



Bruce Alan Herzog

June 21, 1957 - October 30, 2020

Bruce Alan Herzog, age 63 of Ferndale, Michigan passed away suddenly on October 30, 2020. He was born on June 21, 1957.

Beloved husband of Melissa Herzog, Dear father of Sydney and Blake Herzog, brother of Kim (Glen) Short. He is survived by many cousins, nephews and nieces, and also leaves behind many close friends.

Bruce graduated from Hazel Park High School in 1975. He resided in the city his entire life. He married Missy in 1991 and they enjoyed 29 years together.

He was a devoted family man who loved his wife and children. He took an active role in the lives of his children. He coached his son in basketball and baseball and took him fishing whenever he could. Bruce instilled his love for sports in Blake. He was especially proud when he was made 8th grade athlete of the year and made the varsity football team as a freshman. He was also very proud of Sydney and supported her school activities, including when she was in dance and the color guard. He was excited that she landed a job at the bank and had recently received a promotion.

Bruce was an avid fisherman, golfer and bowler. He had accumulated many 300 games during his life. He was also a huge fan of Michigan football and looked forward to Saturdays and bowl games with friends and family. His true joy was to be on the water fishing.

Bruce made his living as a professional painter. When Bruce painted your home, he became not only your contractor but your friend. He was a kind person who everyone liked. He enjoyed music and barbeques in his yard with close friends and family and will be dearly missed by all.

Visitation will be held on Monday, November 9th from 3:00 pm to 9:00 pm with a Funeral Service at 7:00 pm at Hopcroft Funeral Home, 31145 John R. Road, (1 block North of 13

Mile Road, West side of John R. Road), Madison Heights, Michigan.

Events

NOV **Visitation** 03:00PM - 09:00PM

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NOV **Funeral Service** 07:00PM

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Comments



“ Like everyone else, I was so very saddened and shocked to hear of Bruce's passing. I'm thankful I had the pleasure of spending a couple of days with him not long before, at the cabin while he and Jim were working up there. He was such a kind and fun loving person and I will miss seeing him fishing on our lake. I will hold all of you close to my heart as you heal. Love Tanya.

Tanya Leach - November 08, 2020 at 09:16 AM



“ I met Bruce many years ago in school, grade school to be exact. Bruce was a fun guy, who was liked by everyone. RIP Bruce.....gone way too soon

Brenda Grombala - November 04, 2020 at 09:58 AM



“ This was shocking news to hear.

Bruce was unique in so many ways. You glance through a yearbook and there are so many faces you simply don't remember, but Bruce was unforgettable, legendarily funny and to those who knew him best, a friend forever.

Our lives were better for having known you and that's a tribute for which anyone can be proud.

Rick Hickman - November 04, 2020 at 09:37 AM



“ So many memories, so many laughs, so much love. RIP my dear cousin. This is a great loss to our family. We love you. 😊 you will be greatly missed.

Dawn boyd - November 04, 2020 at 07:54 AM



“ Bruce was a wonderful guy, him and I became friends in 5th grade, we enjoyed many times together, I will miss him deeply, He left us way to soon.. he will always be in my heart.. love you zog!!
Russ

russ buchare - November 04, 2020 at 04:23 AM