



Butch Beardsley

March 31, 1955 - November 21, 2019

WINDHAM-- Butch Beardsley, a loved father and grandfather, and outdoor enthusiast died after a long battle with cancer, November 21, 2019, surrounded by his family at Gosnell House in Scarborough. He was 64 years old.

Butch was born on March 31, 1955, in Portland, ME., second oldest of six children. He was a smart curious man that worked very hard. Once he decided on his work passion, he dug in and earned many licenses for heating, plumbing and all things HVAC. He worked many years at Suburban Propane, eventually starting his own business, Energy Services, LLC, where his passion, dedication and work ethic brought him a large customer base. For anyone that knew Butch, knew how much he loved his kids and grandkids more than life itself. Butch could light up any room with his laugh and smile. He was a generous man. He was always there to help someone. Along with loving the outdoors, he loved riding his motorcycle.

He leaves behind a loving family; sons, Craig, Heath, and Kevin, daughters, Jennifer (husband Ryan Prince) and JoAnne; grandchildren, Chase, Faith, Keegan, Caeley, Lena, Bode, and Brekin; brothers Mark, Matthew and sister Merrienne, and many nieces and nephews, many, many friends and family that loved him immensely.

The family will be holding a private celebration of life later. Family and friends will be notified. In lieu of flowers, please send donations to Hospice of Southern Maine, 180 US Route One, Scarborough, ME 04074. Arrangements are in the care of the Windham Chapel of Dolby Blais & Segee. To express condolences or participate in Butch's online tribute, please visit www.DolbyBlaisSegee.com.

Comments



“ Kathy Merrill lit a candle in memory of Butch Beardsley



Kathy Merrill - January 12, 2020 at 11:33 AM



“ 8 files added to the album Butch's Lyme Ride 2018-2019



Amie Levasseur - November 25, 2019 at 09:53 AM



“ So sorry to hear of Butch passing. I live across the Street from him on Libby Pines. He was a great guy and truly loved his kids. I will never forget the fun times we all had back than. RIP my friend



karen Hartman - November 24, 2019 at 09:07 PM



“ Kathy Johnson lit a candle in memory of Butch Beardsley



kathy johnson - November 24, 2019 at 08:44 PM



“ We first met Butch when we'r moved to Libby Pines in Standish. He always was there to help anyone, always kind and caring and a wonderful father! What I remember the most was his smile and his ability to make people comfortable, welcomed and genuinely caring. I'm so sorry for the loss of such a wonderful man.
Linda Dube

Linda Dube - November 24, 2019 at 05:20 PM



“ I knew Butch through the PCX networking group. What a down-to-earth, awesome man. He will be sorely missed as a man of integrity and someone who made the world a better place just by being in it. Safe travels to heaven, Butch. Much love and comfort to his dear family & friends who meant so much to him.

Kelly Worster - November 24, 2019 at 04:04 PM



“ I had the honor of meeting Butch when he reached out to me to offer to have a Lyme Ride for Lyme Disease. I had been holding the annual Lyme Aid Music Festival for several years, and had been wanting to have a ride for Lyme, but had no idea where to begin. The music festival was becoming too much for me with a busy family and my cofounder resigning. Then God sent Butch. He told me he would be happy to take care of everything, and that I just had to come and let people know what LymeBuddies does. I was a bit hesitant that someone could be so dedicated to my cause and so willing to help, and unwilling to drop the ball when things got in the way. He took a big weight off my shoulders, and reassured me that he had this. What? Really? Wow! He really wanted to help those suffering from Lyme, and he wanted to do it in a way that cost little in terms of money and stress. The first bike run in 2018 was great, and he was determined to keep it growing and going in 2019, even after his battle with cancer got worse. Most people would have stopped, but Butch was not going to let anything get in the way. He just wanted to make it successful and enjoyable, even though he was in a great deal of pain, it wasn't about him as far as he was concerned. During a break we talked about the aches and pains of getting older, and losing your mojo...I assured him that he “still has it”, which of course he definitely did. He just smiled. He made every moment with every person count. He led the way on those rides like the strong gentle leader he is. Butch had a way of putting people at ease and making them feel safe and cared for that is rare. He had a presence that took over a room in an unassuming way with his kind manner and quiet strength. He was easy to know, because he made his priorities clear and he was true blue, but he was also a very private man of few words. He didn't take life or love for granted, and he made sure that his loved ones knew how much he loved them, and how proud he was of his family and cherished friends. I wish there were more like him in this world, but I'm reassured that he has passed these qualities on to his children and grandchildren, and all who were blessed and honored to know him.

We could all learn a lot about living from these words he shared;

Dance in the rain

Love like it is your last day

When you say you're sorry, mean it

Never give up

Thank you, my friend



Amie Levasseur - November 24, 2019 at 10:04 AM



“ Butch with all we went through we managed to have amazing kids we did that right. Thank you

kathy johnson - November 24, 2019 at 10:22 AM



“ One of the best guys I had the pleasure to meet. I called him to be my boiler guy 12 years ago. Within ten minutes of meeting him I knew he was much more. He literally felt like family to us. Rest easy buddy.

Bob Soucy - November 23, 2019 at 03:12 PM



“ So true

Amie - November 24, 2019 at 11:02 AM