



## Scott H. Stoops

March 8, 1964 - October 9, 2025

Scott Howard Stoops, 61, of Tea, South Dakota passed from this life on October 9, 2025 with family by his side at Sanford Hospital in Sioux Falls.

Scott was born in Sioux Falls on March 8, 1964 to parents Gary and Marlene (Crandall) Stoops. The family lived in Colorado for a short time before settling back in Sioux Falls, where he graduated from Washington High School. After graduating, Scott went on to work as a chef at various restaurants throughout the area, most recently at Chevy's. In 2017, Scott met the love of his life, Maxine Smith and the two were married on June 5, 2021 in Tea.

Always up for an adventure, Scott often went fishing and camping in Colorado and South Dakota. He enjoyed going to concerts and watching the Denver Broncos play football. Most of all, Scott loved time spent with his wife Maxine and his family. He was proud of becoming sober and accepting the Lord as his Savior, helping others find their way as well. A shining light in every life he touched, Scott will be dearly remembered and missed.

Scott is survived by his wife, Maxine Stoops, Tea and his trusty companion Mickey the chihuahua; siblings, Clint Nordman, Viborg, Kurt (Kara) Nordman, Westminster, CO and Jaki (Wade) Hofer, Valley Springs; niece, Olivia Newell, Lennox; aunt, Anita (Gary) LaVassaur, Eugene OR; as well as a host of other relatives and friends. He was preceded in death by his father, Gary Stoops,

step-father Roger "Tiny" Nordman, mother Marlene Nordman, sister Brenda Newell and uncle Dale Crandall.

Visitation will be from 2:00 - 3:00 pm, with a Celebration of Life beginning at 3:00 pm on October 26, 2025 at Sioux Falls Hope Church, with a potluck to follow.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT **26**. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (CT)

Hope Community Church Sioux Falls  
27213 473rd Ave  
Sioux Falls, SD 57108

## Celebration of Life

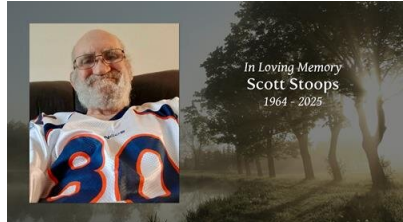
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# Tribute Wall



“ *Jarman Family Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Scott H. Stoops*



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**Jarman Family Funeral Home** - October 23, 2025 at 10:24 AM



“ *For Father God && Father Jesus!!!! Scott, may Father Gods && Father Jesus' love && Strength stay with you && yours eternally.*

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**Shanese Jackson** - December 16, 2025 at 06:23 PM



“ *While I never had the honor of meeting Scott, I know he was a good man. I've known Maxine for a good many years since we worked together for several years and she loved him with her entire being. I am thankful that he accepted Jesus as his Lord and Savior and I know that made Maxine very proud and it gives her comfort and strength knowing he's with our Lord. I pray Maxine and Scotts family will find comfort and strength thru Christ Jesus. Our sympathy to you all*

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**Nadine Froderman** - October 15, 2025 at 11:31 PM

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“ *I'm so sorry for your loss. What a testimony of his accepting his Savior. My thoughts and prayers as you journey through your sorrow and grief. Dr Janell*

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**Dr Janell Christiansen** - October 13, 2025 at 02:36 PM