



### A COWBOY RIDES IN HEAVEN

A cowboy rides in Heaven, roped by Our Father's hand to dwell amid the angels within the Promised Land. His hat is now a halo, his boots now touch the clouds, his wit and friendly musings now charm angelic crowds. He basks amid the sunlight fading into the West, his spirit lies within us –The lives on earth he blessed. We'll hold each gentle memory in our hearts, evermore, until our favorite cowboy greets us at Heaven's Door. A cowboy rides with Jesus, our Father called him Home to rest within His Kingdom – A wondrous place to roam. We will always remember, with the fondest smile, the strength, love and compassion of our cowboy angel, all the while.



### COWBOY LIFE

*I've met a heap o' cowboys, and some was real top hands. I saw a million cattle, and read a lot o' brands. I've seen some hard old winters when nearly all the cattle died. I've rode some cutting horses that could turn right out their hides. I ate my share o' beefsteak, and drunk some whiskey, too. And did a little dancin', with nothin' else to do. Been bucked off old outlaws that I couldn't start to ride. An' saw some fine old buddies go over the Great Divide. With friends and family now, I'm making my last stand. An' hoping to be horseback when I reach the Promised Land.*

## IN LOVING MEMORY OF TODD PANASUK

December 1, 1964 - October 22, 2023







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**BORN TO IRENE (TORGERSON)  
AND GEORGE PANASUK**

December 1, 1964 ~ Williston, North Dakota

**RODE HOME TO JESUS**

October 22, 2023 ~ Sidney, Montana

**MEMORIAL SERVICES**

Saturday, October 28, 2023 at 2:00pm

Bainville School ~ Bainville, Montana

- a luncheon will follow at the fire hall -

**OFFICIATING**

Pastor Lane Vannatta

**CASKETBEARERS**

Miles Panasuk Mark Panasuk Curtis Carnes

Trent Panasuk Dave Granley Lane Knudsen

**HONORARY CASKETBEARERS**

All of Todd's Nieces and Nephews

**USHERS**

Zane Panasuk Brian Panasuk

**MUSIC**

Kathy Bidegaray ~ Pianist

**FINAL RESTING PLACE**

Bainville Cemetery ~ Bainville, Montana

**VISITATION**

Saturday, October 28, 2023 from 12:00 to 2:00 pm

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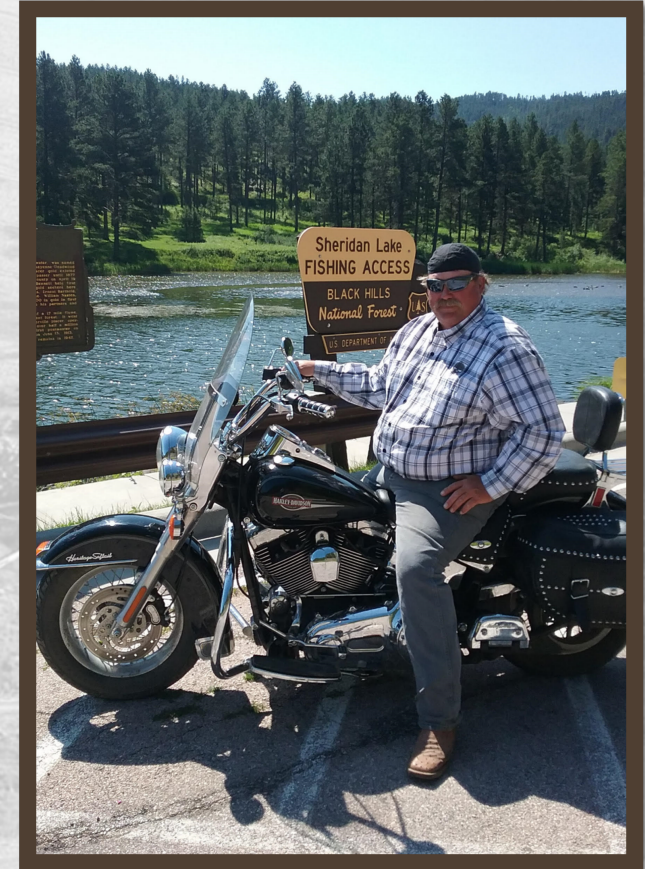
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Fulkerson Stevenson Funeral Home ~ Sidney, MT

Todd Michael Panasuk was born December 1, 1964, in Williston, North Dakota to Irene (Torgerson) and George Panasuk. Todd spent his childhood on the farm and ranch north of Bainville, Montana. After graduating from Bainville High School, Todd went on to college in Bozeman, Montana, graduating with a degree in mechanical engineering. He then went to work for Boeing as a tool designer and outside support for members in Washington State and California.

In 1991, Todd met the love of his life, Brinda Iverson. On July 10, 1993, they were united in marriage in Enumclaw, Washington, and in 1994 they welcomed their son Luke into the world. In 1995 they moved back to Bainville to work on the family farm and ranch. Although he loved both, he preferred ranching over farming. He served on the Rural and Bainville Fire Departments. In 2012 (Luke's senior year), he was the high school golf coach.

To know Todd was to love him. He always had a joke to tell and a smile on his face. You could pick out his laugh in any crowd. He was so proud of his family, all you had to do was look at his face when they were together to see they meant the world to him. He met many friends over the years through his many passions. If he wasn't chasing a cow or in the field, you could find him playing a hand at pinochle, roping, riding his Harley, playing golf, or basking



in the Arizona heat in the winter. Besides ranching, his greatest passion of all was roping. He won many championships, winning many saddles and buckles over the years and competing in the World Series of Team Roping in Las Vegas, Nevada. But his greatest accomplishment of all was the many wonderful lifelong friends he met along the way.

Todd is survived by his wife Brinda and son Luke, both of Bainville, Montana; his siblings Dana Panasuk (Brenna) of Williston, ND, Miles Panasuk of Bainville, MT, Mary Peed (Greg) of Oregon, Mark Panasuk (Jan) of Douglas, WY, and Amybeth Miller of New Mexico; and several nieces and nephews. He is preceded in death by his parents George and Irene Panasuk; brother Scot Panasuk; and sister-in-law Cyndi Panasuk.