



Calvin Woodrow Newman, II

December 5, 1973 - September 19, 2019

Cornelius, North Carolina – 12/5/1973 – 9/19/2019

On September 19th, 2019, Calvin Woodrow Newman II passed away tragically, leaving this world he so nobly served far too soon. Calvin is survived by his loving wife Allison Page Newman, son Chase, age 14, daughter Madison, age 11, and his Boykin Spaniel, Ginger. Other survivors include his adoring parents Calvin Woodrow Newman and Linda Stringfield Newman of Summerville, South Carolina, one sister, Melissa Newman of Greer, South Carolina, two brothers, Darrell and wife, Stacy Newman of Hanahan, South Carolina, Greg and wife, Jessica Newman of Summerville, South Carolina, a wonderful mother-in-law, Barbara Jean Page of Summerville, South Carolina, and lots of nieces and nephews.

Calvin was born and grew up in Summerville, South Carolina, where at a young age he developed a love for sports and swimming that led to him swim on the neighborhood team. Calvin graduated from Summerville High School and attended Trident Technical College, where he studied business. Calvin soon met the love of his life, Allison. She was attending Clemson University at the time and boy you can only imagine that the roads were kept hot between Summerville and Clemson with one of them traveling back and forth to see each other every weekend. Calvin and Allison married May 19, 2001, and began their life together in Charlotte, North Carolina. They started their sweet

family while living in the Birkdale community with Chase born in 2004 and Madison coming along in 2007.

Calvin built a successful career in the car rental industry over nearly 25 years as a General Manager. He and his family moved to Cornelius, NC in 2012, and soon thereafter started a residential construction company, which allowed him to prioritize life around his family. His passions were boating, basketball, attending Carolina Panther games with Chase and Madison, entertaining family and friends, and most of all his children. Forever ready for a pickup game of basketball in the driveway, Calvin spent countless hours playing with Chase, and Madison, and their friends. He temporarily enjoying his height advantage over Chase, which dissipated quickly over the past year as Chase caught up with him. Calvin could be found taking Madison on special Daddy and daughter fishing trips. Their bond was strong, they even had special nicknames for each other. He loved his two children so much and were so proud of them and their accomplishments.

Anyone who knew him knows that he NEVER missed an event, attending every play, recital, sporting and school function. Calvin was the trusted carpool driver for their many friends, as he shuttled them all happily and safely around town all hours, be it 5:30am mornings for swim practices or 11pm evenings after away games. He could be counted on by his friends and family to help when needed so that no one missed anything and everyone got home safely. He was always the first volunteer and was often thought of as the Team Dad and could always be seen in the audience or on the sidelines smiling, cheering and inspiring everyone to be their best. Calvin was as devoted a husband as he was a father. He loved Allison with every ounce of his being. He stood by his wife and continued to push and support her to further her career.

Beyond his devotion to family, Calvin was passionate about life on the lake

and in particular, youth boater safety. He modeled his dedication to safety each weekend when out with his family as well as through his leadership and involvement with Peninsula Yacht Club, where he has served on the Fleet Committee for years, most recently as Fleet Captain. Calvin was instrumental in making important youth boater safety courses available through the PYC. In addition, he worked hard leading the fundraising efforts for various charitable events supporting local needs.

Calvin spent his life in the service of others. He leaves behind a large void in the lives of his family and in our community because of how selflessly he lived his life. He will be remembered for his genuine smile, his readiness to serve, his good stories, his sage advice, his easy laugh and how welcome he made everyone he met feel. Most of all he will be remembered for his devotion to his wife and his love for his children.

In lieu of flowers, please consider sending a donation to the Peninsula Yacht Club Fleet Committee for the Calvin Newman Youth Boater Safety Program, ensuring the next generation of boaters are trained for safe, enjoyable times on Lake Norman. Calvin's memorial service will be held on Sunday, September 29, 2019 at 3:00 pm at The Peninsula Yacht Club, 18501 Harbor Light Blvd, Cornelius, NC.

