FOOTPRINTS

One night a man had a dream. He dreamed he was walking along the beach with the LORD.

Across the sky flashed scenes from his life.

For each scene, he noticed two sets of footprints in the sand; one belonged to him, and the other to the LORD.

When the last scene of his life flashed before him, he looked back at the footprints in the sand.

He noticed that many times along the path of his life there was only one set of footprints.

He also noticed that it happened at the very lowest and saddest times in his life.

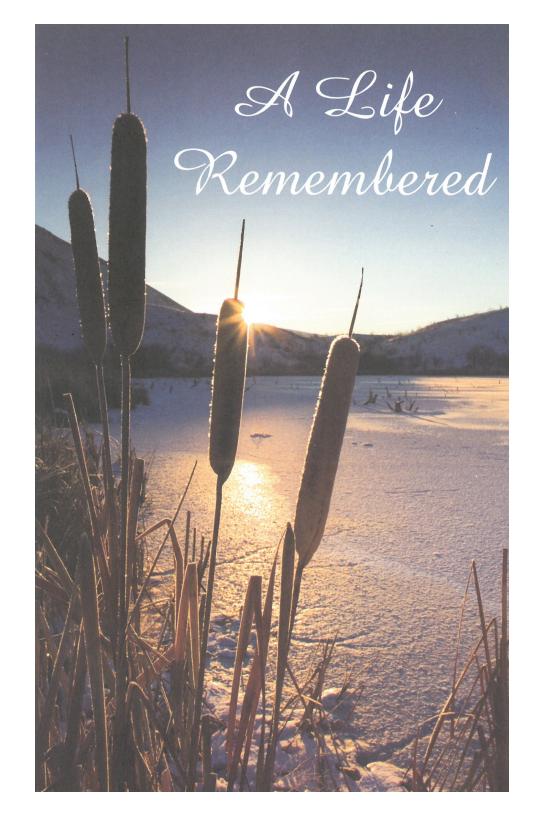
This really bothered him and he questioned the LORD about it. "LORD, you said that once I decided to follow you, you'd walk with me all the way. But I have noticed that during the most troublesome times in my life, there is only one set of footprints.

I don't understand why when I needed you most you would leave me."

The LORD replied, "My precious, precious child,

I love you and would never leave you.

During your times of trial and suffering,
when you see only one set of footprints,
it was then that I carried you."





Justin Allen Berge was born April 4, 1985 in Madison, MN to Vernon and Patricia (Call) Berge. He was baptized and confirmed at Kviteseid Lutheran Church in Milan. Justin attended and graduated from Lac qui Parle Valley High School in 2003. Following high school, he attended St. Cloud Technical College where he graduated with a degree in carpentry.

Justin was a hard worker and spent his professional career as a carpenter. He was determined and talented at his profession and took pride in his work. He enjoyed hunting and fishing, spending time outdoors, and making the occasional trip to the lake. Justin loved being an uncle and spending time with his family. Most of all, Justin was always willing to lend a helping hand, and would help anyone in need.

Justin is survived by his father, Vernon Berge of Milan, MN; brother, Brandon (Susan) Berge of Monticello, MN; nieces: Morgan (Ross) and Haley; great-nieces and nephews: Rowyn, Donald, and Waylon; his dog, Nevaeh; and many other family and friends.

He was preceded in death by his mother, Patricia; and his paternal and maternal grandparents.

Justin Berge of St. Cloud, formerly of Milan, died on Monday, April 19, 2021 in St. Cloud, MN at the age of 36.

Blessed be his memory.

Celebrating The Life Of

Justin Allen Berge

MEMORIAL SERVICE

Monday, April 26, 2021 ~ 10:30 AM Kviteseid Lutheran Church ~ Milan, MN

Prelude

Processional

Worship Order

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Greeting; Gathering; Thanksgiving for Baptism; Prayer of the Day Special Music "Go Rest High On That Mountain"

Reading of Obituary

Scripture Readings

Psalm 23; Psalm 121; Romans 8:26-28

Special Music "Amazing Grace"

Gospel Reading

John 14:1-6

Message

Special Music

"How Great Thou Art"

Confession of Faith - Apostles' Creed

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Prayers

Commendation

Table Grace

Be present at our table Lord.

Be here and everywhere adored.

These mercies bless and grant that we,

May feast in paradise with thee. Amen

Benediction

Recessional



OFFICIANT

Pastor Kristine Isder

ORGANIST

Judi Bohm

FINAL RESTING PLACE

Kviteseid Lutheran Milan Methodist Cemetery Milan, MN