



## Mr. Christopher Corey Nolen

October 12, 1977 - June 15, 2024

Obituary: Chris Nolen

Mr. Christopher “Chris” Corey Nolen, age 46, passed away on June 15, 2024, at the family home in Ranburne, Alabama.

Chris was born October 12, 1977, in Carrollton, Georgia. He was the youngest of two sons born to Sylvinnia and Sara Myrl Nolen.

Growing up, Chris was an avid baseball player and bullrider. He traveled the United States as a semi-professional bull rider, won several belt buckles, and was a member of the Professional Bull Riding Association for several years. Chris was also an entrepreneur, having his own fencing company.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Sylvinnia and Myrl Nolen. He is survived by his wife, Donna Nolen, and brother, Stephen Lee (Luana) of Dallas, GA.

Uncle and Aunts on his father’s side: Ray (Tammy) Nolen, Ernie (Vivian) Shears, Syble (Nolen) Rollins, Geraldine (Nolen) Swofford, Julia (Nolen) Rollins, and Vivian (Nolen) Shears

Aunts on his mother’s side: Ima (Gentry) Gravitt, Irene (Gentry) Abernathy,

Pearl (Gentry) Henderson.

Nephews and Niece: Landon Nolen, Triston Nolen, and Elizabeth “Lizzy” Nolen.

Stepdaughters: Karen (Cook) Dodson and Amanda Akins

Step Grandchildren: Billie Dodson, Cora Leigh Dodson, and Isiah Dodson.

Sylvinnia Nolen’s Spouse and Children: Catherine Nolen, Dwayne (Veronica) Causey, John Causey, and Wendy (Chris) Keith.

He is also survived by several cousins and friends who were and will always be as close as family.

Chris’ life will be celebrated on Sunday, June 30, from 4 p.m. to 6 p.m. (Central Standard Time) at Cheaha State Park. Please join the family at the pavilions located at the highest point in the State of Alabama as they remember and celebrate Chris.

# Previous Events

## Memorial Service

JUN **29**. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM.

Cheaha State Park

# Tribute Wall



“ *Memories 44" Sonnet was purchased for the family of Mr. Christopher Corey Nolen.*



July 01, 2024 at 08:13 AM



“ *Ranburne Class of 1996 planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mr. Christopher Corey Nolen.*

**Ranburne Class of 1996** - July 01, 2024 at 08:13 AM



“ *Sullivan Billy & Sue lit a candle in memory of Mr. Christopher Corey Nolen*



**Sullivan Billy & Sue** - June 30, 2024 at 08:18 PM



“ *Ray and Tammy Nolen and all your family. I'm so sorry for the loss of your brother. Sending you all my sympathy and prayers for all your family. May God give you comfort in the coming days.*  
*Sincerely,*  
*Mary Anne Smith*



**Mary Anne Smith** - June 30, 2024 at 02:03 AM

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Mr. Christopher Corey Nolen*



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**Sullivan Billy & Sue** - June 29, 2024 at 05:46 PM