



Bradly L. Dimmitt

July 25, 1959 - June 15, 2019

Bradly L. Dimmitt, 59
Kearney Resident

Bradly L. Dimmitt, 59, of Kearney passed away on Saturday, June 15, 2019 at UNMC in Omaha. Funeral services will be 10:30 a.m. Thursday, June 20, 2019 at Holy Cross Lutheran Church in Kearney. Rev. Duane Duley will officiate. Interment will follow the service at Kearney Cemetery. Visitation will be 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. Wednesday at O'Brien Straatmann Redinger Funeral Home in Kearney and one hour prior to the service at the church.

Memorials are suggested to the Children's Hospital in Omaha. Condolences may be shared online at www.osrfh.com. Services are entrusted to O'Brien Straatmann Redinger Funeral and Cremation Services.

Bradly Loren Dimmitt was born on July 25, 1959 in Littleton, Colorado to Loren "Jack" and Orlienne "Bucky" (Erven) Dimmitt. His family moved to a farm near Ord, Nebraska in the mid 1960's. They then moved to Wood River in the early 1970's, where Brad made lifelong friends. He graduated from Wood River High School in 1977.

Brad was united in marriage to Shelly in June 1990. He became an instant father to Adam and Chrissy, a role he cherished. The couple adopted Cassie

in 1999, which made their family complete. Brad graduated from Kearney State College in 1992, with a bachelor's degree in education. He taught in Wilcox for two years, then worked various jobs before working at Fasse Valves in Kearney, where he had worked for over 20 years until his passing.

He was a great Husker fan, both football and baseball, but his true love was for the Chicago Cubs. Going to a Cubs game on his 50th birthday and watching them win the World Series a few years ago was so special to him.

Brad liked to spend time traveling; doing home projects, working on and restoring his 1975 Oldsmobile; long drives, casino trips, taking afternoon naps and enjoyed having coffee at sunset on his deck at home with Shelly.

Brad really enjoyed time with his friends. Traveling, activities, parties or just sitting with friends gave him great pleasure. His most cherished times were with his family. He loved just hanging out with his brothers and sisters (technically in-laws, but he never felt like an in-law), nieces and nephews, laughing, crying, working and playing, teasing, joking and storytelling (and he had a bunch!). His greatest love was for his wife, children and grandchildren. He loved nothing better than to spend time doing anything with them. Brad would do anything for his family. He was a kind, loving, great husband and father, and a fabulous grandfather.

Brad had a massive heart attack on May 2, 2019 while at the ER at CHI Health-Good Samaritan Hospital in Kearney. He was flown to Clarkson Tower at UNMC in Omaha, where he spent six weeks in ICU until his death on June 15, 2019 with his family by his side.

Brad was a member of Holy Cross Lutheran Church and was an organ donor.

Left to cherish his memory are his wife, Shelly Dimmitt of Kearney; son, Adam

Herrera and his wife, Chelsea of Kearney; daughters, Chrissy Towery and her husband, Shawn of Kearney, and Cassie Ferguson and her husband, Chris of Superior; four beautiful grandchildren, Bryceton and Hendrix Herrera, Ashley Towery and Zoie Schmidt; brothers-in-law and sisters-in-law, Dan and Lynn Treadway, Teresa and Mike Reeder, Mike and Nellie Treadway, all of Kearney, Rick Treadway of Holdrege, and Jon Hatch of Wisconsin; 18 nieces and nephews; 13 great-nieces and nephews; along with other relatives and many friends.

Brad was preceded in death by his parents; his sister; and a nephew.

Cemetery Details

Kearney Cemetery

4400 Avenue I
Kearney, NE 68847
(308) 233-3244

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 19. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

O'Brien Straatmann Redinger Funeral Homes and Cremations
4115 Ave N
Kearney, NE 68847
(308) 234-3500
info@osrfh.com
<https://www.osrfh.com>

Funeral Service

JUN 20. 10:30 AM (CT)

Holy Cross Lutheran Church
3315 11th Ave
Kearney, NE 68845

Tribute Wall



“ *Bradly L. Dimmitt*

January 28, 2023 at 08:01 AM



“ *Shelly, So sorry to hear of Brad's passing. May all the memories you made together because treasures in your heart. God's grace and mercy to with you.*

Sheri and Pete Rodriguez, Arizona

Sheri and Pete - June 22, 2019 at 10:24 AM



“ *I worked with Brad for a few years during the 90's, at Wilcox School. We did quite a few recess duties together, in all kinds of weather. He worked with some challenging kids, during that time. I always admired his patience & commitment to those kids. I have no doubt he will be missed. Prayers to the Dimmitt family. 🙏🙏*

