



REMEMBERING Neil Jeffrey

February 7, 1972 - April 16, 2021



Tribute from Wiebe and Jeske Funeral Home

Wiebe and Jeske Funeral Home Staff send our condolences to family and friends.

Tribute from Lore Neufeld

Relation: Rita is my cousin

Rita, we are so sorry to hear of you and your family's loss. Our hearts are breaking for you. Neil was such a lovely person. You are all in our thoughts.

Tribute from Jane A'Bear

Relation: Longtime friend

So very to hear of Neil's sudden passing. We were childhood friends and neighbors in Surrey and White Rock. I will always remember him as a fun-loving guy who adored his family! Rest in peace, Neil.

Tribute from Gail Diane Hardy

Relation: Family neighbours.

My heartfelt sadness cannot express how sorry I am for your loss.. I have known Neil since he was a toddler that grew up to be an amazing young man. May you all find comfort with your faith and familyGail

Tribute from Dawn Vokey

Relation: friend

Dear Rita, Kaylie and Emma, please accept our sincerest condolences. We are deeply saddened to hear this news and can only imagine how devastating Neil's loss is to all of you. We knew him to be a good man, a man who loved his family, and a man who had the biggest smile. Our thoughts and prayers go out to all of you.

Tribute from Laith (LEO) Ghazali

Relation: co worker

My deepest condolence to the family. Neil was a great loving guy. He will be missed for sure.

Tribute from Debbie

Relation: past co worker

Neil was always so kind and helpful to the clients that he saw and also to the staff at Options. He touched many lives and did make a difference. Sorry for your loss.

Tribute from Daniel Anctil

Relation: Worked in the same office in Newton

My heartfelt condolences to all his family. Neil was a delight to have at our Newton office when he worked here. He always lifted my spirits and I always felt he was really present and attentive during our conversations. Our lunch room conversation were uplifting and encouraging. I remember him helping me out in carving a turkey as I got sidetracked in a work issue as we were getting ready to celebrate a holiday at this location. It was not a problem for him to step in an help and he did it with a smile on his face. I was sadden when he left our office as he was so encouraging to me and I enjoyed our philosophical conversations on world events and situations. He had a positive impact on most of the people he came into contact with. He had such a positive impact on me. He made a difference in the lives of so many in the care and compassion he treated everyone with. He is, and will continue to be missed. Again, I offer my condolences and prayers that all your family find comfort in this difficult time. Daniel Anctil

Tribute from Catherine Burke

Relation: Worked together

My condolences go out to his family! I had the pleasure of meeting Neil and working with him . He was a wonderful person!

Tribute from Leona

Relation: Work with Rita

Rita and family, my heartfelt condolences to you.

Tribute from Laurie Warkentin

Relation: Rita is my cousin.

Rita, Words are never good enough to express how so very sorry we are for your loss. With love,
Laurie (Kris, Bennett, and Ryan)

Tribute from Paul and Shirley Weme

Relation: friend

Rita, praying for you in days ahead. so sorry to hear of your loss.

Tribute from Myrtle-Anne Rempel

Relation: Friend

He was a wonderful man and will be missed by all who knew him. Hugs to you all

Tribute from Tim and Sylvia Smith

Relation: Rita is my cousin

Rita, we are so sorry to hear this news. We are praying for you; for peace and that the God of comfort would be exactly that to you right now.

Tribute from Angela Uncles

Relation: Colleague

I worked with Neil at Options Community Services and had lunch with him every day prior to the pandemic. He was a great guy, very caring, and a loss to humanity as a whole today. My condolences to his close friends and family at this difficult time. Rest in peace, Neil.

Tribute from Elysa Philip

Relation: Childhood friend and past co worker.

I had the wonderful opportunity to grow up with Neil and his brother on the same street in the cedar hills area. He was always one of the nicest, kindest kids around!

Then Neil and I connected again by working together at Options , where we were able to reminisce about the good ole days . I remember When Neil spoke about his wife and kids , his whole face lit up with such love and pride !!

My thoughts go out to you , Neil's family... may you always know that Neil was an incredible, generous proud man , well respected by so many people . My thoughts are with you during this incredibly difficult and sad time.

Tribute from Ryan Jeffrey

Relation: Cousin

We are all so saddened to hear of Neil's sudden passing. My brothers and I all have great memories of Neil from when we were all kids, especially at our grandparents' home in Calgary. You will be missed always

Tribute from Stacey Stenabaugh

Relation: Co-worker

I am so sorry for your loss. I worked with Neil at CCS. Neil cherished his family and my thoughts are with you at this difficult time.

Tribute from Terry and Debbie Radtke

Relation: friends from Southridge Fellowship Baptist

We were so deeply saddened to hear about the loss of Neil. It was a joy to watch Rita and Neil meet and fall in love. We will be praying for you Rita, your girls and the rest of the family as you mourn. So much love to you!

Tribute from Mark and Vivian Robinson

Relation: Friend from church

So sorry to hear of your great loss! Heart-felt condolences. Neil was a gentle and kind-hearted man of God. We will miss him dearly and will always cherish his godly example.

Tribute from Angie

Relation: co worker

Neil was such a wonderful person. He always offered his time whenever you asked for it. Any time I would be walking through the halls or in the lunch room he would be the first person to say hello and ask you how you were doing. I feel like he was always the person to who make room for you. Just a genuinely inclusive and kind individual. I am thinking of the family during this time.

Tribute from Sarj D.

Relation: Co-worker

My thoughts are with you and your family during this difficult time. He was very compassionate in assisting our clients at Options Community Services. Cherish his fond memories. Neil may you rest in peace.

Tribute from Heidi Calzavara

Relation: Work with Rita

So very sorry for your loss. Your family is in my prayers.

