



*A million times we thought of you,  
A million times we cried,  
If love alone could have saved you,  
You never would have died.*

*In life we loved you dearly,  
In death we love you still.  
In our heart you hold a place  
No one could ever fill.*

*It broke our hearts to lose you  
But you didn't go alone.  
For part of us went with you  
The day God called you home.*



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*In Loving Memory Of*

# *Nephi Allan Three Legs*

May 30, 1972  
Ft. Yates, North Dakota

January 4, 2020  
White Earth, North Dakota

**PRAYER SERVICE:** 7:00 p.m., Tuesday, January 14, 2020  
Wakpala Community Building ~ Wakpala, South Dakota

**FUNERAL SERVICE:** 11:00 a.m., Wednesday, January 15, 2020  
Wakpala Community Building ~ Wakpala, South Dakota

**OFFICIATING:** Rev. Richard Zephier, and Iva Traversie  
LDS Church Brother and Sister Davis, All Lay Readers Welcome

**CASKET BEARERS:** Jarred Blue Coat, Gary Mound, Frank "Peanut" Blue Coat,  
Peyton Red Elk, Thomas Three Legs Jr., Bennett Red Elk, Kyle Three Legs,  
Denver Three Legs, Russell Janis, Chett Four Bear

**HONORARY CASKET BEARERS:** Vernon & Theo Iron Cloud, Jasper Iron  
Cloud, David & Debbie Tiger, Jo'Ester Parshall, Geraldine Agard, A.J. Agard &  
Family, Greg Sherwood, Virgal Taken Alive, Gordon Three Legs, Melvin Hill,  
Bruce Kills In Water, Ivory Three Legs, Clara Three Legs, Errol Medicine, Glen  
Three Legs, Willard Two Bears, Tom Demery, Gwen Lonewolf, Ernest & Gloria  
Lonewolf, Quintin & Connie Steely, Lloyd Montclair, Myra Steely, Manaji Hill,  
Leo Ducheneaux, Mabel Medicine Crow, Valerie Wolf Necklace, Richard Red  
Elk, Severt Red Elk, D.J. Straight Head, Darrell Mad Bear, Chauncy Red Elk,  
Todd Two Hearts, Merle High Elk, T.C. Hill, Jason Hill, Paul Sand, Ira & Jennifer  
Blue Coat, Todd Goodsell, Caroline Sand & Family, Ed Red Fox, Pearl Three  
Legs, Olena Soft & Family, Jonathan Catch The Bear, Sullivan Larrabee, Roland  
Miner, Sr., Leah Salinas & Family, Dane LeBeau, Pierre & Iva Traversie, Phillip  
Blue Coat Jr., John "Stubbs" Noissey Hawk, Carrie Blue Coat, Kirby Blue Coat,  
Margie Blue Coat, Ashley & Joe Uses The Knife, Pat Red Fox & Lloyd Harrison,  
Carla Blue Coat, Wyatt Blue Coat, Jimmi Guerrero, George Ducheneaux &  
Family, Ashley "Junebug" Poland, Tyrese Red Bear, Val Eagle Shield, John Eagle  
Shield Jr., Taylor Three Legs, Jonni Eagle Shield, Robert Tiger Sr., Harold Tiger  
& Family, Rhonda Pay Pay & Family, Brady Tiger & Family, Ardyss Morrsette,  
Kirby Three Legs, Archie Fool Bear, George Iron Wing, James Girroux, Vicky  
Ducheneaux & Family, Tim Swimmer & Family, Jason Steely, Sheldon Tree Top,  
Dan Dupris, Gilbert Red Dog, Cynthia Cook, Shirley Dog Eagle, Danny &  
Valerie Curley, Frank Jamerson, Earl Bullhead, Anna Cottaney, Tilly Parshall,  
Steven Cottaney, Mona Hopkins, and all of Nephi's Grandchildren

**DRUM GROUPS AND GOSPEL SINGERS:** All are Welcome

**SPECIAL MUSIC:** Toby Keith "Crying For Me"  
Carrie Underwood "Until I See You Again" "Temporary Home"

**INTERMENT:** LDS Cemetery ~ Wakpala, South Dakota

Nephi Allan Three Legs, 47, of On The Tree, passed away Saturday, January 4, 2020 in White Earth, ND.

Nephi Allan Three Legs was born May 30, 1972 in Fort Yates, ND to James and Lorraine (Tiger) Three Legs. Nephi attended school in Wakpala, SD and transferred to public school and graduated from Standing Rock Grant School in Fort Yates, ND. Nephi lived in Wakpala most of his life with his mother Lorraine.

Nephi worked for the Wakpala Security from February 1, 1994 until 2005. He stayed with his siblings after his mother's passing in 2000. Nephi lived in Fort Yates, Mobridge and Ohio. After a while he decided to move in with his brother and sister-in-law, Tom and Reba at On The Tree.

Nephi enjoyed singing with all his brothers and uncles on the Lakeside Drum, he also enjoyed playing video games, doing word finds, and being on his phone. Nephi had a lot of nieces, nephews, and grandchildren he enjoyed spending time with. Especially his little "Boss Baby" Kynzlei B.C.

Nephi always worried about his dog, Spike, and all the other four-legged animals on the ranch. Before he lost his leg, he would walk everywhere down along the Moreau River. Nephi loved the country life. He will be missed by all his brothers, nieces, nephews, and grandchildren. He was loved by so many.

Nephi is survived by his brothers: William "Bill" Three Legs of Wakpala, Pete (Yvonne) Three Legs of Fort Yates, ND, Tom (Reba) Three Legs of On The Tree, and Vaughn "Stoney" Three Legs of Wakpala; adopted brother, Tom Demery of Mundaree, ND, Matthew (Julia) Davila of Austin, TX, Todd Goodsell of Bismarck, ND, Richard (Melanie) Schmucker of Canada; aunt, Maria Hopkin of Portland, OR; and a special friend, Shavonne Bird of New Town, ND.

Nephi was preceded in death by his parents, James and Lorraine (Tiger) Three Legs; brothers: Little Jim, Larry, Stan, Webster, and Clyde; paternal grandparents: Henry and Matilda Three Legs; and maternal grandparents, John Lewis and Rose Tiger; nephew, Eric Three Legs; and four legged friends: Spike, Genghus, and Kola.

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