



## Bradley DeBord

May 24, 1957 - October 1, 2010

Bradley DeBord, 53, Kearney, died Friday, Oct. 1, 2010 from injuries received in a motorcycle accident in Kansas. Graveside services will be 11 AM, Thursday, Oct. 7, 2010 at the Kearney Cemetery. Visitation will be 5-7pm, Wednesday at O'Brien Straatmann Funeral Home in Kearney. Memorials will be established by the family. He was born May 24, 1957 in St. Paul, NE to LaVern and Linda (Hawthorne) DeBord. He grew up in Kearney and attended Kearney High School. He was employed as a machine operator at Eaton Corporation. He was a member of the Eagles Club, the Eagle Riders and the Patriot Guard. He enjoyed hunting, fishing, riding his motorcycle, watching the Huskers and spending time with his grandson. Survivors include his daughters, Kelly Miller and husband Adam of Elm Creek and Robyn Wachter and husband Matthew of Kearney; parents, LaVern and Linda DeBord of Kearney; grandson, Rylan Miller of Elm Creek; brothers, Allen DeBord of Kearney, Terry DeBord and wife Kris of Kearney, Mark DeBord and wife Lisa of North Platte and Scott DeBord and wife Rochelle of Leigh; grandmother, Ona Hawthorne of Grand Island; and several aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews and cousins. He was preceded in death by his grandparents, Floyd and Zella DeBord and Earl Hawthorne.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Bradley DeBord*

January 28, 2023 at 08:01 AM



“ *DeBord family, We were so saddened to hear of the loss of Brad. Our thoughts are with you.*

**Bob and Kim Madison** - August 21, 2013 at 05:59 AM



“ *To the DeBord Family, At this difficult time, we share in your grief over the loss of such a unique person as Brad. We are so blessed to have known him in the short time that we had him in our lives and will treasure his true and genuine friendship forever. May you find peace in the knowledge that he was so loved and respected by his many, many friends. God Bless You All.*

**Ron and Cindy Callan** - August 21, 2013 at 05:59 AM



“ *My heart goes out to Brad's family.I knew Brad in the days of Bike's Burger Bar. He made such an impression on me so many years ago and I've thought of him often. I wish i could say something to take away your pain.please except my sincere condolence.*

**Trish (Patty) Luckie** - August 21, 2013 at 05:59 AM



“ *Brad Thank you for coming over to help out when I needed a hand. You will be missed on the road I travel everyday.*

**Karen Eickhoff** - August 21, 2013 at 05:59 AM

RC

“ Seldom in life are we given the opportunity to meet such unique souls who will forever touch our lives to the extent that Brad did. His genuine friendship will be something we will treasure forever, but sadly something that we will truly miss every day until such time that we see him again. Our sincerest sympathy to the DeBord family for your loss. Your are in our hearts and prayers at this most difficult time.

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**Ron and Cindy Callan** - August 21, 2013 at 05:59 AM

AM

“ brad was my father in law but more than that he was my friend. he will be missed more than he will ever know. brad was our john wayne he was our clint eastwood a real life action hero. thank you to all of you for your thoughts and prayers.

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**adam miller** - August 21, 2013 at 05:59 AM

GM

“ My deepest condolences to the DeBord family. I met Brad years ago when I was in Junior High. Although he was a few years older than me, he made me a friend. I was truly blessed with his friendship and the friendships of his brothers. I have many joyful memories of Brad and his family, and have often revisited those memories as the years have passed by. Brad, my old friend, I will miss you. God Bless.

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**Gary Madison** - August 21, 2013 at 05:59 AM

TR

“ Our deepest sympathy to the family. Brad was a neat guy with a great personality. He had great love for all in his life, especially his children. He will be dearly missed. May God allow him peace and happiness until we are all reunited.

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**Tom and Tericia Rasmussen** - August 21, 2013 at 05:59 AM

BS

“ Although I had never met Brad, through Shara, I felt like I knew him. She raved on him from the minute he asked, "How are you?" I heard how he was a fun-loving, giving, and wonderful person. Rest in peace Brad.

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**Becky Standiferd** - August 21, 2013 at 05:59 AM

SW

“ I was looking so forward to meeting you, Brad. You were someone who put a smile on my sister's face and heart. She was so happy with you as a friend. I know she will miss you. To the family, I am so sorry for your loss. In times like these, keep good memories close to your heart. You will be in my prayers.

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**Stephanie Watkins** - August 21, 2013 at 05:59 AM

TP

“ I am so sorry for your loss..... I had the wonderful opportunity to meet him recently and also learn so much about him from my best friend. He was the light of her life and the rock of his family.... may he forever be at peace

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**Tina Plaice** - August 21, 2013 at 05:59 AM

SH

“ In the short time that I knew Brad, I knew he was an extra special guy. He was always full of life and laughter and he talked so highly of his family and friends. He will always have a special place in my heart, I'll miss him greatly. My heart goes out to his family and friends!!!

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**Shara** - August 21, 2013 at 05:59 AM

KF

“ *Debord Family: My thoughts and prayers are with each one of you. I know that family was extremely important to Brad. Kelly - he was so PROUD of you and Rylan. He was a great man with a beautiful heart. My love to you at this difficult time.*

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**Kris Farias** - August 21, 2013 at 05:59 AM

BP

“ *To the Family, you have my Condolences Will miss Brad a great deal, I met him thru the Kearney Eagle Riders. He was very much in love with life and lived it to the fullest. It was my pleasure to know him. R.I.P my Eagle Brother . Best Regards, Stretch*

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**Bill "Stretch" Primrose** - August 21, 2013 at 05:59 AM