



Jacob S. Hillman

December 19, 1974 - February 11, 2026

Jacob "Jake" S Hillman 12/19/1974-02/11/2026

Jake Hillman, 51, of Vancouver, WA passed away in Vancouver on February 11, 2026. He passed in the company of family and friends.

Jacob was born in Yuma, AZ in 1974 to Linda and Jimmy Hillman, and was the third of four siblings. Jake was known for his quirky sense of humor and his loyalty, kindness, and willingness to help those who needed him. Jake attended school in Casper, WY, before moving to Bakersfield, CA, where he graduated high school from West High. He was the first person to graduate from the California State University system with a triple major. He went on to join the Army Reserves, and had two deployments to Iraq.

Jake was preceded in death by his father, Jimmy, and his older brother, Ken. May they meet him with open arms and ease his way into a peaceful afterlife. He is survived by his grandmother, Alma, his mother, Linda, his siblings, Mathew and Bonnie, his niece, Olli, nephews, Alex and Tim, and his family of the heart, Donavon, Jeff, Amy, Carly, and countless others whose lives he touched.

There will be a memorial service at Evergreen Memorial Gardens, 1101 NE 112th Avenue, Vancouver, WA 98684 on Saturday, February 21, 2026 at 3:00

pm in their chapel. Please visit their Tribute page at <https://www.evergreenmemorialgardens.com/obituaries/jacob-hillman/#!/TributeWall> for more information.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

FEB 21. 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM (PT)

Evergreen Memorial Gardens Cemetery, Funeral Chapel and Crematory

1101 NE 112th Ave

Vancouver, WA 98684

(360) 892-6060

info@evergreenmemorialgardens.com

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Chapel Memorial

Hospitality

FEB 21. 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM (PT)

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Tribute Wall

KS

“ Kim S. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Jacob S. Hillman.

Kim S. - February 19 at 11:28 PM

KR

“ Katie R. purchased the Basket of Memories for the family of Jacob S. Hillman.



Katie R. - February 19 at 03:52 PM

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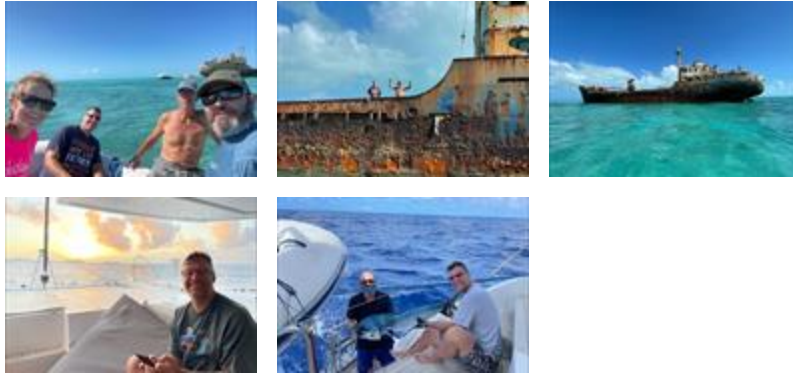
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Donavon - February 18 at 11:10 AM

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Dani - February 17 at 06:44 PM

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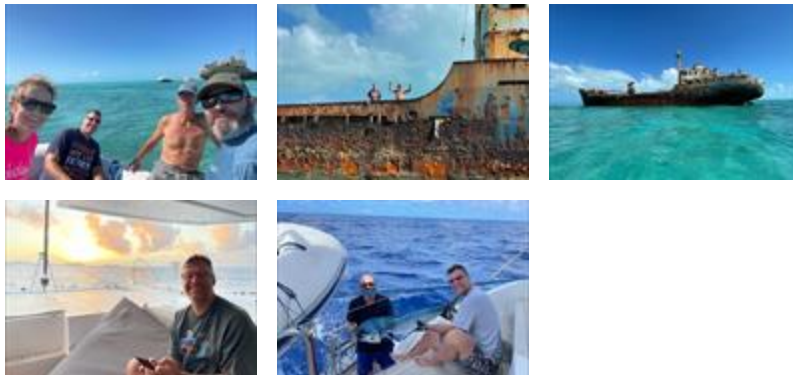
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Dani - February 17 at 06:41 PM

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Dani - February 17 at 06:38 PM

LB

“ Jacob was such a great man to work with and was always there to help when I needed him most with a friendly smile. You will be missed. God bless

Les Bachelor - February 17 at 02:06 PM

DK

“ Jake was full of laughter and love. He always loved a good joke, and he had a million of them to tell.

