

Thomas Peter Nichols

MARCH 13, 2022

Honoring the Life of Thomas Peter Nichols



It is with great sadness that the Nichols family announces the passing of our dear Brother, Brother-in-law, Uncle, Great-Uncle, Godfather and loving Friend Thomas Peter Nichols, late of Regina, Saskatchewan, on March 13, 2022.

Tom was born in Regina, SK to Stanley and Marguerite Nichols on August 8, 1962. He loved playing basketball and any other sport that came his way. He attended Holy Rosary and graduated from Leboldus High School in Regina. After graduation he worked in construction for several years before moving on to build his successful accounting business, TNT Consulting.

A friend to all, Tom was a great listener and enjoyed the company of his family and friends. He loved travelling to any warm destination that allowed him to soak up the warmth of the sun. His twinkling blue eyes lit up every room he entered and hinted to his mischievous side.

Tom was predeceased by his parents Stanley and Marguerite Nichols. He is survived by his brothers Wane, Richard (Darlene), James (Shari), Stephen (Rachel), David (Marci) and numerous nephews, nieces, great-nephews, great-nieces, Godchildren and cousins.

The day your heart stopped, our hearts were broken. May our memories of you give us strength in the weeks to come.

Funeral Mass in celebration of our loving brother Tom will be held on Friday, March 25, 2022 at 11:00 a.m. in Holy Rosary Cathedral, 2104 Garnet Street, Regina, SK. In lieu of flowers, please make donations to the Spinal Cord Injury Saskatchewan Inc. (www.scisask.ca).

Messages of Condolence

Keith got to know Tom when he was working in Regina. He always spoke highly of Tom. When I went to work in Regina I met him. Very nice man. Always had a smile on his face

Taken so young. Prayers going out to the family

— **Moira and Keith miller**

He had a great soul, my condolences to the family

— **Maureen**

Condolences to the family, we are so sorry and feel your pain...yet another one taken to young. Hug's and prayers from Katie and myself

— **Dianne Kilbach**

Thomas led a heroic life.

I was only able to see him once a year when coming through Regina these past 30 years but we tried to talk as often as possible in between.

My heartfelt condolences to the family.

He was one in a million. The mold was broken and there will never be another man like him.

May he Rest In Peace

— **Saj Ravasia**

Such a fine man in every sense of the word. So many great memories of times spent chatting.

A life well lived but too short for those left behind in sadness.

The ballgame is over and you have gone home. Until we meet again brother, we will remember you, your smile and your big heart.

— **Tim Spelliscy**

Tom will be missed by all who knew him. Lots of ball memories. Our heart felt condolences to all the family.

— **Gene and Donna Amyotte**

So very sorry for your loss Wane and family. May your memories help get you through this difficult time.

— **Brian and Veronica Miller**

Dave , Marci and families,

Our heartfelt condolences in your loss, thinking of you all.

— **Kevin & Connie Dicks**

So many fond memories of Tom's smiling face and quiet laugh around the ball diamonds. My deepest condolences to the entire Nichols family ☐ ☐ ☐

— **Michael Lee**

Thomas had the smarts, the athletic talent, the charisma and the general presence that the rest of his buddies only wished we had! Those blue eyes could melt ice .. And they did! ... From our math teacher's bewilderment that Thomas could pull off 100's as naturally as the rest of us couldn't, to his commanding presence wherever fun was being had, he will be greatly missed....

— **Anthony Weisshaar**

My heartfelt sympathies to the Nichol's family, so sorry for your loss.

— **Susan Bamford**

With very heavy hearts, we send our condolences to the Nichols family. Tom was always so kind and nice to everyone. So many fun memories from the ball tournaments and gigs. He will be sadly missed. Our deepest sympathies.

Kim and Russ Oberthier !!

— **Kim and Russ Oberthier**

Sincere condolences to the family for your loss

— **Dean and Gayle hodel**

Our sincere condolences to Tom's family and friends.

He will always be remembered for his kind soul and beautiful smiling blue eyes.

Much love, Brent, Sharon and Thomas xo

— **Sharon Ober**

I had the absolute pleasure of knowing and loving Tom. He was such a wonderful, funny and charismatic guy that will be missed by so many. So very sorry to everyone.

— **Addie**

Sending condolences to all of the family. Tom was so much fun to be with, his quick wit and sense of humour filled the room with such joy. Loved to see those blue eyes twinkle!!

— **Lee Ann**

So sorry for your loss. Always enjoyed visiting with Tom. The twinkle in his eyes and that smile! He will be missed by so many!

