



Bruce Madison Mangum

July 28, 1951 - January 16, 2020

Bruce Madison Mangum Jr., 68, a resident of Miami passed away at his home on Thursday, January 16, 2020. Bruce was born on July 28, 1951 in Miami, to Bruce Sr. and Lillie Mae (King) Mangum. Bruce lived most of his life in the Quapaw and Commerce area before moving to Miami.

For many years he worked in promotions and customer service at Quapaw Casino, a place where he enjoyed being around people and making them smile. Bruce was known for being a kind and caring man who brightened your day by sharing a joke or a story, and always had a laugh that was contagious. His natural positivity and advice would inspire others. He was a bit of a history buff, and loved to cook and find new recipes. In his life he enjoyed playing guitar, listening to his favorite records, woodworking, drawing, golfing, fishing, camping, hiking, and traveling. Above all, he cherished family and friends.

Mr. Mangum was preceded in passing by his parents Bruce and Lillie Mangum, and two brothers-in-law Fred Payne and C.R. Scott.

Family members left to carry on his legacy are his daughters Brandi Vasey and her husband Brandon of Wyandotte, Bessie Hall and her husband Trey of Fairland and Brenda Mangum of Oklahoma City, his grandchildren Grace Goins of Fairland, Blake Vasey of Wyandotte and Tucker Hall of Fairland, his sisters Sherrie Turner and her husband Joe of Quapaw, Mary Payne of

Quapaw, his brother Barry Mangum and his wife Charise of Quapaw along with many nieces and nephews.

Visitation will be 1:00 PM followed by the Celebration of Life beginning at 2:00 PM on Sunday, January 26, 2020 at Brown-Winters Funeral Home and Cremation Service.

Friends and family may send the family notes of encouragement by viewing Bruce's Tribute Page at www.brown-winters.com.

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN **26**. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Brown-Winters Funeral Home and Cremation Service
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Tribute Wall

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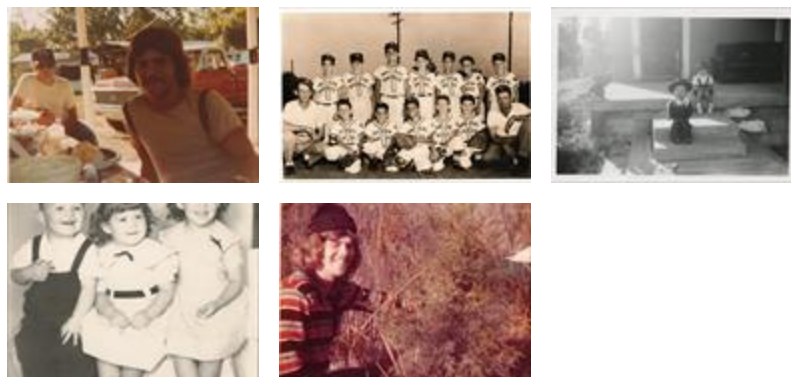
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Brenda J Mangum - January 29, 2020 at 10:52 PM

BM

“ 11 files added to the album *Brucie*



Brenda J Mangum - January 21, 2020 at 12:03 AM

JB

“ *I think what I remember about Bruce was in our high school days he loved to dance And he could Dance! He was so much fun to be around, I'll miss his laugh and twinkle in his eyes. He was a good soul and will be missed. RIP my friend.*

Jeralynn Holt Brittle - January 20, 2020 at 03:37 PM

VF

“ *What I remember most about Bruce was his laugh. He laughed easily and made you want to laugh with him. I don't think we ever talked without laughing about something. He brought joy wherever he went.*



Vicki Fields - January 18, 2020 at 01:52 PM

YJ

“ *I'm so sorry for your loss. Bruce was an AWESOME guy. I really enjoy working with Bruce. He could always make me smile no matter how down I was. His smile was contagious.*

Yvonne Turner Jarnagin - January 17, 2020 at 10:08 PM

SF

“ *my sister, Roxi Callahan, worked with Bruce. They got off to a very rocky start, but soon became very good friends. I am sorry he left his family here on earth, but truly believe Roxi will be thrilled to see him in Heaven. Prayers for peace for his family..*

Sherri Frock - January 17, 2020 at 10:04 PM

LA


“ *I loved him so much. The earth is a better place fir him living on it. Prayers for his family.*

Lori Anderson - January 17, 2020 at 09:15 PM

LR

“ *Devastated to hear this. I had just noticed that I had not seen him in while as we always visited and shared a giggle. Will miss that smile and the great memories of those golden days growing up in Quapaw. So sorry.*

LeAnne Kinder Reeves - January 17, 2020 at 07:14 PM


Princess
Brown

“ *Loved Bruce's smile and enthusiasm! Hardly ever seen him in a bad mood. He will be greatly missed my many, many people! Prayers for peace and comfort to the Mangum family during this time of loss!*

Princess Brown - January 17, 2020 at 07:07 PM

KH

“ *To Mangum Family : Im so sorry for your loss Bruce was a good man he was also a friend to my brother Eddie Lewis the best thing i remember Bruce is his laugh*

Kathy Hildebrand - January 17, 2020 at 05:51 PM

AA

To Mangum Family: So sorry to hear about Bruce. May God comfort all of you

Ann Alexander - January 17, 2020 at 07:45 PM

MS

“ *Bruce was a delight to life. A good friend of mine. A great man with a smile and great personality. A great joy to be around RIP Buddy*

Mary Shinn - January 17, 2020 at 04:53 PM

DG

Prayers go out for Bruce's family. Bruce was a great guy, loved working with him and he was a great neighbor. Sure going to miss his smile and the talks we had.

Donna Gray - January 18, 2020 at 12:43 AM