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Monroe, NY

Christopher Ferguson, 60 of Monroe, NY passed away on Sunday, October 11, 2020 at Montefiore St. Luke's Cornwall Hospital. The son of the late John and Barbara Knapp Ferguson, he was born on February 16, 1960 in Newburgh, NY.

Chris loved going to Sunshine Adult Daycare and the Discovery Church in Monroe, NY. Chris was a fun-loving social butterfly, always singing, dancing and having fun. He will be greatly missed by all of his family and friends. He was a beautiful soul.

Chris is survived by his siblings Cathy Lorgan and her husband John of New Windsor, NY, Kevin Ferguson of Newburgh, NY and Sharon Ferguson of Walkkill, NY; brother-in-law Don Ayers; niece and nephews Gabrielle Moglia, Anthony Cardona, Brett Ayers and Brandon Lorgan; great niece and nephew, AJ Cardona and Amber Cardona.

A graveside service will be held Monday, October 19, 2020 at Woodlawn Cemetery at 11 a.m.

In lieu of flowers memorial donations may be made to Access Supports for Living Foundation, 15 Fortune Rd. W, Middletown, NY 10941. Attn: Mariann I. Cheney Director of Development and Public.

# Tribute Wall

JM

“ Chris obviously loved life, was full of life and we enjoyed seeing him reading the Bible and absorbing/relating to the hope it contains for mankind despite the imperfections all experience at this time.

*Revelation 21:3-4*

*We will miss you Chris,*

*Jeff & MaryBeth*

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**Jeff & MaryBeth** - November 25, 2020 at 12:00 AM

MA

“ Chris was definitely the life of the party. His laugh contagious and his smile lit up the room. I will miss hearing "don't tell Sharon I called her at work" I will forever cherish our little conversations when you called, bingo night, the casino - I will never look at a pair of black pants with a white stripe the same way again 💕💕 my most heartfelt sympathys for all of you. Fly high Chris



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**Marilyn** - October 19, 2020 at 12:00 AM

AK

“ So sorry to hear the sad news of Chris' passing. Many years ago he and my daughter, Evie, were friends. They were in the chorus together at OCCC Special College. Chris came to our house for Evie's 21 birthday/graduation party and always mentioned how much fun he had with the DJ on our deck. Whenever I saw Chris in the community or at an MHA event, we had a nice chat. He will be missed.

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**Anne Klingner** - October 19, 2020 at 12:00 AM

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**Kristine** - October 18, 2020 at 12:00 AM

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**Kristine** - October 18, 2020 at 12:00 AM

KR

“ Chris always had a kind smile for everyone .... he loved the holidays and would always bring us treats to celebrate. I'll miss him waving to me through the window at work 😊 he would always bring me something for Valentine's Day. We would always have to stop and buy a doughnut and scratch offs when I would drive him home from trivia, and than he clean me out of what ever change was in my car 🥺🥺🥺🥺 .... I'll miss you Chris.

Kristine - October 18, 2020 at 12:00 AM

TS

“ My deepest condolences. Chris was a member of our team for trivia night. Always ready to play with a smile and pencil in hand. Sometimes he would end the night with a song and make us all smile! He will be missed. RIP

Tracy Schuh - October 17, 2020 at 12:00 AM

MT

“ "The tide recedes but leaves behind bright seashells on the sand, the sun goes down but gentle warmth still lingers on the land. The music stops, & yet it echoes on in sweet refrains... for every joy that passes, something beautiful remains." Chris was a beautiful person with a kind heart. He was always so happy and could brighten anyone's day. And we all know how much he loved to sing I am grateful I got the chance to know Chris. He will be missed. My condolences to his family.

Melanie Tanner - October 16, 2020 at 12:00 AM

SB

“ May you Rest In Peace, Chris.! Always so kind and cheerful.!



Sonia benichasa - October 16, 2020 at 12:00 AM

CL

“ Chris will deeply be missed by the Lagarde Family. He become one of our family members once my father met him through Mental Health Association. After my fathers passing we still kept in touch with him and would come over to our home during the holidays. Still can't believe that he is gone. I am sure he is sitting around laughing with my Father!