Cemetery Details

Cavin-Cook FH & Crematory

494 E. Plaza Drive
Mooresville, NC 28115

Previous Events

Memorial Service

SEP **29**. 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

The Peninsula Yacht Club
18501 Harbor Light Blvd.
Cornelius, NC 28031

Tribute Wall



“ *Calvin Woodrow Newman, II*

February 14, 2021 at 11:24 AM



“ *Calvin Woodrow Newman, II*

February 14, 2021 at 11:04 AM



“ *Calvin Woodrow Newman, II*

February 14, 2021 at 11:03 AM



“ *Words cannot explain the feeling I had when I learned of Calvin's passing. I worked with Calvin during the original Thrifty days in Charlotte. He made a tremendous impact on my life and I don't think I would have stayed in the rental car business if not for him. My prayers are with his family. Calvin was truly a great guy whom I respected and enjoyed. Rest In Peace my friend.*

Calvin Williams - November 10, 2019 at 10:08 PM

CJ

“ So sorry to hear of Calvin's passing! We remember him well! He and our sons, Mike and Mark, were friends for years here in Summerville. Darryl and Greg we still see on occasion. Calvin helped us with rental cars several times and he was such a wonderful man! Please know your family is in our prayers through this difficult time! We just saw this notice and are so sorry we did not know this sooner!

Terry and Cynthia Jackman
Summerville, SC

Cynthia Jackman - October 03, 2019 at 11:49 AM

VM

“ Vernance Mccain lit a candle in memory of Calvin Woodrow Newman, II



vernance mccain - September 29, 2019 at 08:34 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Calvin Woodrow Newman, II.



September 26, 2019 at 09:18 PM

TA

“ Praying for God’s comfort during this period for Allison and the kids. He wont be forgotten and his memory will live through his family. Stay strong and comforted.

The Akingbades

Teni Akingbade - September 26, 2019 at 04:37 PM

JN

“ Some people spend their life serving others and Calvin did just that. I am truly thankful to have known Calvin. Your brother Greg was so proud of all your accomplishments. We will miss you Calvin.

Jessica Newman - September 26, 2019 at 10:40 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Calvin Woodrow Newman, II.



September 25, 2019 at 06:49 PM

PM

“ I never formally met Mr. Newman, but his son Chase is a good friend of mine. My parents always tell me how good of a kid he is and I can confidently say it’s because of how good his father and mother raised him. Love y’all dearly, you’re in my prayers.

Parker McGuire - September 25, 2019 at 03:05 PM

AC

Calvin and Allison hired me to be a nanny for their baby Chase in 2005. I remember the proud papa look on his face! And later with his little girl. I was so privileged to be apart of this sweet family. They always treated me as one of the family. Calvin would come home in the middle of the afternoon and catch me singing he would yell what what what and of course he was making fun of my singing. He was so much of a friend a and more. He is so loved and he will always know it. Rest well my friend and know you will be missed. LOVE Nana

Angela Caywood - September 25, 2019 at 03:57 PM

JD

“ *Sooo Many Years in the 80's and early 90's at Corey Woods Pool and Swim-Team ... just wow 🙌*

JR Davison - September 25, 2019 at 12:19 PM

TF

“ *Allison, Chase and Madison - thinking of all of you and sending you thoughts of love and peace during this incredibly difficult time. Calvin touched our life in so many ways, from our "DINK" times back in Birkdale Village to the birth of all our kids, then meeting up again at school and in Cornelius. What a funny and warm individual, our lives were better for having him in it. He was so clearly devoted to the three of you, talking about all of you would always light up his face.*

Hugs to all of you.

The Hamme Family - September 25, 2019 at 09:07 AM

HF

The Hamme Family, it dropped the name, sorry.

Hamme Family - September 25, 2019 at 09:11 AM

GB

This is Gerry Brovet! I knew Calvin from DTG. He was my boss, he was a good boss and had so many stories about his boat and his wife and children. He always had a smile on his face talking about them! My prayers are with his family!

Gerry Brovet - September 26, 2019 at 08:46 AM



“ *I only met Calvin once. I was picking up my son at Davidson Day and my car stalled in the middle of the Dublin Donuts parking lot, blocking traffic. I just got the car and couldn't figure out what was wrong. Then the alarm started wailing. I couldn't push it up the hill myself and then Calvin showed up out of nowhere. Helped me push it out of the way. But the alarm was still blaring. My keyless entry was out of batteries! I was literally panicking and trying to tear the key open to get to the battery compartment. In came Calvin again with a screwdriver and opened it up for me. A moment later the alarm was off. The car was started and my disaster was over. I barely caught his name as he walked off. But I would never forget the face. I am so sorry for your loss. He was obviously a special person.*

Greg Rand - September 25, 2019 at 08:58 AM



“ *Fairest of All was purchased for the family of Calvin Woodrow Newman, II.*



September 25, 2019 at 05:10 AM



“ I consider myself blessed to have known Calvin. He was one of the best leaders I had the privilege to work with. Loved his friends and family unconditionally. Would do anything to help you. His life was his wife and kids. They were always his #1 priority. Always smiling and laughing. I will miss that the most. Prayers healing during this difficult time and knowing you were loved by an amazing man.

