



Prayer Service & Sharing:

7:00 p.m., Tuesday, August 11, 2026
Hyde County Memorial Auditorium
Highmore, South Dakota

Funeral Mass:

10:30 a.m., Wednesday, August 12, 2026
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Celebrants: Father John Short,
Father Tyler Mattson, Father Tom Clement

Pallbearers: Joe Aesoph, Nathan Aesoph, Oliver Aesoph
Shan Solberg, Cole Oakley, Dakota Fiene

Honorary Pallbearer: Hunter Solberg

Ushers: Matt Kutz, Ryan Resel, Parker Geditz, Pete Werdel

Altar Servers: Destiny McCauley,
Grey Oakley, Jayde McCloud

Lector: Mary Schlechter

Offertory: Mary Wortman, Deb Houdek

Musicians: Bridget Zilverberg,
Werdel Sisters

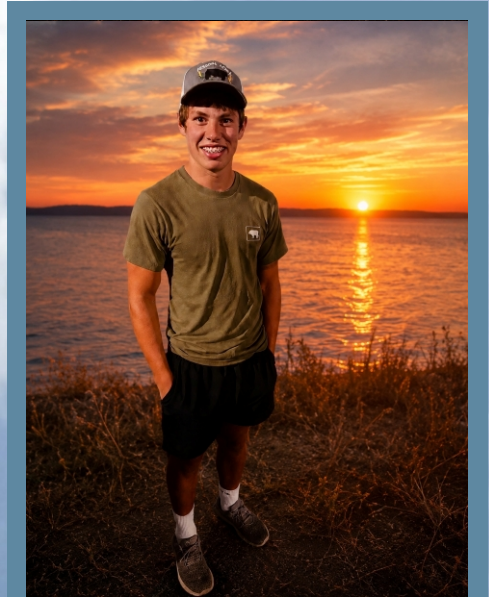
Music Selections:

"How Great Thou Art" - "Here I Am, Lord"
"On Eagle's Wings" - "Song of Farewell"
"Amazing Grace"

Burial:

St. Mary's Catholic Cemetery
Highmore, South Dakota

Please join the family for a luncheon and continued
fellowship following the burial at the Auditorium

