

# MARK POY



## OBITUARY

Mark Poy (Feb 1964 - Oct 2025) passed away in Vancouver, surrounded by loved ones.

He is survived by his wife, Sunshine; stepchildren Kelly and Kory; his mother, Carole; siblings Michele, Greg, and Angela and many nieces and nephews. He was predeceased by his father Donald.

Raised in Victoria, Mark later settled in Vancouver to pursue his lifelong passion for music a journey that took

him around the globe. A gifted musician, he was best known for his work on the keyboard and as a member of bands such as Think Twice, Love Cats, Split Image / 911 and Idle Eyes. His musical career extended beyond performance to studio ownership, sound mixing, DJing, and mentoring others.

Beyond music, Mark had a sharp mind for technology and finance. He was a respected manager at Shaw, known for his leadership, empathy, and problem-solving skills.

Mark loved travel, nature, skiing, sailing, and being part of life's moments, never seeking the spotlight, but always present. He was playful, kind, and deeply loyal, with friendships spanning decades. His beloved dogs, Sammy and Louie, were constant companions through life's ups and downs.

Even during his battle with cancer, Mark remained a source of strength and positivity. His quiet wisdom and generous spirit leave a lasting legacy.

A celebration of Mark's life will be held in Victoria on January 31. RSVP info at <https://evite.me/UWjcpZnYwy>

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