Penny Steele - September 24, 2019 at 09:56 PM

JB

“ Calvin was my GM with Dollar-Thrifty Automotive Group at the CLT Airport. I knew him as a man of character, fair and willing to listen. The love he had for his family was very notable. He will be sorely missed by many. Jim Bodenheimer

Jim Bodenheimer - September 24, 2019 at 08:09 PM

MK

“ Allison, Chase and Madison- you are in our daily thoughts and prayers. Our hearts are very heavy with Calvin's passing. He was a very dedicated parent who could always be spotted at all the events on campus. I always loved sitting and chatting with him. Truly a kind, caring, welcoming person. He will be missed. May his memory be eternal. With deepest condolences -Michelle, Erik, Eleni and James Kash

Michelle Kash - September 24, 2019 at 06:20 PM

AA

“ Allison and family - I am so sorry to hear of this tragedy. My family's thoughts and prayers are with you and your family at this incredibly difficult time.

Ann Anthony

Ann Anthony - September 24, 2019 at 05:18 PM



“ *Joyful Memory was purchased for the family of Calvin Woodrow Newman, II.*



September 24, 2019 at 04:18 PM



“ *I'm so devastated to hear this news. Calvin was not only my contractor that I referred to all of my clients for the last 7 years, but over the years we became friends. He was just such a good, nice person and the most reliable and dedicated contractor/worker I've ever met. I know how much he adored his family, he would talk about them constantly. I am so sorry for your loss. Please know you are all in my prayers.*

Courtney Charzuk - September 24, 2019 at 03:08 PM



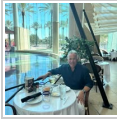
“ *Calvin, Linda, Melissa, Darrell, Greg & extended family & friends, Reese and I are so very sorry for your loss. I have so many fond memories of Calvin playing in the yard, to him getting his first car. He was such a joy and rarely did you see him without that huge smile on his face. I am so very saddened that such an amazing person has left this world so soon. I will pray that God will wrap his loving arms around each and every one of you.*
Love,
Reese & Kyra Kilian

Kyra - September 24, 2019 at 09:19 AM

RO

He was a awesome young man. I am so happy that I got to know this young man. Prayers for his family and friends 🙏🙏

rosalyn - September 24, 2019 at 11:19 AM



Great young man. I'm glad he crossed my path.

Alex Añe - September 24, 2019 at 12:53 PM



Shane Penley

We worked for the same car rental company for many years. I could always count on Calvin to help me when needed or just make me laugh! I am so sorry that he's gone, but I know he's looking down on us from heaven! I will be praying for your entire family! Shane Penley

Shane Penley - September 24, 2019 at 01:43 PM

DE

Our thoughts and prayers for the Newman family and friends he will surely be missed by all. Dell Diane Edwards Sville SC

Dell Diane Edwards - September 24, 2019 at 02:40 PM



Gulben Bulat

We are heavy on our hearts with Calvin's passing. As a family, we did not get a chance to know him better and wished that we had more opportunities to spend more time all together piling up more memories but one did not have to know him well to figure how nice he was. He was always pleasant to be with, Kind, respectful. He was this "amazing dad" attending everything that had to do with his kids, at least I know with Madison. The last day of the school, this passed May, couple of moms and I took our daughters to Peninsula Yacht Club. Calvin joined us there with Madison. We all had the privilege of his company. Later he took our daughters on a boat ride extending his kindness to the young. When I told the sad news to my daughter Lara, she was very sad and said with teary eyes "but why, he was so nice, great dad and fun, remember he took us on his boat that day..." What a loss for our community...Allison, Madison, Chase, and family, you and Calvin are in our thoughts and prayers. With deepest condolences -Bulat family-

Gulben Bulat - September 26, 2019 at 03:22 PM



Calvin was my Manager at Dollar-Thrifty Automotive group. I loved him, mostly for his love for Allison, Chase and Madison. We are devastated. I pray for God to comfort all through this most difficult time.

Marilu Fernandez - September 27, 2019 at 12:34 PM

GL

We are so grateful for the happy memories we have of Calvin- playing dodgeball with the kids in our front yard; him taking Annie and Madison to swim and volunteer at the Yacht Club; boating; go karts; and so much more. We admired what a truly devoted father and husband he was. Calvin was one of the kindest people we have ever known. We will always remember him smiling, cracking jokes, lending a helping hand. He will be so greatly missed. We hope that family and friends will continue his legacy of kindness by showing Allison, Madison and Chase much love and support as they grieve. Rest in peace dear friend.

The Lecks

Genevieve Leck - September 28, 2019 at 09:25 PM