



Christopher "Chris" Wayne Brennecke

October 5, 1968 - March 22, 2023

IN MEMORY OF:

Christopher "Chris" Brennecke

Serving Location:

CRAIN FUNERAL HOME – CAPE GIRARDEAU

829 North West End Boulevard, Cape Girardeau, Missouri

Christopher "Chris" Wayne Brennecke, 54, of Cape Girardeau, passed away at home on Wednesday, March 22, 2023. He was born October 5, 1968, in Yuba City, California to Lindell M. Brennecke and Jo Brennecke Duff. Chris was a 1987 graduate of Cape Central High School.

Survivors include his mother, Jo (Ron) Duff; children, Macie (Blake) Mayfield; Cody and Cori Brennecke; sister, Nicole (Greg) Harp; brother, Mark Moore; grandchildren, Kaydon, Mya, Kole, and Ty; aunts, Debra Lee Brennecke and Stacey Mayberry; uncles, Kent and Keith Brennecke; special friend, Angie Christian; along with many nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends. He was preceded in death by his father, Lindell; uncle, Johnny Ray Brennecke, and aunt, Beverly Ann Baker.

Chris had a smile that could light up a room, an artist with a love for drawing.

He was a free spirit with a deep love and appreciation for music, especially classic rock. Chris truly appreciated a song for what it was worth and shared his love of music with his children.

Chris was an avid St. Louis Cardinals fan who loved being outdoors. Being near or on the water was a relaxation and release for him. He loved Daytona Beach where he spent several summers with his family. To his kids he was Superman, he lived for them and cherished them above all else.

Chris is now at peace, leaving all of us with cherished memories in our hearts, where he will live forever. When you hear a good song that sets your soul free, we hope you think of him.

A celebration of life will take place at Crain Funeral Home in Cape Girardeau on April 1st from 11:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. There will be food, music, and good company.

The family humbly request in lieu of flowers, donations be made to a memorial fund for his children, Cody and Cori. The fund has been established at First State Community Bank. Checks may be made payable to "Benefit of Cori and Cody Brennecke". Envelopes will also be provided at the celebration of life.

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

APR 1. 11:00 AM - 3:00 PM (CT)

Crain Funeral Home - Cape Girardeau
829 N. West End Blvd
(4 blocks north of Southeast Hospital)
Cape Girardeau, MO 63701
(573) 335-3223
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Tribute Wall



“ Christopher "Chris" Wayne Brennecke

October 23, 2023 at 06:26 AM



“ Chris was such a sweet soul and I am so sorry to hear of his passing. God bless him and your family.

Tracie Ross - April 03, 2023 at 05:21 PM



“ Dear Jo and family,

I am so sad and sorry to hear of Chris' passing. I have you in my thoughts and prayers during this very difficult time.

*God Bless,
Susie O'Connell*



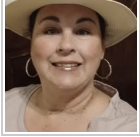
Susie O'Connell - April 01, 2023 at 02:21 PM



“ Century 21 Ashland Realty purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Christopher "Chris" Wayne Brennecke.



Century 21 Ashland Realty - March 27, 2023 at 02:10 PM



“ I had the privilege of teaching 2 out of 3 of Chris's children. I knew him to be a dedicated father who loved his children unconditionally. I enjoyed getting to know him and appreciated him letting me be a small part of his family's life. My heart goes out to his family, but especially to his 3 children.

Jennifer Stevens - March 25, 2023 at 12:43 PM

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“ I will forever remember Chris in blue jeans a white t-shirt and penny loafers....and of course the best, most infectious smile in high school. I can't think of a single soul who didn't like him (and that's a very rare trait). Sending thoughts and prayers to his family and loved ones.

Kristy Strop - March 24, 2023 at 08:19 PM

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“ Chris was one of the first friends I made at L. J. Schultz School. We got on like a house on fire. We shared the same interests and could talk for hours about nothing in particular. He was first my friend, then my friend's boyfriend, then her husband. I know for a fact that he loved his family, especially his children, ferociously. There was no deed to heavy for him to handle. He did it all while smiling that Cheshire grin and giving completely of his heart. Simply put, he really was an amazing human being. I'm left with a hole in my heart that will never heal. Yet I can value the many memories I have of him and be grateful for the love he added to my life. Fly high my friend. I'll see you on the other side.

Amy Pool - March 24, 2023 at 06:04 PM



“ *Blue Caribbean Bouquet was purchased for the family of Christopher "Chris" Wayne Brennecke.*



March 24, 2023 at 05:50 PM



“ *My family loved Chris...wish I had seen more of him ...he had such a sweet face even as an adult...remember seeing him as a baby and thought he was the cutest baby I had ever seen! So many memories of him with his dad and mom with my children ...the zoo...Disney...Chris inviting my boys to a KISS concert so many years ago which we still talk about...our hearts are broken to lose him.*

Jo Rodgers - March 24, 2023 at 04:48 PM