



Patrick Dineen

December 11, 1960 - June 19, 2013

Patrick M. Dineen, 52, of Bakersfield, CA died Wednesday, June 19, 2013 in Kearney after a brief illness. Funeral services will be 9:30 A.M., Saturday, June 22, 2013 at O'Brien Straatmann Redinger Funeral Home in Kearney. The Rev. Mike McDonald will officiate. Interment will be in the Kearney Cemetery. Visitation will be on Friday, June 21, from 6-8 with a time of sharing starting at 7:00 PM. Memorials are suggested to the family for future designation. Online condolences may be submitted to www.osrfh.com. Funeral arrangements were entrusted to the O'Brien Straatmann Redinger Funeral Home of Kearney. Patrick was born December 11, 1960 in Kearney to Frank and Bernadine (Flaherty) Dineen. He attended school in Kearney and graduated from Kearney High School in 1979. He graduated Magna Cum Laude from Fort Scott Community College at Frontenac, KS with a Associate Degree in Applied Science with a major in Harley-Davidson Technician Training and Professional Development. Later he received his Bachelor of Applied Science degree in Automotive Technology from Pittsburg State University at Pittsburg, KS. He worked from 1990 to 2004 as an interior carpenter for Interstate Structures in Kearney. He was employed as a motorcycle technician for Harley Davidson in Bakersfield, CA at the time of his death. His pastimes included his passion for Harley Davidson motorcycles. He was considered by his family and friends as "An all American Outdoorsman". Survivors include his father of Kearney, sisters, Katy Oelkers of Kearney and Peggy Davidson of Omaha, nephews, Brandon Ernst and wife, Brittany of

Omaha, Michael Davidson of Durham, NC, nieces, Keely Ernst of Omaha, Mackenna Oelkers of Kearney and Brigette Davidson of Omaha. He was preceded in death by his mother and grandparents.

Tribute Wall



“ *Patrick Dineen*

January 28, 2023 at 08:01 AM



“ *Another Road Trip Story came to mind. Pat and I rode to Columbus Ne. for their Christmas open House. The HD Dealership there is where He bought His Bad Boy and I bought My Electra Glide. It was 17 degrees when We left Kearney. We stopped in Cairo Ne. and bought Chemical Heating Pads that We wore in Our gloves, pockets, boots and a few other places Lol. We were the only ones to ride into the open house in Columbus. It was so cold that We were the the only two that rode in. Nobody from Columbus even bothered. Now that's HARDCORE.*

Eric (Rick)Larson - August 21, 2013 at 05:58 AM



“ *I was saddened to hear that Pat was gone. I had no idea.Pat and I had ridden many miles together. Once in Arapahoe Ne. We stopped for coffee. A sign said NO REGULAR COFFEE YOU WILL HAVE TO HAVE DECAFFINATED. Pat and I laughed and it became a running joke between us. I was impressed with His knowledge and schooling, and that He was working at what He loved most- Harley Davidsons. I ask Myself why it is, I'm still riding and He is not. Tough question. But I will remember Pat and think of Him, everytime I ride. I think it is possible for Pat to ride along side Me once again. You will be missed My friend. Godspeed, Eric*

eric (Rick) Larson - August 21, 2013 at 05:58 AM

MB

“ I am so sorry to hear about the loss of Pat. I can remember him very well. My first crush. Rest in Peace Pat. Prayers going out to his family. Mary Jo

mary jo elliott butesh - August 21, 2013 at 05:58 AM

BF

“ We are very sorry to hear of your family's loss. Please accept our deepest condolences in this sad time. (Rev. 21:4)

Burts Family - August 21, 2013 at 05:58 AM

RS

“ Frank, so sorry to hear of the loss of your son. It just doesn't seem right that a person that young should leave us.

Ron/Mary Scott - August 21, 2013 at 05:58 AM

VC

“ Dear Dineen Family, I was so sad to hear about Pat. I remember him as this little kid running around your house teasing his sisters. I know what it is like to lose a little brother. If there is anything you need, call me. (402)681-8765. Please contact me. Always, Val

Valeri Diller Caldwell - August 21, 2013 at 05:58 AM

WA

“ Dear, Frank, Katy, Peggy and family. I was shocked and saddened at th news of Pat's death. My condolences go out to all of you. I am often reminded of how insperable we were in grade school. When I would spend the night I afraid we drove Frank crazy. Frank would come in about every 10 minutes telling us to be quiet. Well we had this flashlight and some small stuffed frogs. Projecting the images on the ceiling was quite entertaining. Well eventually Frank would just stand in the doorway and not move. Occasionally we would erupt in giggles and Frank would try to be stern to get us to be quiet. You could see through it. He would finally get us to go to sleep about 2. Of course we didnt realize he would be going to work in a few short hours later. (whoops!) There was this one time when we were having a talent show in one of the little white room school houses at Northeast. Pat and I were assigned to sing This Land is Your Land on the harpsichord. Well, we got to giggling and laughing so hard right in the middle of our performance that . . . Mrs.Laufgrin got up and grabbed my hand and started strumming and singing really loud, well this really set us off including our classmates. We had so many good times together growing up, I thought we were going to live forever. And there would be plenty of time together for one was last ride. I love you all, and wish I could be there to celebrate Pat's life with you. Willy

Willy Arnold - August 21, 2013 at 05:58 AM

JM

“ Frank, I am so sorry to hear of your son's passing. Frank you are in my thoughts and prayers. Joyce

Joyce Martin - August 21, 2013 at 05:58 AM

SM

“ Frank, I'm so very sorry to hear about Pat...I remember Pat so well while in Elementary school....My Prayers go out to you during this time....

Sandi Maciejewski - August 21, 2013 at 05:58 AM

KW

“ Dear Frank and family -- I am so sorry for your loss. I have many found memories of Pat. I still remember the night that the Kindegarterner's went to school to meet their teacher and who would be in their class. As is got darker, Pat was very upset because he thought his parents forgot to come pick him up. At that precise moment, you and Bernie entered the room and reassured him you did not forget him. I lost track of him after we graduated, but I have thought of him many, many times. I cannot imagine how difficult it is to bury your child. May you find comfort with your family and memories of Pat. You are in my thoughts and prayers during this difficult time and during the coming months. Fondly, Kim Whaley

Kim Whaley - August 21, 2013 at 05:58 AM

MC

“ This saddens me very much, I enjoyed working with Pat at Interstate Structures Rest In Peace Pat.....

Michael Caha - August 21, 2013 at 05:58 AM

C7

“ With heavy hearts we send our condolences. Our prayers and love are being sent to the family. May God comfort and keep you in this time of sorrow. He will be missed.

Class of 79 - August 21, 2013 at 05:58 AM

KS

“ Frank - So very sorry to hear about the passing of your son. He rode his motorcycle thru the gates of heaven to see Bernie. Please take comfort in this and your memories. Thinking of you - Kim

Kim Sheldon - August 21, 2013 at 05:58 AM

JB

“ We are very sorry to hear about Pat. He was a good friend and wonderful person. You are in our thoughts and prayers.

Jack and Janelle Beatty - August 21, 2013 at 05:58 AM