Jason Michael Goodding, beloved husband, father, brother and son passed away on Friday, February 5th at the age of 39. Jason was a 13-year veteran of the Seaside Police Department and was working as a patrol sergeant when he was killed in the line of duty.



Jason will be deeply missed by many, including his high school sweetheart and wife of 16 years, Amy, as well as his pride and joy, his two daughters Joslyn, 13 and Jayden, 10. He is also survived by his mother and step-father, Jan Becker and Tom Johnson, his father and step-mother, Dean and Patty Goodding, his sister Jennifer (Goodding) Hovanic, brothers Justin Goodding and Doug Hash, and close friend and mentor Roger Schenk. He will be greatly missed by many nieces and nephews, including: Mac, Kennedy, Wyatt, Lane, Nathan, Desi and Jace. He was preceded

in death by his beloved "Granny," Jean Wilson.

Jason was born in Portland, Oregon on June 17, 1976. He moved around frequently early in his life, including time spent in Hawaii and California. He arrived in the small, tight-knit community of Sherwood, Oregon in the 8th grade, a tan, scrappy, quick-witted point guard, flashing his unforgettable smile and making lifelong friends along the way. A natural at basketball, he also played football and baseball, maturing into an even-keeled, unflappable leader. But perhaps the most important thing to happen in Sherwood was the day he met a girl named Amy Jones. She was the homecoming Queen, he was her escort. And the rest, as the fairy tale goes, was history.

After graduating from Portland State University, Jason began his lifelong path as a mentor and leader in his community. He was the head basketball coach at Southridge High School in Beaverton, assistant coach at Tigard High School and Sherwood Middle School, and coached at schools throughout Seaside. As a police officer, he was a favorite among his peers and the citizens of Seaside. He didn't just respond to a burglary call, he stayed until the homeowner felt safe. He walked up to kids on the street with his wide, warm smile and listened to what they had to say. He was in life as he was as an officer: honest, fair and kind.



Although Jason was deeply entrenched in his community, he made the drive to Eugene as often as possible to watch Oregon football games. But it was his family that made him happiest. Teaching the girls to play basketball and watching them become leaders on the court was a tremendous source of joy and pride.

Jason will be tremendously missed by all who knew him.

Funeral Services will be held Friday, February 12 at 1:00 P.M. at the Seaside Convention Center for family, friends and law enforcement. The service will be preceded by a law enforcement procession that will wind through the streets of Seaside ending at the convention center.

IN LOVING MEMORY OF

JASON MICHAEL GOODDING

JUNE 17, 1976 - END OF WATCH - FEBRUARY 5, 2016



POLICE OFFICER'S PRAYER

O Almighty God. Whose great power and eternal wisdom embrace the universe? Watch over all police and law enforcement officers. Protect them from harm in the performance of their duty to stop crime, robberies and riots, and violence. We pray, help them keep our streets and homes safe day and night. We recommend them to your loving care because their duty is dangerous. Grant them your unending strength and courage in their daily assignments. Dear God, protect these brave men and women, grant them your almighty protection, unite them safely with their families after duty ends.

Amen.

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SEATING OF FAMILY

POSTING OF COLORS

NATIONAL ANTHEMS OF UNITED STATES AND CANADA

OPENING REMARKS AND OBITUARY BY CHAPLAIN GAIDOS

REMEMBRANCES AND TRIBUTES BY:

CLATSOP COUNTY SHERIFF TOM BERGIN

SEASIDE POLICE CHIEF DAVE HAM

COACH ROGER SCHENK

VIDEO TRIBUTE REFLECTING UPON JASON'S LIFE

SEASIDE POLICE SERGEANT GARY WELBORN

FRIEND BEN WARD

STATE SENATOR BETSY JOHNSON

PRESENTATION OF
THE OREGON MEDAL OF ULTIMATE SACRIFICE
BY GOVERNOR KATE BROWN

CLOSING BENEDICTION BY CHAPLAIN GAIDOS

CEREMONIAL HONORS

RETRIEVAL OF COLORS

DISMISSAL OF FAMILY

UNIFORMED PERSONNEL, FRIENDS AND COMMUNITY MEMBERS ARE ASKED TO REMAIN SEATED UNTIL FORMALLY DISMISSED.



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