



Kevin C. Bruckner

October 7, 1958 - December 9, 2014

Kevin C. Bruckner, age 56, of Richland Center died suddenly at his home on December 9, 2014. He was born on October 7, 1958, in Richland Center to Carl and Virginia (Shannon) Bruckner. Kevin graduated from Richland Center High School in 1977. He worked as a journeyman lineman and journeyman electrician for over 35 years.

On March 8, 1996, he married Clarice "Clare" Stouffer in Baraboo, WI. Kevin enjoyed spending time outdoors hunting and fishing. He was also an avid Wisconsin Badger and Green Bay Packers fan. He was most proud of his two daughters, Kate and Sarah, and adored them for the beautiful young ladies they have become. Kevin was always willing to help out a friend when they needed a hand.

Survivors include his wife, Clarice "Clare" Bruckner of Richland Center; two daughters, Katherine "Kate" Bruckner and Sarah Bruckner both of Madison; his mother, Virginia Bruckner of Richland Center; a brother, Kent (Lynnette) Bruckner of Richland Center; a sister, Kari (Kurt) Radke of Wilton, WI; aunts, uncles, nephews, nieces, and several other relatives and friends.

Kevin was preceded in death by his father, Carl Bruckner; and a sister, Karla Bruckner.

A Celebration of Life Service will be held on Saturday, December 13, 2014 at 1:00 PM at the Clary Memorial Funeral Home in Richland Center with Pastor Tom Dowling officiating. Visitation will be held at the Clary Memorial Funeral Home on Saturday from 11:00 AM until the time of service at 1:00 PM. On line condolences can be made at www.clarymemorialfuneralhome.com

Tribute Wall

JR

“ Kevin was a well read classmate of mine who loved the outdoors.

There's abundant morel and brook trout with God in Heaven!

Jon Rinehart - May 20, 2023 at 09:21 AM

DE

“ I'm sitting here this Easter, listening to Steve Forbert. And thinking of Kevin. So many cool things that remind me of that guy. Rest In Peace Kevin. You are thought of often.

Dave Elliott - April 17, 2022 at 05:50 PM

DF

“ I just learned that a great guy passed. Kevin and I were room mates several times in the 80's. He was such a good friend and confidante. I still think often of our escapades, our conquests and of course our tall tales. Rest in peace my old friend. You left way to early.

Dave Elliott - Friend - December 16, 2014 at 12:00 AM

AF

“ Rest in Peace my friend. Say hi to Paul. I am sure there are a lot of fish in Heaven.....

Annette Berns - stillwater, MN - friend - December 14, 2014 at 12:00 AM

MC

“ I just found out a few minutes ago about Kevin's passing. My prayers and condolences go out to all of his family and friends at this time of loss. Kevin and I met each other on the first day of Kindergarten and spent the next twelve years through Grade School, Middle School and High School together, We were also neighbors, so we met with the kids around town for baseball games and races in the field behind the old High School. Kevin had those sparkling blue eyes, kind heart and always a smile. I remember one squirrel hunting trip that Kevin took me on, I was not prepared for the cold and the waiting, and waiting, waiting and waiting, He was committed to the hunt and I was just a talkative girl. We didn't shoot one squirrel that day. What? No talking, whistling, running, whispering really? Needless to say, he never invited me to go hunting again, What a beautiful tribute to Kevin's life in the photo montage. Had I known about Kevin's passing, I would have been among those attending to honor his memory. sympathies and comfort,
Maggie Wheelock

Maggie Wheelock - Richland Center, WI - friend and classmate - December 14, 2014 at 12:00 AM

Jl

“ Dear Claire, Kate and Sarah,

Your world has stopped.
Your lives have forever changed.
We cannot know your pain, only remember what loss we have experienced in our own past. We pray for you this day and know that God weeps with you.
As your grief comes around again and again as time passes,
may you know that God's strength is deeper than your sorrow.
Know that you are not alone, and draw comfort from God's deep well.

