

# Jake Kanyer

June 1, 1999 – March 6, 2021



Horizon Community Church  
Tualatin, Oregon  
April 17<sup>th</sup>, 2021

## Our thoughts behind this service:

As Jake's parents, our heart is that this service honor our son. We hope this is a time where he is remembered well.

This service is also an expression of our faith. And we want to acknowledge that many here today come from a variety of faith backgrounds. Our heart is that you will feel comfortable even if this service puts you in unfamiliar territory.

We will be spending a bit more time in worship than a typical memorial service. Quite simply, it is because it is our lifeline as we walk through the valley of deep darkness. Worshiping God in the most difficult of seasons is called a 'sacrifice a praise'. It is easy for us to praise God and thank Him when life is going well. But this is our opportunity, in our deepest pain, to choose to praise Him and give Him our sacrifice of praise and worship.

Feel free to join us in any way you are comfortable. Sitting quietly. Standing. Standing with arms held high. Kneeling. There is no right way or wrong way.



**In honor of Jake's life**, please consider making a gift in his name to one (or more!) of the following non-profits:

Talitha Koum Institute – Waco, Texas  
Blanket Coverage – Portland, Oregon  
BARC – Baylor University

For more information about each organization and links to their giving pages go to:

[www.jakekanyermemorial.com/memorial-gifts](http://www.jakekanyermemorial.com/memorial-gifts)

## Order of Service



### CALL TO WORSHIP

Veritas Concert Choir – April 2014  
St. James Cathedral, Seattle Washington

### WELCOME & OPENING PRAYER

Pastor Glenn Schroeder

### WORSHIP

Sarah Lorente & Paige Maxwell

### EULOGIES

Ryan Burtlehaus, Heidi Jones, Dr. David Corey

### INTERLUDE

“This I Believe/The Creed”

### MESSAGE

Pastor Glenn Schroeder

### SLIDESHOW

“So Will I” & “Endless Alleluia”

### HYMN

“Amazing Grace (My Chains Are Gone)”

### RECESSIONAL

Please remain seated as the family exits

## From the Kanyer Family

A handwritten-style cursive script that says "thank you" in a light, elegant font, with long, flowing lines extending from the beginning and end of the words.

for the outpouring of love and care you have given to us the last several weeks. We are deeply aware that we are being carried by the prayers of hundreds of dear friends, family and friends-we-have-yet-to-meet.

Special thanks to friends that: travelled to Texas with us, opened their homes in hospitality, sold a car for us, designed a beautiful website, picked up food at the grocery store, sent flowers, created slideshows, sent words of encouragement in a card, email, letter or text, brought us a meal, a salad, or snacks. Or simply sat and listened to us, let us cry, and gave us hugs. We have been touched by every single act of love.

We are also grateful to those who have assisted us in creating the service today by: taking care of logistical details, bringing in the beautiful plants, providing covid friendly “snacks-to-go”, and allowing us the use of the facility itself.

We humbly ask that you continue to pray for us in the days, weeks, and months ahead. We know the coming days will not be easy. Our journey of healing has just begun.

With deep gratitude, Bob, Kelley, & Lang