



## Jeremy M. Oden

March 25, 1981 - May 17, 2020

Jeremy M. Oden, age 39, of Huntington, died at 1:51 a.m. Sunday, May 17, 2020 at his home.

Visitation will be from 3 – 7 p.m. Wednesday, May 20, 2020 at Bailey-Love Mortuary, 35 West Park Drive, Huntington, Indiana, 46750. Graveside services will be held at 11 a.m. Thursday, May 21, 2020 in Mt. Calvary Cemetery in Huntington with Rev. Raymond Scribner officiating.

Preferred memorials are to American Diabetes Association, in care of Bailey-Love Mortuary, 35 West Park Drive, Huntington, Indiana, 46750.

Jeremy was born on March 25, 1981 in Huntington, the son of Michael H. and Donna J. (Buzzard) Oden. He graduated from Huntington North High School in 2000 and spent a year studying at Ball State University in Muncie before transferring to Indiana-Purdue University Fort Wayne, where he earned a degree in Mechanical Engineering. He married Tammy M. Forbes on January 12, 2008 in Huntington. Jeremy worked as a design engineer at Navistar in Fort Wayne for three years. He then spent eight years as a senior design engineer at DePuy Synthes in Warsaw, where he developed several patented instruments. He enjoyed indie rock music, Star Wars, and fishing. He was a Chicago Cubs baseball fan and he loved his grandson.

Surviving in Huntington are his wife, Tammy Oden of Huntington, his children, Scot M. Forbes and Stephaine Davenport, his parents, Michael and Donna Oden, brothers Jason (Brittany) Oden and Jared Oden, a sister, Janell Oden, a step-sister, Heather Clark, grandparents Herbert and Virginia Oden and Jean Ann Buzzard, a grandson, Benjamin Forbes, and nephews Ross Oden and Bryson Oden.

# Cemetery Details

## Mt. Calvary Cemetery

5025 N. Goshen Rd  
Huntington, IN 46750

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAY **20**. 3:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Adkins Bailey-Love Mortuary  
35 West Park Drive  
Huntington, IN 46750  
(260) 356-1710  
wecare@baileylove.com  
<https://www.baileylove.com>

## Service

MAY **21**. 11:00 AM (ET)

Mt. Calvary Cemetery  
5025 N. Goshen Rd  
Huntington, IN 46750

# Tribute Wall

RG

“ I am truly sorry to hear about your passing. You were always one of the most genuinely good people I have ever met. My heart goes out to your family, friends, and loved ones.

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**Ryan Green** - June 01, 2020 at 05:43 PM

TS

“ To Jeremy's family and friends our thoughts and prayers are with you. Terry and Sue



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**Terry E Scher** - May 24, 2020 at 05:37 AM

FR

“ Fred lit a candle in memory of Jeremy M. Oden



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**Fred** - May 22, 2020 at 03:00 PM

AS

“ From a handsome ring bearer to the amazing man he became. He will always have a special place in my heart. Words cannot express how sorry we are for your loss. Heaven gained an amazing angel.

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**Andrea Schlemmer** - May 21, 2020 at 11:24 AM

GH

“ *Gene And Carole Harmon lit a candle in memory of Jeremy M. Oden*



Gene and Carole Harmon - May 21, 2020 at 10:25 AM



“ *Sarah Shake lit a candle in memory of Jeremy M. Oden*



Sarah Shake - May 21, 2020 at 08:35 AM

SH

“ *We started as co-workers that became friends that became family. I am incredibly grateful for the 20 years we had together and saddened by the years we've now lost. Until we meet again my dear brother, God bless!*



Scott Haskett - May 20, 2020 at 11:41 PM

JM

“ *Mick, you and your family have my sympathy.*

*John Myers (Arm)*

John Myers - May 20, 2020 at 11:00 PM

YJ

“ *Your Bro Jared sent a virtual gift in memory of Jeremy M. Oden*



**Your bro jared** - May 20, 2020 at 09:22 PM

JB

“ *Jared Your Bro sent a virtual gift in memory of Jeremy M. Oden*



**Jared your bro** - May 20, 2020 at 09:21 PM

DA

“ *Dad sent a virtual gift in memory of Jeremy M. Oden*



**Dad** - May 20, 2020 at 09:19 PM

Jane Bustos

“ *Sending thoughts and prayers to you all at the very difficult time. With deepest sympathy, Richard & Jane Bustos and family.*



**Jane Bustos** - May 20, 2020 at 08:49 PM



“ There are no words to express how deeply your passing has devastated the people that Love you! I will forever miss your beautiful smiles and the wonderful loving man you were. Forever in my heart. With deepest sadness, Love, Aunt Kathy/Wifey

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**Kathy Turner** - May 20, 2020 at 02:27 PM

AL

“ Aunt Kathy/Wifey and Laura purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Jeremy M. Oden.



