



## Dr. Todd Johan Tobiassen

April 27, 1962 - March 17, 2024

Dr. Todd Johan Tobiassen passed away on March 17, 2024, at his home in Orange Beach, Ala. He was 61 years old. A beloved husband, father, son, and friend, Todd was a healer with a big heart. He touched countless lives during his long career as an emergency room doctor in Baldwin County.

Todd was born in Milton, Fla. on April 27, 1962, and is a 1980 alumnus of Washington High School in Pensacola. He graduated from the University of South Florida in Tampa, where he also finished medical school. He served his residency in Selma with the University of Alabama at Birmingham.

As a young man, Todd didn't think he wanted children, but that changed after he met the love of his life Deirdre Troy, a pharmaceutical sales rep who called on his residency office. It was a whirlwind romance that led to nearly 30 years of marriage. They have two beautiful children, Thor and Ava.

Todd loved every stage of their lives, and enjoyed planning family adventures to surf, ski, sail and scuba dive. The kids' friends were drawn to Todd, coming over to hear his stories, and visit on the boat dock. "Dr. Todd" served as a mentor for many.

Todd was always the life of the party! He had an infectious grin and a contagious laugh. Todd was at his best when entertaining friends and relatives

with oyster roasts, boat rides, and hunting and fishing excursions. He was known to get carried away at times. Like the dinner party where he decided boat flares might serve as fireworks. The fire department was not amused. Ever the trickster, he once put dreaded fish sticks into Chick-fil-A boxes for the kids.

Todd was generous with his medical abilities, available to help friends in crisis. In a pinch, he could turn the dining room table into a makeshift ER. He was also somewhat of a backyard mechanic, tinkering with cars and boats. He cherished the notes sent from patients, thanking him for his compassionate care.

Todd is survived by his wife Deirdre, his children, Thor and Ava, and his mother, Audrey. He was preceded in death by his father, Tom, and his brother Tommy, and his grandparents Irene and Alfred Neuman.

A celebration of Dr. Todd Tobiassen's life will be held at 2pm on Sunday, March 24, 2024, at Magnolia Hall Orange Beach. In lieu of flowers, the Tobiassens ask for donations in Todd's memory to the American Heart Association or the charity of your choice. Todd lived life largely and would want us all to embrace life and love our people!

# Previous Events

## Celebration of Life

MAR **24**. 2:00 PM (CT)

Magnolia Hall  
25689 Canal Rd  
Orange Beach, AL 36561

# Tribute Wall

DW

“ *Diane White lit a candle in memory of Dr. Todd Johan Tobiassen*



Diane White - April 24, 2024 at 05:32 PM

AI

“ *I will always remember him as a wonderful friend, father and husband. He had such a beautiful soul. He will be greatly missed by many. I am lucky to have met him and his family and become friends with them. My condolences and prayers go out to his beautiful wife and children.*

Ashley Imperato - March 23, 2024 at 01:15 AM



“ *Be My Love Bouquet with Red Roses was purchased for the family of Dr. Todd Johan Tobiassen.*



March 22, 2024 at 03:51 PM

OP

“ *Office of Medical Affairs, Fast Pace planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Dr. Todd Johan Tobiassen.*

Office of Medical Affairs, Fast Pace - March 22, 2024 at 03:51 PM

BF

“ *Barros Family purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Dr. Todd Johan Tobiassen.*



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**Barros Family** - March 22, 2024 at 10:56 AM

CS

“ *He truly will be missed 🙏 for peace and comfort for his family. I remember the 1st time I met him, he was so caring and didn't stop until he knew exactly what was wrong, I ask him if he could be my personal doctor ☐*

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**Cheryl Stephens** - March 20, 2024 at 05:12 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Dr. Todd Johan Tobiassen.*



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March 20, 2024 at 01:03 PM

TH

“ *Thomas H. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Dr. Todd Johan Tobiassen.*

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**Thomas H.** - March 20, 2024 at 01:03 PM

LK

“ *Dr. Tobiassen was the most caring E.R doctor at Thomas Hospital. He had the heart of gold the only doctor I ever trust with explaining to me what was going on with me. To some it up the best bed side manners ever. He made his patients feel like a friend. You will truly be missed sir.*

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**Linda Kirksey** - March 20, 2024 at 12:39 PM

SO

“ *It saddens me to hear about the passing of Dr T. He was one of the most giving man. I remember on more than one occasion him buying dinner for all of us on night shift at Thomas. So generous and funny. My thoughts are with you Deirdre in this time of sorrow. All my love, Stacey*

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**Stacey Orosco** - March 20, 2024 at 10:31 AM

LB

“ *I'm so sorry to hear of the passing of Dr Tobiassen. I worked with him for about 8 years at Thomas Hospital ER. He was such a big presence in the department and had the ability to put a smile on everyone's face. He truly cared for his patients and they all loved him, along with the staff. He was so goofy and loved to cut up. We have missed having him around lately and will continue to miss him every day. I'm praying for his family in this time - Laura Bower*

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**Laura Bower** - March 20, 2024 at 10:02 AM

JP

“ *I was fortunate to have worked with Dr. Tobiassen in the ER at Thomas hospital. He was truly a kind and compassionate doctor and his patients loved him as did the staff. He is missed. Jennifer Predmore*

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**Jennifer Predmore** - March 19, 2024 at 10:56 PM

LP

*My condolences for your loss. I had the pleasure of working with him in the ER at Thomas Hospital for many years. He was a kind and compassionate doctor and was well loved by the staff. Prayers for peace and comfort.*

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**Lynne Pearson** - March 20, 2024 at 09:51 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Dr. Todd Johan Tobiassen.*



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March 19, 2024 at 04:54 PM