



Patrick James Mader

February 6, 1961 - January 11, 2017

Patrick James Mader, age 55, of Huntington, died at 1:57 p.m. Wednesday, January 11, 2017 at Lutheran Hospital in Fort Wayne.

A memorial service will be held at a later date.

Preferred memorials are to National Autism Association or Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation, in care of Bailey-Love Mortuary, 35 West Park Drive, Huntington, Indiana, 46750.

Patrick was born on February 6, 1961 in Great Falls, Montana, the son of Benjamin and Agnes (Richter) Mader. He graduated from C.M. Russell High School in 1979 and earned a Bachelor degree from Northern Montana College. Patrick married Laurie Harrell on July 13, 2013 in Havre, Montana. He was an autism specialist and a member of the Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation and Northern Alumni Association. He was an avid fisherman and hunter and enjoyed woodworking and photography. He dearly loved his children and grandchildren.

Survivors include his wife - Laurie Mader of Huntington; five sons - Benjamin (Lindsey) Mader, Colby (Kelsie) Mader, and Nicholas Mader, all of Havre, Montana, Christopher (Irene) Harrell of California, and Zachary Harrell of Huntington; five daughters - Kendra (Joshua) Mader and Ashley Mader, both

of Arizona, Stacy Harrell of Albion, Rene Harrell of Andrews, and Annie Rose Harrell of Huntington; a brother - Calvin Mader of Tennessee; two sisters - Debbie Kirby of Great Falls, Montana and Cindy (Brian) McCrea of Washington; and nine grandchildren. His parents precede him in death.

Tribute Wall

AT

“ My condolences to Laurie and all the kids. I have many funny memories of our high school days together. Everything from working on old cars, cruising the drag, and even Pat falling out the door as we turned the corner in our friends Chevy. I have missed him as time and distance kept us out of touch over the years. Praying I'll see him in Heaven one day with that silly smile saying "what took you so long"?

Allan Trudel - Spokane, WA

Allan Trudel - January 18, 2017 at 11:55 PM

DT

“ We remember Pat from Gt Falls as he & our son Allan were good friends thru school yrs. Pat was always a welcome friend in our home. I last saw him here in the local store as he was living in Havre still. As always was very polite, we chatted about his family & inquired about Allan & family & also about our other son. Always had a smile for us & I remember the High School days here. Our deepest sympathy for your loss.

Darla & Ray Trudel

Darla Trudel - January 18, 2017 at 10:32 PM

KA

“ My deepest sympathy to Laurie and family. Patrick and I often worked together as we sought to make a positive difference for children with disabilities in the Havre community. Patrick was a true advocate with a passion for his work with children and families. God bless his memory among us.

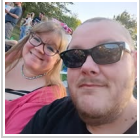
Karla Wohlwend

Karla - January 18, 2017 at 01:49 PM

KC

“ Pat was very kind nan

kim cripps - January 17, 2017 at 08:15 PM



“ He was a great neighbor and will be missed terribly. Til next time Patrick.

Eric Slusser - January 17, 2017 at 09:13 AM

SA

“ My heart aches for my dear friend, Laurie and her family. While I never met you, Patrick, the joy that you brought my friend, your wife, is invaluable. You had to have been a beautiful person and I wish I would have met you and shared some fun memories with the two of you together.

Sending love, prayers & hugs from Colorado.

Stacy Adams

Stacy Adams - January 17, 2017 at 01:26 AM

CI

“ My little brother your smile and warm hugs are missed...!
You were the best brother & uncle...!
Love,
Cindy & Brien Sarah & Megan

Cindy - January 15, 2017 at 05:23 PM

CI

“ My little brother we love you and will miss your smile....!
Love, Cindy & Brien

Cindy - January 15, 2017 at 04:56 PM