



Allan Matthew Hopkins

January 10, 1964 - January 2, 2017

Allan Matthew Hopkins, 52, of Waldorf, MD passed away on January 2, 2017 at University of Maryland Charles Regional Medical Center, La Plata, MD. Allan was born on January 10, 1964 in Reno, Nevada to Alice Frances and the late Allan Wilfred Hopkins.

Allan was an Information Analyst for the Internal Revenue Service. He was an all-around outdoors man who enjoyed sailing, camping and hiking. His interests also included space and NASA. He currently was studying Meteorology at Penn State and enjoyed predicting weather patterns while watching the Weather Channel. He was an artist, enjoyed reading, writing and music. He was an accomplished pool player and had quite the sense of humor.

In addition to his mother he is survived by his wife of 13 years Sarah, sister Lana Beattie (John), sister in-law Penny Smith (Tim), brother in-law Mark Walters (Char), eight nieces and nephews and a great niece/God daughter Caroline Beattie.

A gathering of family and friends will be from 10:00AM until time of Mass of Christian Burial at 11:00AM on Saturday, January 7, 2016 at St. Joseph's Catholic Church, 4590 St. Joseph Way, Pomfret, MD 20675. Interment will follow in church cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions are requested to the American Heart Association, 4217 Park Place Court, Glen Allen, VA 23060 and/or the American Diabetes Association, P.O. Box 1145, Alexandria, VA 22312.

Cemetery Details

St. Joseph's Catholic Church Cemetery

4590 St. Joseph's Way
Pomfret, MD 20675
<http://stjoepomfret.weconnect.com/>

Tribute Wall



“ *Allan Matthew Hopkins*

October 08, 2023 at 10:45 PM



“ *Allan Matthew Hopkins*

October 04, 2023 at 03:12 PM



“ *I wish I had known when Allan passed. He was, by far, the biggest character of a friend I've ever had. I've kept his riotous stories, my favorites being the parody he wrote of a tiny chapter of my life and, most especially, a dispute when he was delivering pizzas and a customer threatened to sue that he "never delivered pizza in this town again". I remember him finding Sarah, his love for her, his parents, his family, and his fondness for his nephew Jonathan. I'll miss him tremendously, and my prayers go out to you, Sarah, and Mrs. Hopkins. Had I known, I'd have given my condolences sooner.*

*Lynn Pina
Lake Ridge, VA*

Lynn Pina - May 03, 2018 at 09:05 AM



“ *Sara Covington lit a candle in memory of
Allan Matthew Hopkins*



Sara Covington - January 12, 2017 at 10:41 AM

SC

I'm still stunned by the loss of Allan a great coworker, who was a comedian and full of jokes. Allan, I going to miss your peeping around the cubicle asking: what's up? what are you doing, I got something to tell you. Allan always apologized for his behavior, not letting the sun go down on his wrath. He always did the unexpected and that's the way he left us ...untimely and unexpectedly. Allan's memories with live on through all of us. I pray that God continue to bring comfort and peace to his family and friends, but most of all his wife (Sarah), mother, and sister.

Sara Covington - January 12, 2017 at 11:12 AM



“Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Allan Matthew Hopkins.



January 06, 2017 at 01:41 PM

CB

“Carolyn N. Brown lit a candle in memory of Allan Matthew Hopkins



Carolyn N. Brown - January 06, 2017 at 10:08 AM

CB

“ It is with great sadness that I communicate my condolences to Allan's spouse, Sarah, his Mother, sister, and other family members and friends. Allan gracefully welcomed me to the OMB Section of Tax, Forms & Pubs in 2006. He was a fantastic trainer and had a memory of an elephant. There was no place for boredom or depression while Allan was around. He kept laughter in our work area. Of the many intellectual debates we had, Allan had a way of changing a negative outlook into a positive one. I will surely miss his sense of humor and that infectious smile!! Rest in PEACE!!! Praying that the many memories of Allan will give each of you comfort and strength.

