

Patrick Gaudet

September 18, 1992-December 13, 2023

Born on September 18, 1992, Patrick Alain Gaudet was the youngest son of Jean-Claude Gaudet and Josette Thériault-Gaudet of New Brunswick. He grew up in Falher, just one block away from the very baseball diamond bearing his name today.

He was the beloved baby brother of Sebastien and Annie Gaudet, and a proud uncle to Joelle and Thomas Schofield, roles he held with deep love and pride. His partner Paige was "the one". When he brought her to meet his entire extended family in New Brunswick, he introduced her as such.

His killer smile, sharp wit, silly giggle, and dark humour made him the loveable person he was. Playing sports with his friends helped shape so many of his earliest memories. A devoted sports fan and athlete, he grew up playing hockey, baseball, badminton, and golf, and spent countless hours with friends travelling to and from ice rinks, fields, courts, and courses.

A self-proclaimed foodie, he enjoyed sharing good meals during nights out on the town or simply enjoying takeout on the couch while watching a game—or some wonderfully awful reality TV. He loved music and raves, and even in his final days, his love for music remained with him, his toes tapping in his hospital bed to a song his partner, Paige, put on for him.

At 29, he received a devastating diagnosis of Ewing sarcoma, beginning a terribly difficult journey that he faced with strength and courage. Two years later, he was gone far too soon. Though his life was heartbreakingly short, the memories he created and the love he gave so freely will remain forever in the hearts of all who knew and loved him.