— **LeeAnn Thickson**

Tom Nichols - such a legacy on how to move forward when he / we are faced with adversity. So much to take in! A true friend. Hard to be jealous of a man confined to a wheelchair but thru Tom's strength and perseverance, and unwavering support of his family, one can only admire a life well lived. Tom was a lucky man. His brothers and their significant others surrounded him with love and inclusion. They should all take solace in the unconditional love provided! Tom taught so much about life without trying or intending same. Gifted athlete but better person. Great actor which is: was highlighted in the 1970 's classic "4 card draw " movie by holy rosary alumni - Ted Maria. (u tube lol) not many of us are fortunate enough to have someone like Tom in their lives. To feel such sadness and angst is an honour or what was the point of living. He touched so many and that is the true measure of a life well lived. Rip my friend - thx for the memories and making me try to be a better man. Tall standard and legacy to adhere to xo

— **Jd Spelliscy**

I am so very sorry for your loss..Tom was a kind and gentle soul and will be missed by many xox

— **Rhonda**

Dear Wayne, Richard and Family.

I am so very sorry to hear about the passing of Thomas. He was a great friend and a true gentleman. He carried himself with humility and truly cared about others even with his heavy burden. He will be missed sorely.

Our thoughts and prayers are with you all.

God speed my friend.

With warmest regards

Ken Lebioda

— **Ken Lebioda**

Rest In Peace Brother Thomas, our dearest friend to so many for so long. Love
You!

— **Tim Storey**

So sorry to hear of Toms passing. He was such a kind man and I remember him lighting up any room he was in. Sending thoughts of love to all.

— **Karen**

So sorry for your loss. Tom will be missed by many as he was such a caring person. Sending hugs and love to you all. Rest In Peace Tom ☐

— **Shelly Spelliscy**

My condolences to the family. Tom will be dearly missed. I had the pleasure to keep Tom's home clean for the past 9 years. But became friends long before. I will miss his witty charm and the laughter and joy he brought me with every visit (clean). He was like a big brother to me. Always on top of what was new with my children/life and kept me in line with my taxes. Was never a dull moment. I will miss you like crazy. Forever in my heart. Love u Tom.

— **Bobby-Sue Jerrett**

We were very saddened to learn of Tom's passing, and we count ourselves as blessed for having known him. We always knew Tom as kind, helpful, and knowledgeable. We offer our condolences to the entire Nichols family.

— **Rocky and Jennifer**

My deepest condolences to the family

— **Tom Gartner**

My deepest sympathies and love to the Nichols family.

— **Karla Milledge**

Our deepest condolences to the Nichols family. Tom was an amazing person with a quick response with a smile. We loved you brother Rest In Peace. We will never forget you. ☐

— **Wayne and Vernetta Folk**

We send you our love and prayers. Tom was an absolute hero, overcoming such adversity with the greatest perseverance and resilience, and always with his big smile and the twinkle in his eyes. We believe he's reunited with your parents in Heaven, in peace and fullness. With our sympathies and condolences, Julie (nee Dietrich) and Stacy Atter

— Julie Atter nee Dietrich

Our heart felt condolences to the Nichol family, so sorry for your loss. Tom will be missed by all that knew and loved him. Sending prayers and hugs to you all

— Rod and Debbie Davidson

My condolences to the family on this loss. Thomas was a stellar person, always the optimist, always the jokester and always the sharpest tool in the box so we always had to be careful not to give him the advantage. I will miss him as i know all others will as well. KD

— Kurt Dietrich

Sad to hear. Tom was awesome in so many ways. Great memories. Rest well man. Sending strength to the family - cheers to Thomas and you all.

— Russ Kleisinger

My deepest condolences to all of the Nichols family for your loss. Tom was a great person and he will be missed.

— Maggie Rex

Heartbreaking to hear of Tom's passing. Tom lit up a room with his welcoming smile and twinkling eyes!! He always had a positive demeanor! Tom will be greatly missed by all who knew him. My deepest sympathy to all the Nichols brothers and extended family!! May your cherished memories carry you all through this painful time. God Bless!!

— **Laura Bortolotto**

Dear Wane, Richard, James, Stephen, David and families,
We're so very sorry for your loss of Thomas. Thomas was a great friend as we grew up together, beginning in kindergarten at Holy Rosary. I always marvelled at his intelligence and athleticism. We had a lot of fun over the years. He was a wonderful guy who I loved and admired, so much so that we named our son after him. He'll be missed.

— **John Goetz**

Always a twinkle in Tom's eyes.
Quick with a joke, always smiling.
We had so many fun times playing at the Nichols tournament.
Tom will be missed by so many

Brian and I send our condolences to the entire Nichols family.

— **Beverley Krett**

So sorry to hear this news. My thoughts go out to the Nichols family.

