Laura Amos

Laura Amos - February 13, 2015 at 09:47 AM

DA

I met Jeff while he was at the Monroe store on telegraph, he was a Force of fun, Laughs, energy and kindness. Always willing to help out. He always spoke highly about his family. He left a legacy of how to be of service, May he RIP. Our thoughts and prayers to you Robin and his family and friends

Dannielle - February 14, 2015 at 02:29 PM

NB

“I've known Jeff for close to 20 years , I'm sorry to hear of his passing? Haven gained a true angel. He even took the time to send me a quick note on my retirement, class act he was! He will be missed by a lot of friends " " My sympathy to you all"
Norma Birce

norma birce - February 12, 2015 at 04:51 PM

JG

“Robin, We are so very sorry to hear of Jeff's sudden and unexpected passing. We will miss the passion that he brought to leading his team. We appreciate the chance we had to get to know you and Jeff at the various company events and trips. We are a better organization because of Jeff's contribution. He will be missed! We will be praying for you and your children in the days ahead, that the Lord will meet all of your needs.

Jim Gordon - February 12, 2015 at 04:34 PM

EG

“ I met Jeff when I first started with GFS. We ended up in a similar meeting together that was "eventful". Every time I saw him after that we laughed about it and he always had a warm word or funny story to share with me. I will miss seeing him. I will keep your family in my thoughts a prayers- he touched a lot of lives.
Emily Gross- GFS

Emily Gross - February 12, 2015 at 04:22 PM

GS

“ So sad to hear of your loss. Jeff was a fellow manager and a good man. His loss will not be easily healed across all aspects of his life. Our prayers and sympathy are with you in this most difficult time.

Greg Smail - February 12, 2015 at 04:04 PM



“ I'm so sorry for your loss. I worked with Jeff for about 15 years with Gordon Food Service and Jeff was always one of my friends here. He was always smiling, encouraging, laughing. I think he always smiled. He was dedicated to his family (I remember him sharing some moments) and to his work (he was a professional!). I will see you on the other side of this life, Jeff, now that you're in God's kingdom of paradise.

Terry Beach Jenkins - February 12, 2015 at 03:12 PM

CA

“ I was shocked to hear of Jeff's passing. My sympathy to the family and friends. I've work with Jeff for over 10 years at GFS and he will be missed. I will remember Jeff for his loyalty to GFS, strong work ethic and "thrifty" approach to business and finance management. Farewell my Christian friend and I look forward to seeing you again.

Carey Ade / Gordon Food Service Store Facility Manager

Carey Ade - February 12, 2015 at 02:34 PM

FP

Robin, Amanda and Jeffrey, So sorry to hear of the passing of your beloved husband and father. My sincere sympathy to you and his remaining extended family.

Freda Pollauf - February 12, 2015 at 02:58 PM

DR

I will miss Jeff's calls to our store and hearing the sunshine in his voice, his buttons, his laugh and his jokes. I only ever seen positive in Jeff. He will be missed Dearly. Dew Dew, My nick name for Jeff, may you rest with the angels and be at peace. To your family, I offer my sympathy. His smile lives in my memory! You were a sweet man..... RIH, Jeffery Dew... You are missed so much already.

Debra Radtke_Brighton - February 12, 2015 at 08:16 PM

JC

Robin, Jeffrey, and Amanda, I'm still sick to think that we won't see Jeff every day and can only imagine what you're experiencing. The good news though, I'm sure Jeff is in heaven enjoying his parents again. Their gain is our loss. He would have been thrilled by the outpour of love that I've seen in just these 2 days for him. Until we see him again, please know that I am available to talk, hang out, or joke about the silly things Jeff would do to get a rise our smile out of everyone.

Jess Conley - February 12, 2015 at 09:31 PM



May god bless Jeff's family and friends. He will be missed. Jim and Patti Holt

Jim Holt - February 13, 2015 at 08:38 AM

RD

Robin, You and Jeff have been the best "second parents" that Nick, Brooke and kids have. It was a comfort knowing that you were across the street if they needed you. I will greatly miss Jeff's great smile and conversations with him. You will be in my prayers.

Rollie Denker - February 13, 2015 at 09:58 AM

KK

Robin, Stacey and I were so sorry to hear of Jeff's passing. He truly set the bar for building relationships that will leave an everlasting impression on family, friends, coworkers, and customers alike. It seems as though it was only yesterday that we were celebrating your achievements in San Antonio. May God be with you and your family as you mourn the loss and celebrate the life of a great man!

Kevin Kolenda - February 13, 2015 at 12:32 PM

GE

First met Jeff at the Alexis store. He was extremely helpful, great laugh and sense of humor. I frequently visit the Central Avenue GFS, and know the leadership and customer service he provided will be truly missed. Prayers for the family and friends.

Gordon Ebright - February 14, 2015 at 03:59 PM

GM

I've known Jeff for 23 years while at Gordon Food Service. Working in the same market as Jeff, we confided in each other to help each other get through the day to day struggles or offer suggestions to better our stores. I admired Jeff for his Christian and family values along with his dedication to his job. He was so proud of his kids and their accomplishments. I have always been amazed by the number of people he knew in the community and how he impacted their lives. He always volunteered for church functions or community events. Jeff was all about customer service. He had the "whatever it takes" attitude to take care of them. As a manager, he impacted so many fellow managers and associates in their careers. He always put them first before his own needs. I will miss Jeff. He was truly a good friend. Robin, my thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.

Gary Mazur - February 15, 2015 at 10:18 AM