



Lionel Charles Bernesky

July 10, 1960 - February 28, 2026

Lionel Charles Bernesky of Grande Cache, Alberta, passed away on February 28, 2026, at the age of 65 years.

Lionel was born on July 10, 1960, in Arborfield, Saskatchewan. He grew up on his parents' farm, where he developed a strong work ethic and a love for the outdoors. During his younger years, he enjoyed playing hockey and later found great joy in sports such as softball, where he pitched for his team, and bowling with his league.

Lionel loved spending time outdoors—camping, hunting, and fishing whenever he could. He also had a natural green thumb and took great pride in his greenhouse and the cherry trees he carefully grew. He was known for his great sense of humor and his ability to make those around him laugh.

Above all, Lionel's greatest joy and most important role was being a Papa. He cherished the time he spent with his grandchildren: Raina, Merick, Dawson, Logan, Rosie, and Kaleb.

Lionel will be lovingly remembered by his mother, Verna; his children, Nathan, Vanessa (Robert), and Sarah; and his nephew, Graham (Rachel), along with many extended family members and friends who will deeply miss him.

A Celebration of Life will be held on Saturday March 14, 2026, at 11:00 a.m. at Eagles Nest Hall in Grande Cache (10028 99 St.), with a luncheon to follow.

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

MAR 14. 11:00 AM.

Eagles Nest Hall