— **Mark Liskowich**

So sorry to hear about Tom had some really great times with him. R.I.P. Buddy

— **Ray Welder**

It is with great sadness to hear of Tom's passing. The memories of growing up in the Cathedral area will always be cherished.

To the family, may you take comfort in knowing your friend's care.

"God has spoken. I will look after him now,"

— **Angelo O. Coppola**

Condolences to the entire Nichols family. I will remember him as a kind and gentle man. RIP Tom. Memories are a wonderful thing.

— **Mark and Shawna Schultz**

It has been many many years since I saw Tom but I still have strong memories of him. Growing up at Holy Rosary was fun and the entire Nichols family was part of that. Rest in Peace Tom. One day we will make another movie together. See you on the other side Tom.

— **Ted Maria**

Thomas will be missed. I have known Thomas from Holy Rosary right through Leboldus. Over many years Thomas also was my bookkeeper. I have many memories of fun times with Thomas and the Big Goetz family! Forever in your families heart Thomas, you will not be forgotten. My condolences to the Nichols family and extended family.

— **Jacqui Dumont**

Sending our condolences to the Nichols family. May his memory be a blessing to all who knew him.

— **Terry Donnelly**

My Condolences to all the family. Sorry for your loss. Many memories Rest In Peace Tom.

Vic

Vancouver , B.C

— **Vic Jalbert**

Thoughts and prayers to the Nichols family. I didn't know Tom well but what I knew he was a great man. He will be missed! Condolences! Jody

— **Jody Cooper**

My deepest and sincere condolences to the Nichols family. I have fond memories growing up near each other in the Cathedral area. The passing of Thomas is a huge loss to everyone. Best wishes Alf Zumpano

— **Alf Zumpano**

I am so sorry for your family's loss.

Growing up, my best friend Lisa's uncle would sometimes watch us, or just be around. He was cool and funny and kind.

As a kid you know who the safe ones are, and this guy was it.

And, his eyes. He not only had these piercing eyes, but they also had a sparkle that left a lasting impression.

I would catch myself staring at him long after he finished speaking wondering if there was more to what he said...

My thoughts and prayers are with you at this sad time.

— **Raena G**

I'm saddened by the passing of my sweet cousin Tom. My thoughts & prayers go out to all his brothers. When we were small we used to play all together. I loved Tom from the bottom of my heart and all the Nichols brothers. Rest In Peace!!! You will be missed by all who knew you.

— **Donna & Terry Warren**

All my sympathy for the loss of Tom, a life well-lived yet a life too short.

— **Loanne Myrah**

Such a kind soul and great friend.

Tom use to do our softball teams' stats back in the 90's. He attended every game to do so, had every players' batting avg, stolen bases, errors, pitching stats, the whole deal. He made us all feel like the pros, and everyone loved looking through them after every game at Western Pizza on Broadway.

— **Barry and JoAnn Rud**

Sharing in your sadness as we all remember Tom. His smile would brightened up your day and those beautiful caring eyes would look at you with such kindness. We would like the family to know that we care about you and share in your sadness! Love to all! Arlene, Brent and family

— **Arlene Walchuk**

Our deepest condolences to the family. We were sad to hear of Tom's passing. I have many great memories over the years from starting school to becoming adults. There were so many laughs and crazy things that we shared. Tom was one of those guys that excelled at everything he did, seemingly without trying. He will be missed by all who knew him.

— **Tim and Lee Paidel**

To the whole Nichols crew: we hurt along with you. Tom was one of the most rare and irreplaceable humans. We will remember him with love and laughter, and will always be grateful for the privilege of calling him our friend. We love you all.

— **Jan and Joe**

My deepest sympathies to the Nichols family on the loss of a true gem.

I will always remember Tom as a guy with a mischievous laugh and a sparkle in his eye. The thought of his resilience inspires me to this day.

May he rest in peace.

— **Vern Beckie**

A true friend. I will always remember our time spent at the beach playing lawn darts, water skiing, sitting around the late night fires etc...We go back a long ways, our trips, like the train ride to Vancouver for the Grey Cup as well as many other adventures. From our crib tournaments to your ball tournaments. When we sometimes became mischievous we always had each others backs. Our family has always considered the Nichols family like one of our own. Heck the kids only knew you as Uncle Tom. Your family has always been a tremendous support and me Sandy have been very blessed to be a part of your family for so many years. May you Rest In Peace...until we meet again my brother.

