



Brock Derek Meyer

September 26, 1965 - July 21, 2014

Brock Derek Meyer, 48, of Manito, Illinois, passed away on Monday, July 21, 2014 at 6:20 p.m. at Pekin Hospital. Brock was born on September 26, 1965 to Terry and Linda “Smiley” Meyer in Pekin, Illinois. He graduated from Havana High School in 1983. Brock married Gina, the love of his life, on October 21, 1989 at the Church of Christ in Havana, Illinois. They have two sons, Blake and Brett Meyer. Brock worked at Lakewood Golf Course, Illinois Valley Irrigation, and lastly, Menard Electric Cooperative for over 20 years as a Journeyman/Lineman, and later as an Area Serviceman for Manito. Brock loved his job and was very proud of it.

Throughout his life, Brock most enjoyed golf, weight-lifting, playing baseball and softball, muscle cars, and watching his sons wrestle and play baseball. He also enjoyed his time spent as a wrestling coach where he coached his sons as well as local youth in the Illinois Kids Wrestling Federation (IKWF) for many years. He was an incredible guitarist who loved playing music, and this love for music was passed on to his sons. He loved the time he spent playing in his father’s bands, and various other bands, including Wonder Why.

Brock loved his parents, Linda and Terry, and his sister, Talona, deeply. He was so proud of his nieces, Nicole and Ashley Withrow of Galva, Zoe Miller of Emden, and his nephews, Eli and Stuart Hance of Milwaukee. They brought much joy to his life.

Brock was known for his sense of humor, honesty, and work ethics, but above all, as a loving and devoted husband to Gina, and father to Blake and Brett. He was so very proud of his sons' accomplishments and successes in wrestling, baseball, high school, and college. His sons meant the world to him.

Brock was preceded in death by his brother-in-law, Eric Withrow, maternal grandfather, Jack Smiley and paternal grandparents, Leo "Bub" and Mart Meyer. He is survived by his wife, Gina of Manito, his sons, Blake and Brett Meyer of Manito, his parents, Linda and Terry Meyer of Havana, his sister, Talona Withrow of Galva, his grandmother, Dorothy Tucker of Havana, and his nieces and nephews.

Visitation will be held at Hurley Funeral Home in Havana, Illinois on Saturday, July 26, 2014 from 9:00 AM to 11:00 AM followed by a Celebration of Life. Graveside services will be held at Meadow Lawn Cemetery in Manito, Illinois. A luncheon will be held at the Legion Hall in Manito following the graveside services.

Memorial contributions may be left for an education fund for his sons through the Morton Community Bank in Manito. Online memorial messages may be left for his family at www.hurleyfh.com.

Hurley Funeral Home in Havana is in charge of arrangements.

Tribute Wall



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