

Brian Duane Schroeder, 57, of Battleview, ND, passed away on Saturday, March 9, 2024 at his residence in Battleview, ND.

Brian was born to Duane and Loretta Schroeder on August 3, 1966 in Stanley, ND. He attended Powers Lake School and graduated with the class of 1984.

After graduation, he went to work for a farmer and then later went to work in the oilfield.

His daughter Kelsey was born on September 10, 1991. Brian married Lynn Godejohn and from this union, his daughter Shelby was born on January 4, 1999. Brian and Lynn divorced and he moved to Minot for a few years and cooked at various locations. He then moved back to Battleview to help take care of his mom.

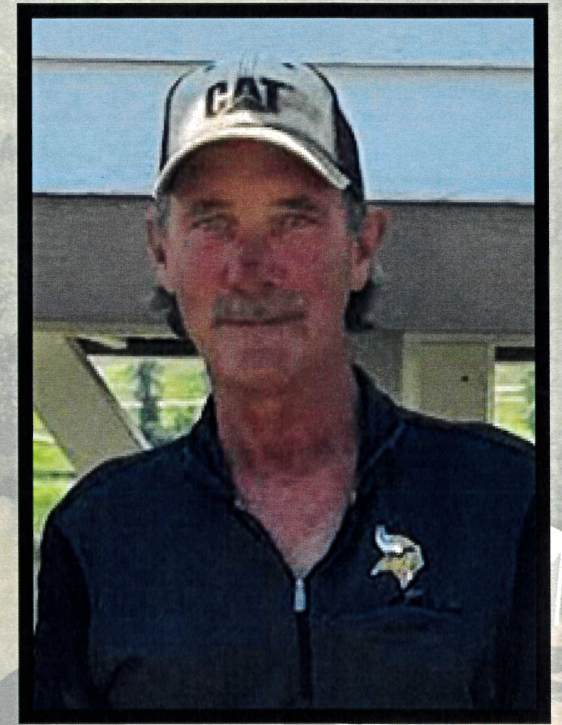
Brian loved to make sure the yard looked nice and was always outside mowing or taking care of his garden. He loved hanging out in his "He Shed" and visiting with his cousins. He loved when family and friends would come over to visit and play cards and backgammon. Brian enjoyed cooking and was always trying to feed everyone when they came over.

Brian always made sure to take care of the many stray cats that came to the yard to visit. He ended up with a couple house cats that he also loved very much. He even taught one to play fetch.

He will be missed so much!

Brian is survived by his mother; daughters, Kelsey (Lyle) Donovan and Shelby Schroeder; grandchildren, Kaydence, Deklyn, Josephine, Daegher, and Dallas Donovan; brothers, William Ulledahl and Thomas Ulledahl; sisters, Laura (Rick) Weinmann and Lisa (Greg) Holmen; Aunts Theadora (Dean) Burau, and Evelyn Buffington and numerous nieces, nephews, and cousins.

He was preceded in death by his father; and his paternal and maternal grandparents.



*In Loving Memory Of*

**Brian Duane Schroeder**

August 3, 1966 - March 9, 2024

When your loved one  
becomes a  
*Memory,*  
Every memory  
becomes a  
*Treasure.*

## *Beat You There*

I don't know why  
God always takes the good ones first  
And man, I've tried  
To be strong and carry on, but damn this hurts  
And I just wish that I could talk to you  
Again somehow, someday  
even if it's for a moment  
So I can hear you say  
Don't cry for me, I'm alright  
I'm better than you know  
And this life can be a short ride  
So don't waste it on sorrow  
And just hold on to those moments  
And the memories we shared  
We're both headed for the same place anyway  
I just beat you there  
I know they say  
"Just give it a little time, you'll be okay"  
That might be true  
But it don't really help me today  
And we ain't supposed to question  
The man upstairs  
There's just so much I don't understand  
It just don't seem fair  
Don't cry for me, I'm alright  
I'm better than you know  
And this life can be a short ride  
So don't waste it on sorrow  
And just hold on those moments  
And the memories we shared  
Were both headed for the same place anyway  
I just beat you there  
And as each day goes by  
I get a little bit stronger  
But that don't stop me from wishing you  
We're here a little bit longer  
So I'm gonna smile when I think of you  
Like I know you'd want me to  
And I know you're watching over me  
In everything I do  
And all those things I never got to say  
Well, I'll send 'em with this prayer  
Then look up, wipe my tears and raise my beer  
And I'll see you there

## *Brian Duane Schroeder*

*Born to Duane & Loretta Schroeder*

August 3, 1966  
Stanley, North Dakota

*Called Home to His Heavenly Father*

March 9, 2024  
Battleview, North Dakota

### *Memorial Service*

Tuesday, March 19, 2024 ~ 2:00 PM  
Bethel Lutheran Church  
Battleview, North Dakota

### *Officiating*

Pastor Pauline Crowder

### *Music*

"Beat You There"  
"Jealous Of The Angels"  
"When I Get To Where I Am Going"  
"Amazing Grace"

### *Musician*

Brenda Jorgenson

### *Honorary Urn Bearers*

All of Brian's Cousins & Close Friends

### *Final Resting Place at a Later Date*

Bethel Cemetery  
Battleview, North Dakota

### *Arrangements By*

Fulkerson Stevenson Funeral Home  
Williston, North Dakota