— **Russ & Sandy Stewart & family**

To the Nichols family:

We were saddened to learn of Tom's passing. May your memories of him help to soothe your souls

— **Doug & Brenda Jameson**

So sorry to hear of Tom's passing. My condolences to the Nichols family. I knew Tom from grade 1 at Holy Rosary all the way through to grade 12 at Leboldus. He was a force to be reckoned with both academically and athletically. But more so, he was a really nice guy and I know he will be sorely missed.

— **Maggie (McIntyre) Thompson**

Saddened to hear of Tom's passing, he was a beauty in every sense of the word, many fond memories growing up in the cathedral area with the Nichols family, condolences to his family and his many friends.

— **kelly livingston**

My condolences to the Nichols family and all related. Will be missed dearly by all that know him. R.I.P. Tom

— **Glenn Tumac**

All my sympathy to family and friends the world lost a good soul.

— **Odette Krauss**

Our sympathies go out to all of Tom's family and friends. He was a beautiful soul! May his memory be eternal. Rest in peace Tom.

— **Luanne and Mark**

My deepest condolences to the Nichols family . May the beautiful memories Tom left behind help keep him in your hearts forever.

— **Sherry McGregor**

So sorry to hear of Tom's passing. He was always super friendly and engaging every time we met. A genuine Gentleman. Condolences to the entire Nichol family.

— **Ron Nugent**

Steve Rachel and all the Nichols families - Morley and I truly loved Tom, he was funny, smart, charming, and quit the joker with that mischievous smile. Just a pleasure to be with. We had many outings with Tom, lunches, suppers, casino trips, shopping for plants, garage rider games back yard bon fires. Such a kind gentle soul Tom was. Tom will be deeply missed by many. Sending our Deepest Condolences.

Gone buy not forgotten.

Shirley and Moe

— **Morley McLeod**

May your loving memories give you the strength to carry through this difficult time. Our sincere condolences. Hank Reis and family.

— **Hank Reis and Family**

Tom was my godfather who I called my uncle. My dads best friend. I have so many memories with Tom I will cherish forever. Cruising around in the big brown van with him and dad promoting the ball tournaments, running around the old cathedral house and finding a new “hidden room” everytime we were there. Teaching us how to use “paint” on the computer when computers were the newest technology. Letting me push the dunk tank button on dad at the ball tournaments. He was always so funny and never missed an opportunity to poke fun of my dad. I am so blessed to have had such a genuine soul be a role model in my life. I will think of you everytime I drive down lewvan and see your house up on the street. Rest In peace Uncle Tom, you are so loved.

— **Samantha Stewart**

Our deepest condolences on your loss. We have all good memories of Tom whether it was watching garage Rider games or sharing conversation over food & drinks. He was one of a kind and will be truly missed.

— **Audrey & John Warford**

My love and condolences to the Nichols brothers and their families. I am so sad to hear of Tom's passing. I have such fond memories from my youth playing floor hockey on Charlie's Raiders and hanging with all of you. Hugs to everyone and raising my glass in a toast to Tom. ☐

— **Neeve (McRae) Zikman**

Thomas. My friend and younger brother. Justified by time spent at my home. Your mark on so many is obvious and ubiquitous. Thomas you are and always have been one of the most Alive, bright, intuitive, and humble influence's on all that was who were blessed to know you. The happiness and fun and great insights that came so naturally and easily to you will always be with your brothers and family and friends will be passed on to our children. Your impact on so many can't be measured. To say that you'll be missed is not even close to your impact on so many. We all love you and could use a visit from time to time. To your brothers and Mom and Dad. I know how hard this is on you all. But take all the great memories and do your best. Thomas will help you get through this. God Bless. Our deepest condolences. Bud & Dixie Goetz and family.

— **Francis Xavier (Bud) Goetz**

I am so sad to hear about Tom's passing. My condolences and prayers to all the family. Tom was my accountant and my family's accountant for decades. One of the most upbeat, friendly, kind persons I have yet to know. He was more than my accountant, I called him a friend. Too many wonderful people seem to leave us way to soon. Tom is one of those.

Wayne Folk

— **Wayne Folk**

My condolences to the Nichols families. Great memories of Tom, had alot of laughs, hope u see “ puff the Magic Dragon” RIP my freind

— **Spider**

On behalf of SCI Sask, I express sincere sympathies to the family and friends of Tom. Tom was a valued member of our organization, and a very likeable individual. We are saddened to hear of his departure from us in the current world, and wish his family and friends peace in his memory. Thank you for the willingness to have donations in Tom's memory provided to SCI Sask, which will allow us to carry on providing services to individuals living with physical disabilities, and the overall enhancement of accessibility and inclusion of all persons in our respective communities. Launel J. Scott, Executive Director SCI Sask

— **Launel Jane Scott Spinal Cord Injury Saskatchewan**



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