Marianne Paben - June 20, 2019 at 12:43 PM



“ *So sorry for your loss. My heart goes out to all the family. Brad was a great person as are all the Treadways. He will be missed. Sorry I couldn't attend the funeral. Connie Baxter*

Connie Baxter - June 20, 2019 at 11:03 AM

SD

“ Brad has been my husbands friend since they were young. I remember Brad from Highschool and stayed friends after we graduated. He was in our Wedding and we had many fond memories of him. I remember all of our times riding the streets in is favorite cars listening to his music thumping his fingers on the dash. He could do this for hours 😊 I also remember times we got together for Husker games and camping and fishing when we were younger. Many good times then! In his later life, we enjoyed getting together with him and Shelly for our ‘catch up’ visits! We were sad we didn’t do it more often! We were looking forward to do some traveling together in years to come as we wanted to go on a cruise with them. We will have to travel together in our dreams now Brad!! He was a sweet guy who will be missed always! Forever friends Shelly!!

Sherry and Brad Desel - June 20, 2019 at 08:42 AM

KR

“ Shelly,
I was sorry to read about Brad’s passing. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.
Kelly Rader

Kelly Rader - June 19, 2019 at 02:24 PM

YT

“ Your Ashley HomeStore team purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Bradly L. Dimmitt.



Your Ashley HomeStore team - June 19, 2019 at 09:50 AM

DD

“ Shelley and Family you have our deepest sympathies!

Duaine and Kathy Dimmitt - June 18, 2019 at 09:51 PM

DD

“ I will always remember a fond memory of Brad and myself going to work with our Dads Tuffy and Loren. We were helping them put up a building just west of Grand Island,Ne. Helping our Dads lay steel, pour concrete,and putting metal on the building. Remembering what our pay was, 2 cheeseburgers,french fries and a coke for each of us for lunch. Worked our butts off!! Ha! Ha!

Duaine Dimmitt - June 18, 2019 at 09:37 PM

DD

“ Duaine & Kathy Dimmitt lit a candle in memory of Bradly L. Dimmitt



Duaine & Kathy Dimmitt - June 18, 2019 at 09:30 PM

JF

“ Jim Treadway and family purchased the Basket Full of Wishes for the family of Bradly L. Dimmitt.



Jim Treadway and family - June 18, 2019 at 06:31 PM

KM

“ Shelly, my sympathy for you and your family. Met you and Brad thru Fasse when David used to work there. Now both David and Brad can reminisce about the Fasse days and have a good time! Remember we will see them again in Gods time!

Karen Mcdowell - June 18, 2019 at 08:40 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Bradly L. Dimmitt.



June 18, 2019 at 12:44 AM

JB

“ I'm so very sorry Shelly...you are in my heart and prayers my friend....
Janelle Beatty

Janelle Beatty - June 17, 2019 at 10:04 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Bradly L. Dimmitt.



June 17, 2019 at 09:59 PM

JD

“ My fondest memories with Brad are when they lived on the farm by North Loup. Many times I got to go out with him to gather cows for milking. Always heading out early so we had plenty of time to explore the pastures. I also loved to help bucket feed the calves. Brad would have no problem letting us do that chore over the weekend since it was his job all week. Get memories. I love you cousin. I am so happy that I got to see you one last time here in Omaha and enjoyed your humor. I wish you and Shelly would have gotten to flick that spinner to know where you were going to head out for vacation.

Julie Dimmitt-Shoop - June 17, 2019 at 09:14 PM

JH

“ Brad and I actually lived together for a few months until he decided to go to college to get his teaching degree!!! I had many great times with Brad. I will be missing him greatly!!! Sorry for your lost Shelly. Prayers for you and your family!!

Jay harders - June 17, 2019 at 07:11 PM

JH

“ Jay Harders lit a candle in memory of Bradley L. Dimmitt



Jay harders - June 17, 2019 at 07:07 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Bradly L. Dimmitt.*



June 17, 2019 at 06:40 PM



“ *Fiery Lily and Rose was purchased for the family of Bradly L. Dimmitt.*



June 17, 2019 at 06:39 PM



“ *Brad came into our family almost the same time as I did. We always thought of him as a brother not an in law. We made him family and made him fit right in. He told me once that I could be his little sister. He treated me as so because he liked to give me a hard time as a big brother would. I loved it. I will forever remember your kindness your laugh and your love for sharknado. I will miss his presence in my life as my Friday night coffee and casino buddy, but most of all as my big brother. Keep the coffee warm till we meet again.*



Nellie Treadway - June 17, 2019 at 06:05 PM