

We Will Be Missing You

You were so full of life,
Always smiling and carefree.
Life loved you being a part of it,
And we loved you for being a part of us.

You could make anyone laugh,
If they were having a bad day.
No matter how sad we were,
You could take the hurt away.

Nothing could ever stop you,
Or even make you fall.
You were ready to take on the world,
Ready to do it all.

But God decided he needed you,
So from this world you left.
But you took a piece of all of us,
Our hearts are what you kept.

Our hearts now feel empty,
And it's hard not to see your face.
But please always know this,
No One will ever take your place.

You left without warning,
Not even saying good-bye.
And we can't seem to stop,
Asking the question why.

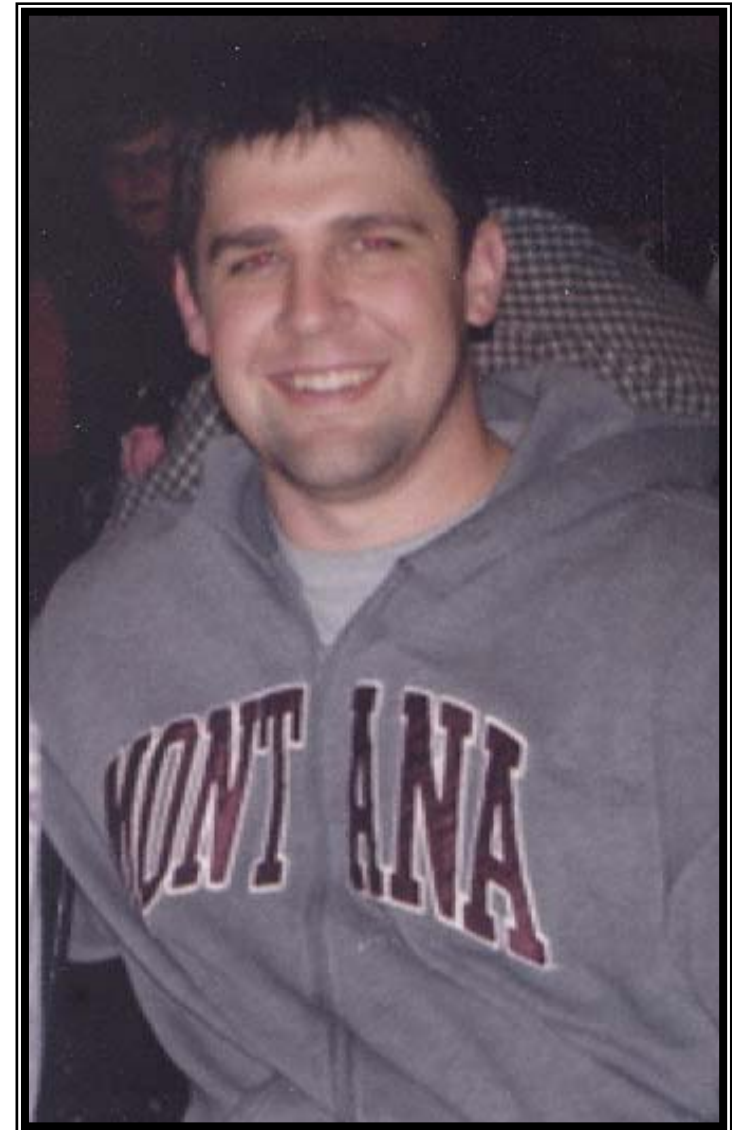
Life will be different,
Our world just won't feel right.
But we know you're in heaven,
Watching over us day and night.

We didn't see this coming,
It hit us by surprise.
And when you left this world,
A small part of us died.

Your smile could brighten anyone's day,
No matter what they were going through.
And we know everyday of the rest of our lives,
We will be missing you.