Thinking of you and your family. We know Pastor Tom will be there for you and hope your friends at St. John's will rally their support as well God Bless and keep you. Ken and Jacqueline

JacquelineBurnett and Ken Halstead - Dubuque, IA - December 13, 2014 at 12:00 AM

DF

“ You have our deepest sympathies. Kevin was such a terrific guy and we were honored to know him. We will never forget his wonderful sense of humor and generous nature. I know he holds a special place in everyone's heart and will be so greatly missed. Remember the good times and that Kevin will live on in all our hearts and the wonderful memories.

Dennis J & Dawn M Dobbs - Richland Center, WI - Friend - December 13, 2014 at 12:00 AM

DF

“ Thinking of you girls today as you lay your father/husband to rest, please keep each other close, and know that you have family and friends to lean on if needed. Hugs and kisses to you

Diane Cook - Richland Center, WI - Friend - December 13, 2014 at 12:00 AM

HC

“ My deepest heartfelt sympathy in the loss of your loved one. May all your memories help you thru this. Blessings for spiritual support. I have to work, or I'd be at the funeral. LOVE and HUGS

helen sheafor - Richland Center, WI - cousin - December 13, 2014 at 12:00 AM

DF

“ I wrote this poem many years ago when my father passed away. I send this in hopes it will bring some comfort.

Now when you think of Him...
Teardrops fill your eyes.

Your heart is full of sorrow...
Your voice with anguished cries.

But, there will come a time, I guarantee...
Though likely not for awhile.

That every time you think of Him...
You just can't help but smile.

Dennis Klang - Sun Prairie, WI - Friend - December 12, 2014 at 12:00 AM

DF

“ So, so sad, our thoughts and prayers are with you now at this difficult time.

Dave and Judy Berkowski - Milwaukee, WI - friend - December 12, 2014 at 12:00 AM

DF

“ We are very sorry to hear of your loss. Our prayers and thoughts are with you.

Darrin & Deb Liegel - Richland Center, WI - friend - December 11, 2014 at 12:00 AM

HF

“ *The Bruckner ladies,
A huge hug from me to you! I am so very sorry for your loss. There are no words that I can say to make the pain go away, but I am here ALWAYS if you ever need anything! Keep friends and family close for support. Cherish the memories now and forever. Clarice - You and Kevin raised some beautiful daughters! I am lucky to have Kate as one of my best friends. Rest in Peace Kevin. You will be missed dearly.*

Heather Vig - Richland Center, WI - Friends - December 11, 2014 at 12:00 AM

DF

“ *Clare and girls: So sorry to hear about Kevin--please know that my prayers and love go to you all.*

Donna Rose - Richland Center, WI - friend - December 11, 2014 at 12:00 AM

JF

“ *Mrs. B, Clare, Kate, Sara. and the Bruckner Family,
My thoughts and prayers are with you, I feel your loss and I will cherish the memories of the mountains we climbed, the rivers we fished, and the woods we hunted. Ya-tah-hey good buddy Ya-tah-hey. cw*

jay utley - Reedsburg, WI - friend - December 11, 2014 at 12:00 AM

DC

“ *Clarice and Family, I am so sorry for your loss. Keeping you in my thoguhts and prayers.*

Deb Tice - Harrisburg, PA - Fried of Clarice - December 11, 2014 at 12:00 AM

PM

“ *Clarice and Family:
I am so sorry to hear the loss of your husband.
You and your family are in my thoughts and prayers.
Peggy*

Peggy Morrel - December 11, 2014 at 12:00 AM

SF

“ *I am so sorry for your loss. You and your family are in my prayers.*

Shirley Steiner - Richland Center, WI - Friend - December 11, 2014 at 12:00 AM

TF

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with you all. Kevin was in my graduating class at RCHS and we lived just around the block on Cedar Street.*

Tom Vodak - Middleton, WI - High school friend - December 10, 2014 at 12:00 AM

MF

“ *So sorry for your loss....may God give you strength at this difficult time, blessings!*

Michelle Luxton - Richland Cented, WI - friend - December 10, 2014 at 12:00 AM

DF

“ *So sorry for your loss. My prayers are with your family.*

Debbie Schoonover - edgerton, WI - Friend - December 10, 2014 at 12:00 AM