



Bryan Lee Hursman

February 10, 1960 - September 22, 2017

Bryan Lee Hursman, 57 of Ardmore, Alabama died on Friday, September 22, 2017, in Ardmore, AL.

Born Wednesday, February 10, 1960 in Kansas City, Missouri, the son of the late David Lee Hursman and the late Norma Jeanne Palmer Hursman. He was a member of Community Baptist Church and the Ardmore Lions Club. He loved to coach, hunt, and watch NASCAR racing. He was a Veteran of the Air National Guard, serving for 37 years and retiring as a Lieutenant Colonel. He especially loved his family, fixing things, refinishing antiques and helping anyone that needed help. He was preceded in death by his parents.

Surviving are his wife: Darla Hursman of Ardmore, AL, son, David Hursman of Ardmore, AL, daughter, Hannah Hursman of Troy, AL, brothers, Brad (Kim) Hursman of Alma, MO and Bruce Hursman of Corder, MO, and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be at 1:00 PM on Monday, September 25, 2017, at Ardmore Chapel Funeral Home, Ardmore, Alabama with Bro. Steve Hargrove officiating.

The family will receive friends on Sunday, September 24, 2017, from 5:00 PM until 8:00 P.M. at Ardmore Chapel Funeral Home, Ardmore, AL.

Tribute Wall

MS

“ I served at the 117th ARW in the Finance Office with Lt Col Hursman. It was an honor and a privilege. He was always smiling and enjoying life, never too busy to help! I'm sadden by the loss of such a wonderful person. He loved his wife, kids and family so much and spoke lovingly of them often. He was taken way too soon and I know he will be missed by so many. My prayers go to all who loved him. Monica Self

Monica Self - September 26, 2017 at 05:21 PM

TS

“ Reminding those whom you support that your thoughts are with them.

Tribute Store - September 25, 2017 at 07:49 PM

HE

“ I am shocked and saddened to hear of Bryan's passing. He graduated a year before me, but I can still remember him walking through the halls at our high school, almost always with a big smile on his face.

My sincere condolences and prayers go out to his family and friends.

*Sincerely,
Happy Annetta Evans
Odessa High School Class of 1979*

Happy Evans - September 24, 2017 at 07:01 PM

TS

“ I first started working with Bryan around 1990 as system safety engineers on a NASA contract. He always had a smile on his face and was ready to help the team and pitch in where needed. He then came to work in my office a few years after that and was still the same. He was intense and intent on making sure the job got done, no matter what it was. He always referred to me as T-Rex. I guess he had a nickname for everyone. Bryan will really be missed by his co-workers. I pray for peace and comfort for Darla, Hannah, and David at this time. I am so sorry for the loss of your loved and know you will miss him greatly. Rest in peace, Brother. - Terrell Swindall

Terrell Swindall - September 24, 2017 at 04:38 PM

AH

“ I got a call today from my daughter that was horrified and shocked as much as I was. I couldn't believe it that such a great and honorable young man had lost his physical life. Brian was a great person not only to the community but to my daughter and her teammates as well. I remember Brian most of all when he coached my daughter in soccer and in basketball for many many years. He coached the girls which he called "HIS GIRLS " he was exactly right they were his girls and he treated them with the utmost respect but demanded they give their very very best. It showed not only off the field but on the field as they won game after game, title after title, year after year. My heart goes out to Darla, Hannah, and David. I will not be there today at the visitation where will I be at the funeral because I live many many miles away. I do know that one of his girls is coming back which is my daughter Morgan Hudson. Brian touched Morgan's life in so many ways not only as a coach for a mentor in life. Morgan is coming back to say her last goodbyes to one of her best teachers in life and I wish I could be there as well. Brian May Morgan a better player in the sports but more importantly a better person in life and I am forever grateful for that. I think of Brian very often. I will continue to remember Brian probably the rest of my life and we'll miss him very very much.

Avery Hudson

Avery Hudson - September 24, 2017 at 01:50 PM

GI

“ I knew Bryan for nearly 25 years. Bryan was a great friend and we worked together for many years, with our last telephone call only about a month ago. He was a good man and I could rely on him for anything. He loved his family dearly and they were the world to him. All I can say at this point is that he will be sorely sorely missed. I pray for comfort and peace for his entire family. God Bless you Bryan, I loved you like a brother.
--Gary Indihar

Gary Indihar - September 23, 2017 at 07:35 PM

AM

“ He was a great man, hero to our country, dependable friend, loving Christian. Hali and I know how much he loved his family. That has always been obvious. No words ease this but at some point knowing how very much so many many of us love you and how deeply we pray for you, I know (thanks to you and everyone three yrs ago) One day there will be a ray of sunshine break through.

Anita Mobley-Smith - September 23, 2017 at 06:20 PM

KH

“ I will always remember the first year Brad and I were down there. The church was putting on an Autumn festival of sorts. Bryan was Lazareth - we were at play practice. I was down and depressed, so far from my family. He put his arm around my shoulders and said that he may not be the family I wanted right then but he would always be there for me. He was. Maybe not specifically for me but always for my children. This world will sorely miss the likes of him. My heart aches for Darla and Hannah and David. God be with you all.

Kimberly J Hursman - September 23, 2017 at 05:48 PM

TE

“ *I was Bryan's admin assistant at Precision Fires, his family is in our thoughts and prayers. He will truly be missed and will forever be a part of our PFRMS family.*

May God be with you during this time.

Teresa Ellis

Teresa Ellis - September 23, 2017 at 01:03 PM