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**Aunt Kathy/Wifey and Laura** - May 20, 2020 at 02:20 PM

DH

“ Deanna Herendeen lit a candle in memory of Jeremy M. Oden



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**Deanna Herendeen** - May 20, 2020 at 12:59 PM

SF

“ Suzanne And John Flory lit a candle in memory of Jeremy M. Oden



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**Suzanne and John Flory** - May 20, 2020 at 08:26 AM

JF

“ I just learned of Jeremy's death this morning.. still in shock! He was so young, i didn't see this coming. I worked with Jeremy for a few years at JNJ. Very nice young man.. i always enjoyed running into him at work, and chatting with him about all things Star Wars. My sympathies to his family and friends.

john flory - May 20, 2020 at 08:18 AM

TN

“ Takayuki Nakamura purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of Jeremy M. Oden.



Takayuki Nakamura - May 20, 2020 at 08:05 AM

HI

“ Harry Terri Tyler and Izzy purchased the Blue Caribbean Bouquet for the family of Jeremy M. Oden.



Harry Terri Tyler and Izzy - May 19, 2020 at 08:17 PM

JG

“ So sad to hear of Jeremy's passing. He was the kindest man, such a gentle soul. Best smile! My thoughts and prayers are with his loved ones. Rest in peace Jeremy

Joy Gabet - May 19, 2020 at 06:16 PM

JG

“ *Joy Gabet lit a candle in memory of Jeremy M. Oden*



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**Joy Gabet** - May 19, 2020 at 06:13 PM

DH

“ *Deanna Herendeen lit a candle in memory of Jeremy M. Oden*



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**Deanna Herendeen** - May 19, 2020 at 05:09 PM

ER

“ *Erica Roche purchased the Cherished Memories for the family of Jeremy M. Oden.*



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**Erica Roche** - May 19, 2020 at 04:53 PM



“ *Jeremy had a profound impact on anyone that he came into contact with. He truly didn't have a bad bone in his body and wanted to help anyone who needed it. This is exemplified in the number of people in the office that interacted with Jeremy on an everyday basis, coming to him not only with any type of work related question but also for questions not relating to work at all. What is truly inspiring is that Jeremy was there for anyone who needed it regardless of what type of day he was having himself. With so many health complications I can only imagine the amount of times Jeremy selflessly put someone else's needs above his own. It is sad beyond words to see someone pass away, especially so young, but all I can hope is that he is in a better place without pain.*

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**Cole** - May 19, 2020 at 03:08 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Jeremy M. Oden.*



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May 19, 2020 at 01:32 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Jeremy M. Oden.*



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May 19, 2020 at 12:58 PM

GB

“ *Grandma Buzzard lit a candle in memory of Jeremy M. Oden*



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**Grandma Buzzard** - May 19, 2020 at 12:25 PM

DD

“ *My heart is heavy with sadness! I will definitely miss Jeremy.*

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**Denice Drummond** - May 19, 2020 at 12:21 PM

DD

“ *Denice Drummond lit a candle in memory of Jeremy M. Oden*



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**Denice Drummond** - May 19, 2020 at 12:13 PM

DT

“ *DePuy Synthes Knee Global Strategic Marketing Team purchased the Your Light Shines for the family of Jeremy M. Oden.*



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**DePuy Synthes Knee Global Strategic Marketing Team** - May 19, 2020 at 12:13 PM

MO

“ Mom sent a virtual gift in memory of Jeremy M. Oden



Mom - May 19, 2020 at 11:37 AM

LI

“ Jeremy was a joy to work with and one of the nicest human beings I have ever had the pleasure of meeting. He was also incredibly talented. Thoughts and prayers are with Jeremy and his entire family.



Liam - May 19, 2020 at 10:45 AM

KC

“ Kevin Cooney lit a candle in memory of Jeremy M. Oden



Kevin Cooney - May 19, 2020 at 10:37 AM

TF

“ The Cooney family purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Jeremy M. Oden.



