



Andrew Michael Kohl

March 26, 1991 - February 26, 2021

Andrew Michael Kohl, 29, passed away February 26, 2021. He was born May 26, 1991 in Sarasota where he lived most of his life.

Andrew was one of the most charismatic and charming people you could ever meet. As a result he was a successful salesman throughout his adult life. He was an adventurous person who enjoyed doing anything fast and exciting.

From a young age he enjoyed terrifying his mother with crazy tricks on the four-wheeler or skimboard. Andrew was talented in anything he worked in. He excelled in any sport he tried, impressed all with his creativity as an artist, and possessed a unique talent for making deep connections with total strangers.

In addition, he loved animals just as much as he did people. Andrew never met a person whose life he didn't touch. He was kind, caring, and loving to all. His smile and laugh could light up a room without saying a word. He made friends everywhere he traveled and had a personality and charm bigger than life! Andrew touched many people throughout his life but he valued his relationships with his family the most.

Left to cherish his memory are his mother, Andrea Berninger; father, Craig Kohl and his wife Kelly, stepfather Tom Berninger; sisters, Jennifer Krohnfeldt and her husband Jeremiah; Shana Desiderato and her husband Dillon; Anjolie Berninger; Kendyl Harrison and Kammy Harrison; maternal grandmother, Peggy Ann Brown; paternal grandparents, Chuck and Patti Kohl, Ohio grandparents James and Gloria Butler; nieces and nephews, Bryce, Carter, Miah and Madison; and many aunts, uncles and cousins who

all love Andrew so much. There will be a Celebration of Andrew's Life on Sunday, March 7th at 5:00 pm at the north end of Lido Beach. There will also be a memorial service in Ohio to be announced. Memories and condolences may be left online at www.MFHcares.com.

Tribute Wall

JB

“ Andrew came into our life around age 14, when his Dad married our daughter, Kelly.

The first time we met him, he ask us if he could call us Grandma and Grandpa. There was no way we could ever have told him "no". He was funny, and sunny, and reminded me of a toe-headed hurricane, with his big personality bouncing off the walls when he entered the room! Anytime he came to Ohio to spend time with Craig and Kelly, he came to our place in the country.

For a young guy, he had done a lot of living. Once when we visited Sarasota, we met him for lunch at a Marina where he was working, detailing boats.

He gave us that thousand watt smile, when I ask him if he enjoyed the work. The owner of the large boat was standing there on the dock, and I said to him "hope Andrew is doing a good job for you" His reply stuck with me. He said "Andrew does a good job at everything he really enjoys." He crammed a lot in his 29 short years and we think of him with love in our hearts now. We know one thing for sure, Heaven is a brighter place with Andrew's arrival! Some people tip toe into our lives and leave tiny footprints in our heads. Andrew charged in and left big, bold footprints on our hearts. RIP Andrew. I will treasure the letters we exchanged the last year of your life.

Ohio Grandma Gloria and Grandpa Jim

Jim and Gloria Butler - March 15, 2021 at 09:49 PM



“ *My memory of Andrew was when he and Mikee played all day outside mostly, baseball, horses, and pool time. Andrew was an animated sweet youngster and I know he and Mikee forged a longtime friendship. I have not had the pleasure of knowing him as an adult, but as a mother I am heartbroken to feel the pain his departure has caused. May he rest with the angles forevermore*

Louise Goldsberry - March 07, 2021 at 10:45 AM



“ *Kathy Lynn lit a candle in memory of Andrew Michael Kohl*



Kathy Lynn - March 06, 2021 at 05:53 PM



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Kathy Lynn - March 06, 2021 at 05:52 PM



“ *Drew loved being with my camels. He was so talented and I pray he knows
How much he was loved💔*

Lori VanOver - March 06, 2021 at 12:05 PM

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Patricia A & Charles E Kohl - March 03, 2021 at 07:48 AM

PA

Grandma Patti and Grandpa Chuck prayers for peace and solace now.

Patricia A - March 03, 2021 at 07:50 AM

MB

*I am so sorry for your loss. My heart and thoughts are with you.
Maggie Buckley*

Maggie Buckley - March 03, 2021 at 01:36 PM

JH

*Kelly & Craig; So sorry to hear about your loss. My thoughts and
prayers will be with you at this time.*

Jack Higgins - March 03, 2021 at 02:08 PM