Carolyn N. Brown - January 06, 2017 at 10:03 AM

LG

“ *Laura Galbreath sent a virtual gift in memory of Allan Matthew Hopkins*



Laura Galbreath - January 05, 2017 at 06:31 PM

LG

I pray Allan is happy now sailing above the clouds in Heaven. May you all find peace and joy in happy memories.

Laura Galbreath - January 05, 2017 at 06:35 PM



“ I met Allan when he was knee-high to a grasshopper! Lana and I had become fast friends and eventually the Hopkins became my 2nd family. Allan, the little blonde haired man, was so excited to show me something in his room. We followed him down the hall into his room where he grabbed a metal telescoping pointer and ran over to a map pinned to his wall. It was a lunar map. He knew all the names of the different craters and could tell me more about the moon than any little guy would normally know. From that very first meeting I knew that Allan was someone special. Only the good die young it's said. It breaks my heart for you Lana, mom and all the family and for you Sarah ,who I've never met but I know must be an amazing woman to have been married to an amazing man. My prayers and thoughts are with you all. I'm sorry I can't be there in person. With love, Deb Graves

Debbie Graves - January 05, 2017 at 03:34 PM

CA

“ Sarah,
All our love and prayers are with you and your family, during this difficult time. Allan was someone who always made people smile. May God comfort and guide you during this time of grief.
Carol DeSoto (Fish)



Carol - January 05, 2017 at 02:59 PM

GK

“ Peace and blessings on a former staff member of mine, Allan Hopkins. I was Allan's section chief and branch chief for nine years before retiring. Allan was funny, intelligent, and honest. In my 31 plus years working for the feds, he was one of the most interesting and entertaining people I ever met.

Glenn Kirkland - January 05, 2017 at 01:11 PM

UB

“ Allen was the kinda cat that when you met up with him out an about you knew the afternoon was easy sailing... a great guy to hang out with. Could really smack them pool balls into oblivion! Truly a Golden Patron of the Mine where we shared many good times. May God in all his tender mercies, watch over, guide, and comfort Sarah during this time. Dear Sarah, my prayers goes out to you, we're gonna miss your man, he'll surely be seated among the best of them in heaven, my Sincere Condolences,
Uncle Bob

Uncle Bob - January 05, 2017 at 12:57 PM

MS

“ Diana and I are heartbroken to learn of Allan's passing. Sarah, we are confident that Christ will hold you close as you walk through this difficult season. You WILL see Allan again. We love you, dear friend! Michael Wm. Schick

Michael Wm. Schick - January 05, 2017 at 12:50 PM

BS

“ I am sorry for your loss, God give you strength and peace at this difficult time, to the family and friends.



Brenda J. Simpson - January 05, 2017 at 08:34 AM

GS

“ Gerald Shields lit a candle in memory of Allan Matthew Hopkins



Gerald Shields - January 05, 2017 at 07:04 AM

GS

“ I will remember the funny stories Allan told.

Gerald Shields - January 05, 2017 at 07:03 AM

SB

“ I first met Allan when our office moved from DC to Oxon Hill back in the 90's. He was one of a kind and not many got his sense of humor but deep down he was one of the kindest souls I've ever met. We too shared many stories and I'm so happy our paths crossed. I left the IRS in 2000 but we always kept in contact and I'm so happy we did. He was full of intellect and always upbeat! I will truly miss hearing his outlandish stories! To Sarah and Allan's family members my deepest condolences to you all. Allan was a very unique individual and he will be missed by many. RIP my friend.