*Fly High Chris  
You will be missed*

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**Christopher Lagarde** - October 15, 2020 at 12:00 AM

PD

“ I am going to miss you buddy. I will miss your singing, your smile, your crazy antics and cooking mens breakfast with you. It is so long for now but not forever dear friend. To his family you are in my prayers, may the Jesus give you His peace during these difficult times.

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**Pastor Gerry Dumoulin** - October 15, 2020 at 12:00 AM

KE

“ Kathleen, Marsha and Taylor. RIP Chris take your candle go sit with the angels around God's golden .No more sorrows no more pain. Gone but not forgotten 🙏🙏

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**Kathleen Edwards** - October 15, 2020 at 12:00 AM

PA

“ Cathy, Kevin, Sharon:

*So sorry for your loss - may Chris rest in peace - such a gentle soul. Keep your memories close to your heart - he will always be with you and will be watching over all of you.*

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**Patricia** - October 15, 2020 at 12:00 AM

MZ

“ My Kris Kringle!!! You were the sweetest soul. Dance with the angels, you will be missed.  
So glad I was able to be with you for your birthday!!

*Love, Maria*

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**Maria Zaharek** - October 15, 2020 at 12:00 AM

NA

“ I have known Chris since 2000. He was by far one of the kindest, gentlest, warmest, sensitive, and caring person I ever had the pleasure to meet and spend time with. His positive, joyful, and warm disposition was contagious. He made an impact in the lives of many. He was a sunshine, and a bright light went out when he journeyed on. Chris will be forever missed. I send my warmest sympathy and condolences to his sister Cathy and the entire family. May our dear friend Chris Rest In Peace. Warmly, Nadia Allen

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**Nadia Allen** - October 15, 2020 at 12:00 AM

SD

“ Dear Chris may you rest in peace....rest which includes much singing, dancing and laughing. I will always keep you in my heart and treasure the memories of you. You will continue to be a part of my first day memories and why it was perfect. You had a gift of making people like you immediately. You always took pride in being able to put a smile on someone's face and heart. I still look for you when I am driving to work. Singing Sweet Caroline isn't going to be the same without you. Introduce yourself to my parents...they will adore you just like the rest of us. Hugs to your family and loved ones.

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**Sue Donovan** - October 15, 2020 at 12:00 AM

DE

“ Rip ... I miss your singing...u have a heart of gold..fly high and sing and dance !!! I send my condolences to your family..

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**Debby** - October 14, 2020 at 12:00 AM

DY

“ I have lost quite a few patients this year but this one really saddens me to my core. I joined my practice in 2016, Chris was one of my first patients. Together we grew through the years. Although he frequented my clinic regularly, he was always a welcomed breath of fresh air. We started singing together, after each encounter. A very simple classic ballad to brighten one another's day- karaoke on my Smartphone. Chris promised me that one day when he gets his denture, he will sing better than Whitney Houston. I hope they are now jamming together in Heaven above. I will miss his visits, his bright smile, his vibrant t-shirts and flip flops during cold months. I will miss his love for life and living. Most of all, I will miss his mindfulness of my own well being- from one human to another. It has been my great honor to have cared for such an extraordinary individual. We might have lost a friend but the universe has gained a shining star.

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**Dr Annabel Yuen** - October 14, 2020 at 12:00 AM

LA

“ Sorry for you and your family's loss Cathy. My thoughts are with you.



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**Lance** - October 14, 2020 at 12:00 AM

CA

“ My condolences to Chris' family. He was a special guy, whom I crossed paths with frequently at various meetings or social events here in Orange County. We had a "thing": he'd see me and come over to say "hi Chris", and then I'd say "hi Chris", then he'd laugh in his joyful way. A nice memory of him. May he Rest In Peace.

*Chris Ashman  
OC Commissioner of Mental  
Health (Ret)*

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**Chris Ashman** - October 14, 2020 at 12:00 AM

RG

“ So sorry Cathy and John for your loss. Heaven just got another angel. May he RIP

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**Rose Gallo** - October 14, 2020 at 12:00 AM