Tribute from Sandra

Relation: Past co-worker

My deepest condolences to the family. Neil was a kind and gentle soul who has helped many people throughout the years.

Tribute from Sandy Dion

Relation: Co-Worker

Sending heartfelt condolences to Rita, his girls, family and friends. Neil cherished family, helping others and laughter beyond all else. His legacy of helping where and when he could, ripples far out into the world.

Tribute from Linda Anderson

Relation: Ex co-worker at Options Community Services

I just wanted to send my condolences to all of Neil's family. I diidn't know him well but what I did know of him was that he was a kind, thoughtful and caring person. I worked in the same building with him. He always had time to talk and had a great sense of humour. I think he was a great guy and I'm so sorry for you loss.

Tribute from Tammy Dyer

Relation: former co worker

Neil was a valued member of our Options family. His friendly outgoing personality made his co workers and clients feel welcome. I always appreciated Neil's willingness to chip in with any extra tasks that needed doing at the office. Personally I knew I could count on Neil to help out in the kitchen at any of our Social Committee events. To Neil's family; I hope you find comfort knowing that your loved one made a difference in so many people's lives. He will be missed.

Tribute from Ken and Darlene Fach

Relation: Rita's mother is my first cousin

Rita and family - Peter and Ruth - a loss for you all. We were saddened to hear the news about Neil.
Rita - I met Neil when I was visiting your church with your mom and dad several years ago. It was a beautiful day - we were outside for a picnic after church. For sure this is a difficult time and our prayers are with you.

Tribute from Anita Moore

Relation: Former Co-worker

Rita and family. I'm so very sorry to hear about Neil's sudden passing. My heartfelt condolences to all who loved him. Such a great guy to work with!

Tribute from Rebecca Sutherland

Relation: Coworker

I had the privilege of working with Neil for this past while and I can honestly say he is one of the most kind human beings I have met. He certainly always had everyone's best interest in mind and was always there to lend a helping hand. He was an invaluable member of the team and I am so sad to have to say goodbye. My condolences to his family who are suffering from this tremendous loss.

Tribute from Steve Moore

Relation: Rita introduced me to Neil at our company Christmas party pre-covid.

I met Neil at our MLL company Christmas dinner prior to Covid. To say he left a positive impression is an understatement. I most definitely remember his humour and laugh - and discussions of food and wine! My condolences to Rita, Kaylie and Emma and your family and friends.

Tribute from Fernanda Capela

Relation: Past co-worker

My deepest condolences to the family. Neil always had a smile to share and his caring for others will never be forgotten.

Tribute from Ingrid and James Baerg

Relation: Through South Langley Church

Dear Rita, girls, Peter and Ruth and all your family. We are deeply saddened for you and have been praying much comfort and many arms to surround you with God's love and care. We enjoyed Neil and his enthusiasm at Family fun fair in the kitchen committee and his participation at SLC. We continue to hold you all in our prayers.

Ingrid and James Baerg

Tribute from Vic and Donna Kopp

Relation: friend from church

Beautiful tribute to Neil by Mike and wonderful service by Darrell. Rita our hearts, prayers and thoughts are with you your girls and whole family. May our precious Jesus be with you and make himself very present to you.

Tribute from Esther Loewen

Relation: Rita's aunt

Dear Rita, Emma and Kaylie What a beautiful service. May you feel love and supported by our prayers.

Tribute from Kylie

Relation: Past Coworker

Words cannot express the shock and sadness felt from hearing of Neil's passing. He was an absolute joy to work alongside and I so appreciated his wonderful sense of humor. We was such a great support for us at reception and was so helpful and kind with all of the staff and clients. He really had a way that made people feel at ease when he spoke with them and his thoughtfulness always came through. We were sad to see him go and thought of him often after he moved on to his new job. I so appreciated the joking and laughing, as well as the more serious talks we had. I feel privileged to have been able to get to know him and I will cherish those memories always. My heart goes out to Rita and their daughters during this difficult time - please know that Neil was very much adored by his coworkers at Options.

Tribute from Dawn-Eve MacKay

Relation: Former co-worker

Heartfelt condolences to the family. I worked with Neil at CCS and he was a kind loving soul with a great sense of humour and his passion was helping people.

Tribute from Susan Cuthbert

Relation: friend of the family

Rita, I am sorry to hear of Neil's passing My go to Psalm is 34 - God watches, hears, comforts, protects and redeems. My He be your strength morning by morning. Continued love and prayer. Sue Cuthbert

Tribute from Harmiena Torenbeek Ignatius

Relation: Applehill neighbours.

Dear Jeannie, Wayne, Scott, Rita and family. Feeling profound sadness for you all upon hearing that Neil has passed. You will all be in my thoughts. My heartfelt condolences, Harmien Torenbeek Ignatius. Neighbourhood family friend.

Tribute from Nancy Dupuis

I spoke to Neil last Thursday the 15th..on the phone, he was so kind and I had stressful paper work that had come through and he told me so nicely, take a deep breathe, it will be okay..I will never forget how he made me feel so much better and comfortable. So sorry for everyone's loss.

Tribute from Brenda McKay

Relation: Co-worker

My thoughts are with his family during this difficult time. Let fond memories be a comfort to you. I worked briefly with Neil at Options. He had a great sense of humor and a kind heart.

Tribute from Janet Maxfield

Relation: worked with him

Hello Rita. I was on vacation and just found out of Neil's passing. My sincere condolences to you and your daughters. A difficult time for you and I will include you in my prayers.

Tribute from Marissa

Relation: Friend of spouse

Rita...I just heard that Neil passed away...I am so sorry for your loss... my prayers and thoughts for you and the girls during this difficult time...Marissa