Whenever a friend was having a baby, Jake and I would go to the discount stores (Burlington, Marshall's, etc.) and buy as many loud, obnoxious baby toys that we could find. We packed them in a box and add a giant bottle of Tylenol.

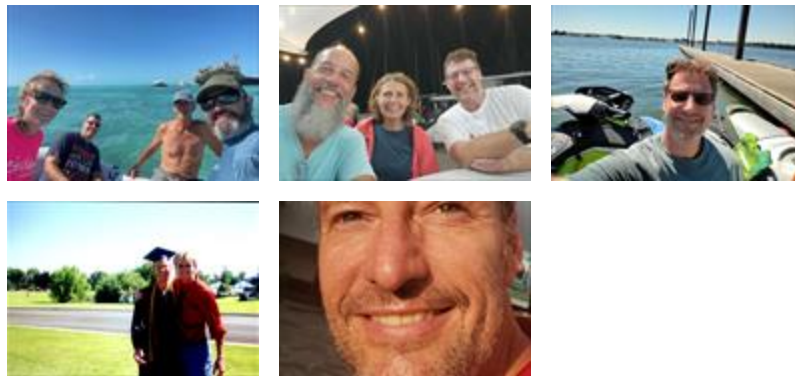
He joked around so much that his mom didn't believe him when he told her he bought a new car (and he was serious!).

I'm certain he is continuing to tell jokes, and playing jokes on all of us from the other side.

Devon Keas - February 17 at 12:15 AM

BH

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Bhillman1313 - February 15 at 07:17 PM



“ Dear Jake’s family,
I am so deeply sorry for your loss. Jake was a truly special person, with a rare kindness and warmth that stayed with everyone who had the privilege of knowing him, even briefly.
I met Jake in Istanbul, and from the very first moment, his genuine smile, grace, and ability to connect with people were impossible to miss. He left a lasting impression on my heart, and I know I am far from alone in this.
Please accept my heartfelt condolences. My thoughts are with you, and with all who loved him, during this incredibly painful time. I wish I could be there to honor his memory and stand with you in person. May you find strength in the love he gave and the countless lives he touched.
With deepest sympathy,
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Ece Esin - February 14 at 03:21 PM



“ Ece E. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Jacob S. Hillman.

Ece E. - February 14 at 02:58 PM



“ Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Jacob S. Hillman.



February 14 at 12:59 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Jacob S. Hillman.

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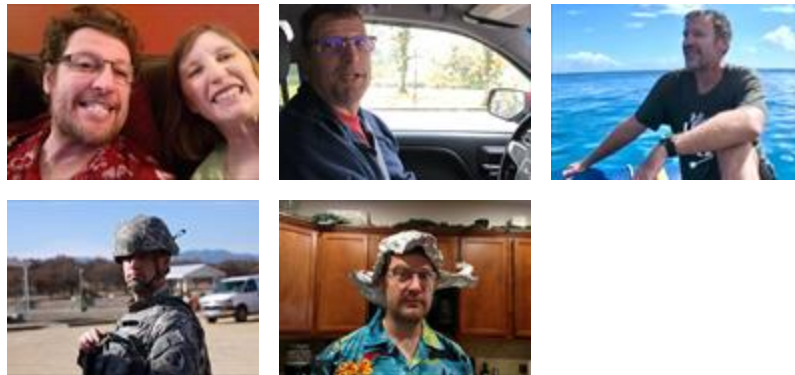


“ I SO loved Jake. I am Donavon's mother & Jake was truly a part of our family. So many times when I would see my son, Jake would be with him to lend a helping hand. He was so kind & caring in every way. My greatest sympathy to all who loved him so much. Jake will be truly missed. Heaven has gained another Angel.
Donna Jensen. ❤️❤️❤️

Donna Jensen - February 14 at 12:09 AM



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Bhillman1313 - February 13 at 09:50 PM



Jake was a love. Mickey and I loved him dearly. He had a wicked wit and sense of humour. We looked forward to his visits on his way to Bakersfield. We will miss him. We send our love and prayers to his family and his family of the heart of which we were members.

Melany Heaslip-Thomas - February 14 at 06:39 PM