



Douglas Kirk Cross

November 6, 1963 - December 19, 2022

Douglas Kirk Cross, 59, son of Sharon (Wahlert) and Melvyn Cross was born November 6, 1963, in Redfield, Iowa. He passed away December 19, 2022, from complications of COPD.

He was raised in Adel and Des Moines, Iowa his entire life. He was very adventurous, even jumping on trains and going wherever they took him. He met the love of his life, Nicholle in September 2007, and four years later on May 21, 2011, they were married. He spent many years painting houses.

His passion was playing guitar and writing his own songs, he was an avid book reader. He had a great sense of humor, and was always a hell of a jokester. He loves the outdoors, spent many summers fishing and camping on the river.

Doug is survived by his wife, Nicholle; mother, Sharon Wahlert of Washington; children, Kelsea, Brianne, Dylan, Presha and Celesta; 2 grandchildren, Hayleigh and Leddy; brother, Johnny Wahlert of Washington; an aunt, Rita Duke; and a host of cousins and friends that will miss his humor. He was preceded in death by his father, Melvyn; brothers, Rusty, Troy, and Tony; a sister, Tina and his grandparents, Alvie and LeLaVonne Brower and uncle, Elvon Cross.

A celebration of his life will be Sunday, April 30, 2023 2pm - 4pm at the Raccoon River Valley Park at coneflower shelter, C, 2500 Grand Ave., West, Des Moines, IA 50265.

Memorial contributions may be made to the family in loving memory of Doug.

Previous Events

Celebration of Life Gathering

APR **30**. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (CT)

Raccoon River Park
2500 Grand Ave
West Des Moines, IA 50265

Cone Flower Shelter #5

Tribute Wall

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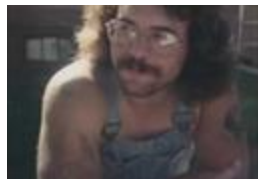
“Heya Wulf. Red here from Bandlab. You were my first mate I made in Bandlab. That day we both picked the exact same song to cover of all the gazillion songs in the world- the John Prine classic ' in spite of our selves" I just knew our paths were meant to cross. I've been making music with ya for about 4 years now, and tolerating your madness and great sense of humour all this time. You have made me smile so many times with your constant support of my music, sharing how much you love your family , your great songwriting, and most hilarious sense of wit. so very glad I got to make music and a friendship with you....am so lucky to have your music and the music we did together- to listen to whenever I want to remember you. Much love to you Nichole, I have emailed you. and much love to the rest your family. Your are one of a kind Wulf... Rock on my friend. Chrysalynn (Red)

<https://youtu.be/XimEfMKoaiY> (wulf & kiwichrys)

chrys calder - February 05, 2023 at 03:57 AM

PO

“ This picture of my cousin Doug is hanging on my living room wall. It is my favorite.



Pokie Oliver - January 28, 2023 at 09:53 PM

CB

“ *Sad to gear of your loss, sending my condolences*



Carol Beveridge - December 24, 2022 at 10:29 PM

CB

He will be missed by many!

Carol Beveridge - December 24, 2022 at 10:30 PM

BB

“ *Where to even begin? The many years he had me convinced he was older than me, the sarcasm in nearly every comment he made, the road trips and arguments that went with them or the amazing music he wrote and sent me all the time including my 60th birthday song about saggy tits. You either loved him or hated him... No in between! Gonna miss the shit out of you cousin! Till we meet again Keep on Dancing and Singing in the Sky!*



Brenda Brown - December 22, 2022 at 04:06 PM