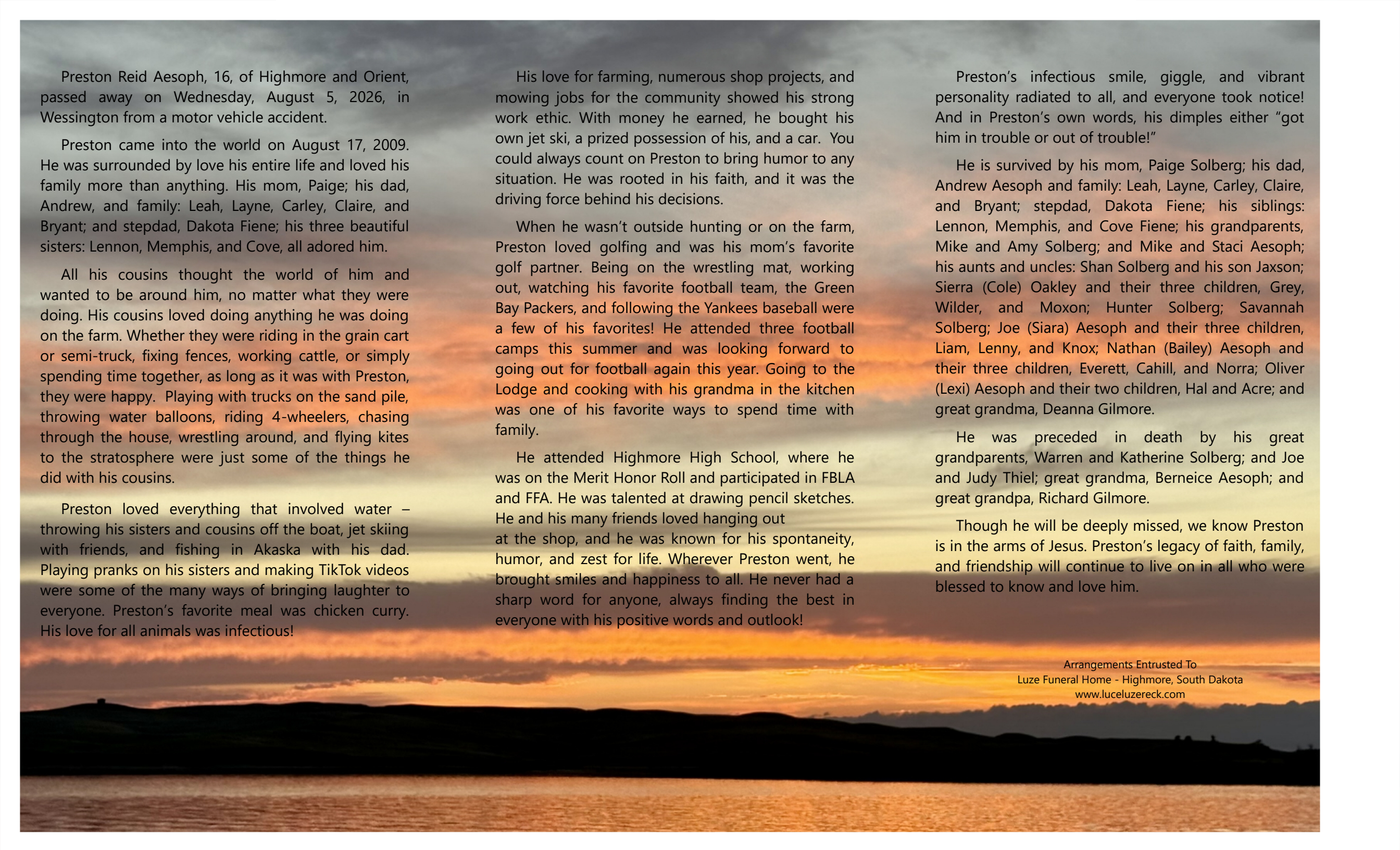


Celebrating
A LIFE

Preston Reid Aesoph

August 17, 2009 - August 5, 2026





Preston Reid Aesoph, 16, of Highmore and Orient, passed away on Wednesday, August 5, 2026, in Wessington from a motor vehicle accident.

Preston came into the world on August 17, 2009. He was surrounded by love his entire life and loved his family more than anything. His mom, Paige; his dad, Andrew, and family: Leah, Layne, Carley, Claire, and Bryant; and stepdad, Dakota Fiene; his three beautiful sisters: Lennon, Memphis, and Cove, all adored him.

All his cousins thought the world of him and wanted to be around him, no matter what they were doing. His cousins loved doing anything he was doing on the farm. Whether they were riding in the grain cart or semi-truck, fixing fences, working cattle, or simply spending time together, as long as it was with Preston, they were happy. Playing with trucks on the sand pile, throwing water balloons, riding 4-wheelers, chasing through the house, wrestling around, and flying kites to the stratosphere were just some of the things he did with his cousins.

Preston loved everything that involved water – throwing his sisters and cousins off the boat, jet skiing with friends, and fishing in Akaska with his dad. Playing pranks on his sisters and making TikTok videos were some of the many ways of bringing laughter to everyone. Preston's favorite meal was chicken curry. His love for all animals was infectious!

His love for farming, numerous shop projects, and mowing jobs for the community showed his strong work ethic. With money he earned, he bought his own jet ski, a prized possession of his, and a car. You could always count on Preston to bring humor to any situation. He was rooted in his faith, and it was the driving force behind his decisions.

When he wasn't outside hunting or on the farm, Preston loved golfing and was his mom's favorite golf partner. Being on the wrestling mat, working out, watching his favorite football team, the Green Bay Packers, and following the Yankees baseball were a few of his favorites! He attended three football camps this summer and was looking forward to going out for football again this year. Going to the Lodge and cooking with his grandma in the kitchen was one of his favorite ways to spend time with family.

He attended Highmore High School, where he was on the Merit Honor Roll and participated in FBLA and FFA. He was talented at drawing pencil sketches. He and his many friends loved hanging out at the shop, and he was known for his spontaneity, humor, and zest for life. Wherever Preston went, he brought smiles and happiness to all. He never had a sharp word for anyone, always finding the best in everyone with his positive words and outlook!

Preston's infectious smile, giggle, and vibrant personality radiated to all, and everyone took notice! And in Preston's own words, his dimples either "got him in trouble or out of trouble!"

He is survived by his mom, Paige Solberg; his dad, Andrew Aesoph and family: Leah, Layne, Carley, Claire, and Bryant; stepdad, Dakota Fiene; his siblings: Lennon, Memphis, and Cove Fiene; his grandparents, Mike and Amy Solberg; and Mike and Staci Aesoph; his aunts and uncles: Shan Solberg and his son Jaxson; Sierra (Cole) Oakley and their three children, Grey, Wilder, and Moxon; Hunter Solberg; Savannah Solberg; Joe (Siara) Aesoph and their three children, Liam, Lenny, and Knox; Nathan (Bailey) Aesoph and their three children, Everett, Cahill, and Norra; Oliver (Lexi) Aesoph and their two children, Hal and Acre; and great grandma, Deanna Gilmore.

He was preceded in death by his great grandparents, Warren and Katherine Solberg; and Joe and Judy Thiel; great grandma, Berneice Aesoph; and great grandpa, Richard Gilmore.

Though he will be deeply missed, we know Preston is in the arms of Jesus. Preston's legacy of faith, family, and friendship will continue to live on in all who were blessed to know and love him.

Arrangements Entrusted To
Luzé Funeral Home - Highmore, South Dakota
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