



George Paul Ebejer

July 13, 1962 - September 16, 2021

George Ebejer, Jr. aka "Backhoe George" went home to be with Jesus on September 16th, 2021 after a 15 month battle with kidney cancer.

George was born in San Francisco on July 13th, 1962. At age 15 he moved to Siskiyou County and at age 16 he, his dad George Sr., and his brother John started Backhoe George & Sons.

He met the love of his life and best friend, Markay in 1984 and they were married August 16, 1986. Together they had 3 children and built a beautiful life and close knit family.

He devoted himself to his wife, children and grandchildren. George loved them and led them well. He was the Spiritual leader of the family that led us all to knowing and loving Jesus. It is because of that we will be together with him again, in Heaven. George was an avid outdoorsman. He loved trapping and hunting and provided for his family meat in the freezer and many, many memories hunting together. He also enjoyed playing softball, watching baseball and football and playing cribbage. He succeeded in every way as a husband, Dad, Papa, father-in-law, son, brother, uncle, friend and servant of Christ.

George was kind, generous, funny, honest, humble and sincere. All of this was

shared not just with his family, but with our community through his business "Backhoe George". Physically he worked the dirt and rock, preparing the ground for homes to be built upon; while spiritually he prepared the ground of peoples' hearts, by sharing the Gospel of Jesus, laying rock, for God, the ultimate Rock, to build upon.

George's Faith in Jesus was something to learn from. He trusted God with every aspect of his life, even through the ugly, difficult battle with cancer. He knew his life was in God's hands and trusted Him completely. He knew God could heal him. And that He did....just not this side of Heaven. George has eternal life in Heaven, with a perfected body and complete joy and peace because of the faith he placed in Jesus Christ. George's Faith was the foundation of his life. Everything he did and everything he was, was because of Jesus. He wanted nothing more than for others to know Jesus, too. George loved sharing the Lord with others and planted many seeds of truth throughout His life. Even though he is not here among us anymore, George will continue to impact this world for the better through his wife, kids, grandkids, sons-and-daughter-in-law because of how he poured himself into us all. The love for Jesus and love for others to know Jesus will be extended through them.

George was preceded in death by his father, George Ebejer, Sr. and his mother Carmen Ebejer. George is missed beyond words by his wife Markay, his children Ashley (Jake), Whitney (Anthony) and Jordan (Dennell), his 6 grandkids, Wyatt, Weston, Kendyl, Dean, Tycen and Hailey, his brother John (Dori), his nephews, nieces, aunts, uncles and cousins. What a blessing it is to have something that is so hard to say goodbye to.

"Someday you will hear that I have died, don't you believe a word of it. I will be more alive than ever, I will have just changed my address and gone into the presence of God." -Billy Graham

"His Lord said to him, 'Well done, good and faithful servant; you have been faithful over a few things, I will make you ruler over many things. Enter into the joy of your Lord'" Matthew 25:23

A Celebration of Life will be held on Saturday, October 2nd at 11am at Siskiyou Christian Fellowship in Yreka. In lieu of flowers, please consider donating to Madrone Hospice or KickCancer.org

Tribute Wall

JM

“ We love you forever George! Love the Muscats

John Muscat - October 02, 2021 at 12:00 AM

SA

“ We Love you George! Love the Muscats

Steve and Amanda - October 02, 2021 at 12:00 AM

TF

“ We love you Georgie! May you Rest In Peace. God bless you! We will miss you forever.

The Grech Family - October 02, 2021 at 12:00 AM

PM

“ My heart goes out to this beautiful family.
Sending lots of love and prayers❤️



Patricia Maplesden - September 27, 2021 at 12:00 AM

MO

“ Beautiful Souls are hard to lose but those Beautiful Souls will always hold their Beauty in heaven. Go rest your Kind and Authentic Soul with the Spirit of the Lord and God Bless you for eternal life Georgie! May your family find the light of peace soon, all my love to you Markay and kids! Mona (650) 823-5103

Mona - September 27, 2021 at 12:00 AM

LM

“ We send our deepest condolences to the family. We met George in 2019, and we were so blessed to know him this brief time. He was such a kind and honest businessman, and a master of his trade beyond belief. His faith in the Lord was clear and he is now healed from all physical ailments. Bless you George, I will never forget you because I am reminded of you every where I look around my home, because of your masterful work. May your family find some comfort in that you were a wonderful person that made a difference in people's lives every day and your reward in Heaven is great.

Leigh Moore - September 25, 2021 at 12:00 AM

DD

“ George will be missed and sending love to his family from ours

Deni Duncan - September 24, 2021 at 12:00 AM

JB

“ Good ole boys. Remember well.

Jim Baird - September 24, 2021 at 12:00 AM

LJ

“ He was a great guy

Lesley S. Jones - September 24, 2021 at 12:00 AM

PG

“ Are harts are heavy GOD speed George RIP

Pat Grieb - September 24, 2021 at 12:00 AM

LF

“ *Markay--so sorry to hear about your loss. Sending our love and hugs to you at this difficult time.*

Leslie Flatt - September 23, 2021 at 12:00 AM

AV

“ *Our prayers to the Family <3*

Amy Zoe Vogel-Churchill - September 23, 2021 at 12:00 AM

MC

“ *Rest In Peace George. Job well done on earth.*

Marsha Chambers - September 23, 2021 at 12:00 AM

KN

“ *RIP. I'm so sorry for your loss. 🙏🙏🙏🙏*

Kristen Naylor - September 23, 2021 at 12:00 AM

LH

“ *Sad for his passing and knowing he was blessed with by the Lord and is going home, allows all to rejoice. My prayers are with you. 🙏*

Liz Hockaday - September 23, 2021 at 12:00 AM

EJ

“ *Sending prayers out to you MarKay and family. I'm so sorry for your loss. George was a very special person. He had a heart warming smile.*

Ellen Lowell Janson - September 23, 2021 at 12:00 AM

AA

“ So sorry for your loss, so many years of softball memories with him . Rip ok friend

Anthony Aldrich - September 23, 2021 at 12:00 AM

ES

“ So sorry for your loss.

Elizabeth Stewart - September 23, 2021 at 12:00 AM

EJ

“ God bless he will be missed

Elieene Jones - September 23, 2021 at 12:00 AM

RP

“ What a beautiful obituary for a beautiful life of love and service to his Jesus, his family, his friends, and his community!💜 You can celebrate whole heartedly now, George!!!🙏 See you later!!!

Rebecca RB Phillipe - September 23, 2021 at 12:00 AM

KM

“ Dennell ❤️❤️

Krystal Moser - September 23, 2021 at 12:00 AM

AG

“ We are deeply sorry for your loss ~ Girdner Funeral Chapel

A Memorial Tree was planted for "Backhoe George" - September 23, 2021 at 12:00 AM