Sandra Bell - January 04, 2017 at 08:58 PM

KD

“ Words could never express my sadness and the grief that I am feeling over the loss of Allan. He was not only a coworker, but a dear friend to me. My condolences, thoughts, and prayers are with Sarah, his mom, sister, as well as every family member and friends that knew and loved him. I'm not sure why God called you to heaven so early my friend, but saying you will be missed is an understatement. I wish I could find one story to share...but there so are many. Allan always made me laugh. We talked, discussed and debated many things. We enjoyed researching things like what was Stretch Armstrong made of, who played in certain movies, and God knows I will never forget the flying spaghetti monster lol. (I wonder if you ever got the T-shirt :-)

Along with his sense of humor he had an incredible intellect and was always honest about his feelings and opinions. And...if you were lucky enough to really get to know him, after the laughter and intellect...he had a very kind, caring, and genuine heart.

Even until the very end I knew you cared and I will never forget it, or you my friend.

Gods peace be with you all.

Kerry Dennis - January 04, 2017 at 07:19 PM

KD

“ Kerry Dennis lit a candle in memory of Allan
Matthew Hopkins



Kerry Dennis - January 04, 2017 at 06:43 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Allan Matthew Hopkins.*



January 04, 2017 at 06:06 PM



“ *Yvette Lawrence lit a candle in memory of Allan Matthew Hopkins*



Yvette Lawrence - January 04, 2017 at 05:34 PM



“ *Words cannot express the sadness in my heart over the loss of Allan. My deepest condolences to Sarah and his family. Allan had a great sense of humor and always said what was on his mind. We spent several years working together. On Fridays, when everyone else teleworked, he was in the office because it was "Fish Friday" in the cafeteria. He will be missed.*

Yvette Lawrence - January 04, 2017 at 05:31 PM



I remember how much he loved fish Fridays. Going to miss him.

Kerry Dennis - January 04, 2017 at 07:21 PM

PS

“ Pam S lit a candle in memory of Allan
Matthew Hopkins



Pam S - January 04, 2017 at 03:11 PM

DA

“ Darell Ashton lit a candle in memory of Allan
Matthew Hopkins



Darell Ashton - January 04, 2017 at 02:57 PM

DW

“ Diane Wallace lit a candle in memory of Allan
Matthew Hopkins



Diane Wallace - January 04, 2017 at 02:54 PM

CP

“ I will share this because I know that Allan found humor in doing this.
Allan would break into my office at work and move things around to
see if I noticed. On 12/14 he started to do the same thing but did not
realize that I was in my office with my door closed.

You will be missed.

Christie Preston - January 04, 2017 at 02:50 PM

KD

I remember him doing that and we always got a kick out of it. He did the same with my desk. Thanks for sharing that memory. Made me laugh through the tears.

Kerry Dennis - January 04, 2017 at 07:23 PM

SG

“ *Sherry Goniea lit a candle in memory of Allan Matthew Hopkins*



Sherry Goniea - January 04, 2017 at 02:48 PM

EM

“ *My condolences to Sarah and the Hopkins family.*

I will never forget Allan, he was a TRUE and honest friend to me. He was honest and upfront with me about who he was and he allowed me the same opportunity with no judgment. His sense of humor was over the top, he had a strange way of making me laugh. The range of subjects we would discuss would run the gambit from "bugs" to "relationships"; enjoyed his honest point of view. I will miss him.

Evelyn Mack

Evelyn Mack - January 04, 2017 at 02:31 PM

KD

That was one of my favorite things about Allan...being able to share anything with no judgment. I am really enjoying reading everyone's memories. I know you were such good friends. Praying you find Gods peace in his memory Evelyn.

Kerry Dennis - January 04, 2017 at 07:28 PM

RM

After receiving and internalizing the sad and surprising news, my condolences, thoughts and prayers are with Sara, and all his family and friends. I met Allan when I joined the IRS a little over 3 years ago and loved his sense of humor. Enjoyed his comments and jokes while working in the opposite side of his workspace.... made my day better... I will certainly miss him. His passing also continues to remind me that we are here by God's grace and that we need to live every day to its fullest. May his soul rest in peace, farewell Allan.

Roberto Mora-Figueroa - January 05, 2017 at 06:54 AM