The Cooney family - May 19, 2020 at 10:35 AM

RW

“ I had the pleasure of working at DePuy with Jeremy- he always made an effort to say hello, make a joke and was always smiling! Deepest condolence to his family during these times, he will be sadly missed by his friends and co-workers here at DePuy.

Ryan Westby - May 19, 2020 at 09:59 AM

MO

“ My beloved son my heart hurts so much right now knowing I won't see your beautiful smile, your funny faces you make, your hugs and kisses. I didn't want you to leave my heart is so broken knowing I won't see you,until we meet again which will be a glorious day of much happiness. I'll remember all the happy times we had and never forget you for you will always be on my mind everyday of the rest of my life.I love you more than life. I will miss you always,so this is not goodbye this is until we meet again.With all my love mom

Mom - May 18, 2020 at 11:35 PM

RO

“ Ross Oden lit a candle in memory of Jeremy M. Oden



Ross oden - May 18, 2020 at 11:11 PM

MO

“ Mom lit a candle in memory of Jeremy M. Oden



Mom - May 18, 2020 at 11:09 PM

KH

“ Tammy, Donna Mic and family..my heart is broken for you all. I always loved Jeremy, such a sweet guy. I can still see him working at Owens....always had a smile on his face..God Bless you all.  
Love, Kathy LeCount Harper

kathy harper - May 18, 2020 at 05:27 PM

KH

“ Kathy Harper lit a candle in memory of  
Jeremy M. Oden



kathy harper - May 18, 2020 at 05:18 PM

AB

“ You always showed love to me like a brother would and I'm sad that we are missing out on time we could have spent together. You were an amazing friend to Kenny...I watched him just come to life around you. I wish you were here. You are and always will be considered a blessing to our family and to us. Rest In Peace, brother.



Andrea Belford - May 18, 2020 at 04:19 PM

TF

“ Tyler Boggs & Family purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Jeremy M. Oden.



Tyler Boggs & Family - May 18, 2020 at 04:14 PM

FZ

“ I had the great pleasure of working with Jeremy for over 5 years at DePuy Synthes. In that time I don't think I ever saw Jeremy in a bad mood. He immediately made everyone feel welcome and was friendly to everyone in the office. He was a fantastic employee, very skilled in his trade of Mechanical Design, but above all - he was an AWESOME person. I will miss his wit and humor, as well as the many toys and Star Wars memorabilia that were spread in his work cubicle. I will forever cherish the too short time with Jeremy, and take his examples of being positive, witty, and overall kind to all those around him.

*My DEEPEST condolences in this unimaginable time for all who knew Jeremy, especially his immediate family.*

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**Fernando Zapari** - May 18, 2020 at 03:56 PM

TS

“ Mickey and family:  
I am sorry for your loss.

*Tim Shideler  
Queen Creek, AZ*

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**Tim Shideler** - May 18, 2020 at 02:33 PM

JW

“ I haven't seen Jeremy in some years now but are family used to hang out all the time! As everyone gets older and get there own families we tend to stray apart. I remember lots of stories with the Oden family and many great times! Life is to short to fast so cherish every moment! We love you all very much and will be thinking of all of you! Jeremy you will be greatly missed and we will see you again!

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**Justin Waikel** - May 18, 2020 at 10:49 AM



“ *Large Basket Garden was purchased for the family of Jeremy M. Oden.*



May 18, 2020 at 10:38 AM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Jeremy M. Oden.*



May 18, 2020 at 08:38 AM



“ *Nancy Chenoweth lit a candle in memory of Jeremy M. Oden*



**Nancy Chenoweth** - May 18, 2020 at 08:14 AM



“ *Ross Oden lit a candle in memory of Jeremy M. Oden*



**Ross Oden** - May 17, 2020 at 08:13 PM

MD

“ Mom N Dad lit a candle in memory of Jeremy M. Oden



Mom n Dad - May 17, 2020 at 08:12 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Jeremy M. Oden.



May 17, 2020 at 06:16 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Jeremy M. Oden.



May 17, 2020 at 05:30 PM

NC

“ Jeremy use to work for me many moons ago, he never let me down, the group of kids that work for me back then actually wanted to work, was so sad when Jeremy had to leave, but so happy for him for going on to bigger and better things, you made everyone proud Jeremy, and will be missed by many, Heaven received a special Angel, fly high my friend.

Nancy Chenoweth - May 17, 2020 at 05:22 PM

WM

“ Wayne McLaughlin lit a candle in memory of  
Jeremy M. Oden



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Wayne McLaughlin - May 17, 2020 at 04:42 PM