

IN LOVING MEMORY

# Mason Edward Machado

May 7, 2004 – Oct. 16, 2026

Mason Edward Machado was born on May 7, 2004, and was taken from us tragically and far too soon. Though his time here was cut short, Mason leaves behind a lasting mark on the hearts of those who knew and loved him.

Mason had a natural talent for working with his hands. He loved working on cars and taught himself much of what he knew, driven by curiosity, determination, and a desire to learn by doing. He took pride in his skills and had a knack for figuring things out on his own.

Mason attended St. Bernard's and graduated from Tracy High School, where he participated in the FFA Ag Science program. He went on to complete welding school, continuing to develop his practical skills and passion for hands-on work.

Farming was more than just work to Mason. He followed in his grandfather's footsteps, carrying on a family tradition and honoring a legacy that connected generations of his family. Through his love of hard work and learning by doing, Mason honored those who came before him.

Mason was preceded in death by his beloved grandfather, Tony Jaques, and his aunt and godmother, Diana Mast.

He is survived by his mother, Ann Jaques Machado; his sister, Megan; his brother, Martin (Sam); his sister, Madeline (Bradley); and his grandmother, Carol Jaques. He also leaves behind his beloved nephews, Remington and Bennett; his godfather, Dan Mast; his longtime partner, Summer Prime; and a large extended family of aunts, uncles, cousins, and family friends who were an important part of his life. Mason was surrounded by people who cared deeply for him, and his loss will be felt throughout the many lives he touched.

Mason's life was cut tragically short, leaving behind a family who loves him deeply and will forever wish for more time with him. He also leaves behind an incredible group of friends who meant so much to him and who will miss him more than words can express. His memory will live on through the people he loved, the friendships he built, the skills he taught himself, the work he took pride in, and the family traditions he carried forward. Mason will forever be loved, deeply missed, and never forgotten.

Visitation will be held Tuesday, October 27, 2026, from 2:30 p.m. to 6:00 p.m., followed by a Rosary Service at 6:00 p.m. at Fry Memorial Chapel, 550 South Central Avenue, Tracy. A Funeral Mass will be celebrated Wednesday, October 28, 2026, at 11:00 a.m. at St. Bernard's Catholic Church, 163 West Eaton Avenue, Tracy.