



CHRISTOPHER "Chris" WALMER  
Obituary

Christopher "Chris" Walmer, 41, of Reynolds, ND passed away Tuesday, November 4, 2014 in Altru Hospital surrounded by his loving family after a short battle with lung cancer.

Christopher William Walmer was born August 18, 1973 in Montauk, NY the son of Sigfred and Patricia (Thibdaue) Walmer. He was raised in Barstow, CA graduating from Barstow High School in 1992. He attended the Phoenix Institute of Technology in Phoenix, AZ, graduating with a degree in Automotive Technology and Mechanics. He moved to Grand Forks, ND and was employed as a mechanic with Sears. Christopher entered the United States Army on February 11, 1994 at Fargo, ND and served as a Bradley Vehicle Mechanic in Kuwait during Operation Desert Storm. He was honorably discharged from military service at Fort Hood, TX on February 10, 1997 and resided in Killeen, TX. In 2009, he moved to Reynolds, ND and was employed with Crystal Sugar and later as a mechanic with Wood Products Incorporated. He was a founding member of the Double W Competitive Barbeque Team; winning many awards throughout the Upper Midwest. He was an avid NASCAR fan, enjoyed prospecting for gold, appreciated nature through his love of camping, and was a member of the Reynolds Volunteer Fire Department.

He is survived by his son, Christopher William Jr., daughters, Charissa and Patience Walmer, all of Reynolds, ND; a stepdaughter, Cheyanne Kidd of Texas; parents, Sigfred and Patricia Walmer, Sandusky, MI; brothers, Steve (Robbyn) of Reynolds, ND, Timothy (Angela) of Kentucky, and Matthew of Sandusky, MI; nephews, Brennan and Caleb Walmer; nieces, Stefanie and Autumnne Walmer and Chloe Ray.

He was preceded in death by his paternal grandparents and maternal grandparents.

Memorial Service: 11:00 a.m. Saturday, November 15, 2014 in Immanuel Lutheran Church, Buxton, ND.

Family Greeting: One hour prior to the memorial service in the church on Saturday.

Interment: At a later date.

Military Honors: American Legion, Veterans of Foreign Wars, and North Dakota National Guard

The online memorial registry may be signed at [www.normanfuneral.com](http://www.normanfuneral.com)

(The Historic Norman Funeral Home, Grand Forks, ND)