



Duane "Buzzy" M. Linsmeyer

November 8, 1960 - January 12, 2025

Duane "Buzzy" Mark Linsmeyer, age 64, of Butternut, died on Sunday January 12, 2025, at his home with his family by his side. He was born November 8, 1960, the son of John and Gertrude (Scherwinski) Linsmeyer. Buzzy graduated from Butternut High School in 1979, and remained a lifetime resident of the area. He spent a majority of his life driving truck, cross-country and locally. He was a true Northwoods man who loved camping with family, hunting, and fishing. Buzzy had a contagious laugh, great sense of humor and always told the best jokes. Most of all, he loved being with his family and friends. He taught us that life's journey should be filled with hard-work, and plenty of laughter.

He is survived by his three children; Jacob (Tracy) Linsmeyer, Tyler McKuen, Adrienne (Joseph) Edin, his life partner Patty, (7)grandchildren, (8)siblings; James (Pearl), Gene (Judy), Diane (Terry) Miller, Kathy (Robert) Gustafson, Michael, Ronald (Donna), Patti (Gregg) Gilhausen, Donna (Darren) Weik. He was preceded in death by his parents, infant daughter Angelica, his first wife Marie, brother Dale, and nephew Timothy.

A memorial service will be held on Saturday January 25, 2025 at 11:00am at St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Butternut. Rev. John Deitz will officiate.

A visitation will be held at the church on Saturday January 25, 2025 from

10:00am until the hour of the service.

Birch Street Funeral Service is assisting the family.

www.birchstreetfuneralservice.com

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 25. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

St. Paul's Lutheran Church
301 West Main Street
Butternut, WI 54514

Memorial Service

JAN 25. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

RG

“ *Our Deepest Sympathy to the Family and Friends of Buzzy Linsmeyer. Thoughts and Prayers with you. Dennis & Ramona Gahagan*



Ramona Gahagan - January 15, 2025 at 03:55 AM

DM

“ *My deepest sympathies go out to Buzzy's family. He will be widely missed by all that knew him. Buzzy once helped me start a potato patch by bringing a rototiller and working up some dirt that hadn't been worked before. The soil was rich and the potato crop thrived but it wouldn't have been possible without his help. That's the kind of guy buzzie was. Willing to help without expecting anything in return. Rest in peace my friend.*

Deb Markestad - January 14, 2025 at 08:34 PM

LW

“ *I am so sorry for your loss. Buzzy was such a wonderful person and friend to so many. I can only imagine that he and Hoss are having a Beer right now and telling jokes and laughing like crazy. My heartfelt sympathy to all of you and love and prayers!! Lisa (Bortz) Woelfel*

Lisa Woelfel - January 14, 2025 at 04:17 PM

LW

I just need to share this for everyone. Hoss would often tell this story, "Buzzy always said, when the Good Lord was handing out ears, I thought he said beers and I said, I will take 2 big ones".. Oh I laugh every time I think of that. Rest in Peace Buzzy and I hope you are having 2 Big beers in heaven.

Lisa Woelfel - January 14, 2025 at 04:21 PM

CA

Jeff and I send our condolences. Buzzy was as everyone described... a fun guy to be around. Of course we never knew him as a family man since we left the area in 1986, but I'm sure he was wonderful.

*Sincerely,
Carol and Jeffrey Andree
Kissimmee, FL*

Carol Andree - January 14, 2025 at 06:20 PM

LF

“ *Luhtala Family lit a candle in memory of Duane "Buzzy" M. Linsmeyer*



Luhtala Family - January 14, 2025 at 03:55 PM

JR

“ *In sixth grade, Buzz gave me a brooch and asked me to go steady. Buzz, I reprimanded, put that brooch back in you Mom's jewelry box! You stole that brooch from her and I'm more of a ring girl anyway.*

Jessie Rominske - January 14, 2025 at 02:50 PM

KS

We are sorry for your loss. 🙏🙏🙏.

Ken & Rita Smart - January 14, 2025 at 05:19 PM

LG

“ *First of all..my most sincere and the deepest of sympathies to Buzzy's entire family...you are all in my every thought and prayers...sending Huge hugs and all of My Love to all of you...unfortunately I don't have just 1 specific memory of my dear cousin Buzzy as there are just waaay too many but...I can say that he most always had a big smile everytime he saw n greeted you whenever out n about and he always had a huge heart and would give you the shirt off of his back etc...he always would give me a big hug n a smooch anytime I'd happen to run into him somewhere and of course that huge sense of humor he had he forever had many jokes at the ready whenever you'd talk to him n he'd have your belly hurting after awhile from laughing so very hard and I will forever remember his contagious laugh....Buzzy was just an absolutely kind n big hearted soul that will be deeply missed by all but he will never ever be forgotten and he will forever live on in his children...his siblings and all of his family n friends...I Love You Cousin Buzzy... You Will Forever Be Missed and Loved Dearly...Fly High On Eagles Wings Dear Cousin...Heaven has surely gained a VERY Precious Angel...*



Lori Jean Glaeser - January 14, 2025 at 02:42 PM