Author unknown

In Loving Memory of Matthew Brenner



August 15, 1989

April 28, 2014

Matthew Ryan Brenner

Born

August 15, 1989

Sidney, Montana

Died

April 28, 2014

Sidney, Montana

Funeral Service

2:00 P.M., Friday, May 2, 2014

Sidney High School Gym

Sidney, Montana

Officiating

Pastor Vicki Waddington

Lonsdale United Methodist Church

Music

Corbin Smith Nancy Dynneson

Casketbearers

Mike Winchell Scott Winchell

Allen Anderson Kass Milne Nathan Johnson

Devin Bell Tyrel McPherson Jeremy Verhasselt

Honorary Casketbearers

All of Matt's many friends and classmates

Ushers

Nick Thogersen Josh Morasko Brett Zadow

Jenna Welnel Jordan Mayer Sam Sainju

Interment

Sidney Cemetery

Sidney, Montana

Lunch will be served at the Sidney Country Club following the graveside services

Remembrances, condolences and pictures may be shared with the family at

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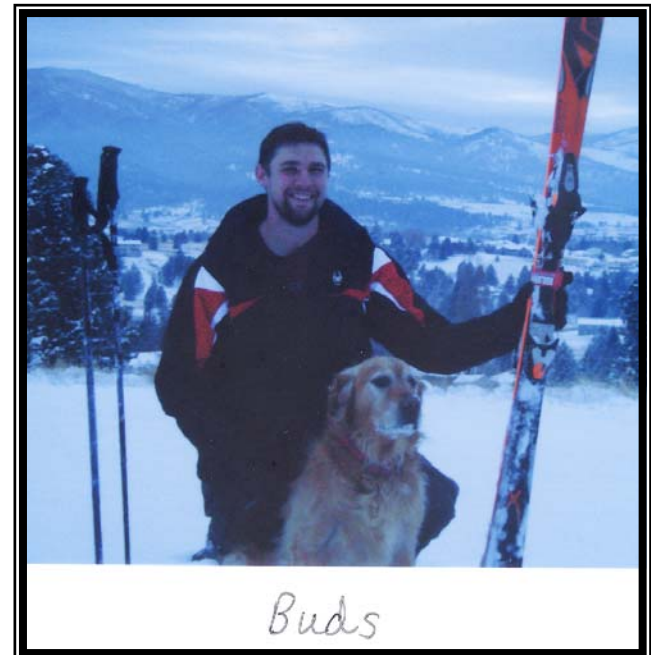




“I Have a Place in Heaven”

Please don't sing sad songs for me,
Forget your grief and fears,
For I am in a perfect place,
Away from pain and tears...
I'm far away from hunger
And hurt and want and pride.
I have a place in Heaven
With the Master at my side.
My life on earth was very good,
As earthly lives can go,
But Paradise is so much more
Than anyone can know...
My heart is filled with happiness
And sweet rejoicing, too.
To walk with God is perfect peace,
A joy forever new.

M. Kesler



Matthew Ryan Brenner was born August 15th 1989 to William and Joanne (Nordahl) Brenner in Sidney, MT. Matt attended Sidney public schools, where he participated in numerous sports and was crowned homecoming king before graduating from Sidney High School in 2008. Following High School he attended the University of Montana in Missoula, MT. He graduated with a Bachelors of Science in Accounting in 2013. Matt was a wonderful, fun loving, thoughtful, kind hearted practical joker. He was most happy when he was helping others, affirmed by his recognition as outstanding student volunteer with the Imagine Missoula Organization in Missoula MT in 2013.

Matt enriched the lives of every person he knew, he was the glue that bonded everyone together. Countless people considered Matt their best friend. He always put others feelings before his. He was never too busy to take time for his friends and family and nothing was too great of a challenge for Matt where they were involved. Matt remained active with various hobbies. He enjoyed hunting trips at White Sulfur Springs with his dad, his cousins Mike and Scott Winchell, and other friends, where he acquired the nick name "Walt Biggins". Matt loved music, teaching himself and learning to play guitar with his cousins, Mike and Scott, friends Damon Ratcliff, Tyrell McPherson, Brett Montgomery and others. He often entertained everyone playing his favorite songs around campfires at the lake.

Golf was a favorite sport for Matt. He was a power hitter, blasting the ball well past most of his competitors'. He was an active member of the Sidney Country Club, working on the grounds crew for three summers, playing in men's league and various tournaments when he could. He was never happier than when he was working outdoors with his friends and family. Matt truly enjoyed water sports, they were always a part of his annual summer vacations at Flathead Lake with his family and friends. He loved jet-skiing, knee-boarding, water skiing and tubing. While attending the annual family gatherings at the lake, Matt enjoyed cooking along with his Grandma Mary Lou Brenner.

While attending college in Missoula Matt spent as much time as possible on the slopes and became an accomplished snow skier. He visited many of the different resorts with his friends in

Western Montana. Matt also loved exploring the mountains and camping with friends, experiencing so much of nature's beauty, that he never took for granted.

Matt enjoyed his life as a Grizzly, during his college years, cheering enthusiastically at every athletic event that he attended. Matt will always be remembered for his participation in the kick for cash contest on October 31st 2009 and November 14th 2009 when Matt kicked not one, but two forty five yard field goals to win ten thousand dollars in front of a roaring packed Griz stadium crowd.

Matt's most recent employment was at his father's accounting firm, where he made it through his first tax season. He had plans to move to Billings Montana to work with his cousins in their landscaping business. Matt was a best friend to both his Mom and his Dad, whom he loved dearly. So much of his life was spent traveling and visiting family and friends. Matt was a role model for many, but most importantly the best friend that anyone could have asked for. His many friends will carry a part of him with them forever, and his family will forever be blessed in remembering Matthew's life and the many gifts he offered with the time he shared with all.

Matthew died on Monday afternoon, April 28, 2014, at the Sidney Health Center.

Matthew is survived by: parents Bill and Joanne Brenner; aunts and uncles, Robert Brenner, Bill & Carol (Brenner) Winchell, Gregg & Gail (Nordahl) Schnieber, Debra Brenner & Leanne Nordahl; cousins, Brenda (Brenner) Wolfe, Mike & Rosalind Winchell, Scott & Dana Winchell, Kurtis & Suzanne Schnieber, Bryan & Susan(Schnieber) Kendrick, and Jonathan Schnieber.

Matt was preceded in death by: grandparents, M.C. "Bun" & Mary Lou Brenner, Don & Florence Nordahl.

Always Loved, Forever Remembered:
"Matt Matt", "Honey B", "Matthew R9 Brenner",
"B", and of course "Walt Biggins"