



Jonathon Tyler Briskie

May 11, 1983 - March 15, 2024

Jonathon "Tyler" Briskie, a fun dad with a contagious smile, died unexpectedly March 15, 2024. His family and friends appreciate that he had a straight forward personality and was easy to connect with in conversation. Tyler was born to David and Tami (England) Briskie on May 11, 1983 in Marshall, Michigan.

Tyler developed a love of the woods from his father, who taught him to hunt at an early age. He had many adventures in the woods, Tyler was never afraid to get dirty, and enjoyed the serenity of nature. He developed a knack of hunting for mushrooms at an early age on scavenger hunts with his mother, which developed into a passion he would follow throughout his life. Tyler earned a Certificate of Mycology (the study of mushrooms) from MSU in identifying many varieties of wild mushrooms. His favorite mushrooms were morels and he would go to the end of the world to find them. His mushroom hunting grew into a small business for Tyler selling them to local restaurants and distributors.

Tyler was also a Certified Chimney Sweep and served his local community under the company name, Safety Sweep. Building things was a talent he shared with family members crafting furniture, forts and, a loft bed for his daughter, and rabbit cages for the many, many rabbits that he loved to raise. Above all, his greatest passion was his family whom he loved profoundly. He

was a true man of God whom many leaned upon. His life motto: Jesus, family and fungi were what his life was all about. He was always willing to help his family, friends, and others, even the homeless around him. His strong-willed faith, helped him to be content with what he had in life; his children, a walk in the woods to forage for his dinner, family, fungi, farming, and Jesus. You couldn't sway him from his beliefs as he was well versed in scriptures from his Bible. Tyler will be truly missed as he naturally was able to take care of the details of so many things.

Jonathon Tyler Briskie is survived by the love of his life, Sarah Smith; children, Elijah Jonathon Briskie, Sofia May Briskie; his parents, David and Tami Briskie; brothers, Cody Briskie and Bobby Thomas; nephews, James Briskie, Luke Briskie, Nathan Briskie, and Jonah Briskie. He was preceded in death by his grandparents, Don and Darlene Briskie, and grandmother, Loretta England.

Friends are encouraged to support Jonathon's family at visitation and funeral services at 2:00 PM Friday March 22, at Bellevue Christian Center. The family will receive visitors at the church from 12:00 noon Friday until the service time at 2:00 PM. If desired, the family suggests memorial contributions to Bellevue Christian Church. Family and friends are encouraged to share remembrances and condolences online in Jonathon's Tribute Page at www.prayfuneral.com. The family is in the care of Pray Funeral Home, Charlotte, MI.

Cemetery Details

Bosworth Cemetery

6933 South Stine Road
Olivet, MI 49076

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 22. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Bellevue Christian Church
734 W Capital Ave
Bellevue, MI 49021

Funeral

MAR 22. 2:00 PM (ET)

Bellvue Christian Church
734 W. Capital Ave.
49021

Burial

MAR 22 (ET)

Bosworth Cemetery
6933 South Stine Road
Olivet, MI 49076

Tribute Wall



“ *Pray Funeral Home, Inc created a Webcast in memory of Jonathon Tyler Briskie*



Pray Funeral Home, Inc. - March 22, 2024 at 11:01 AM



“ *Pray Funeral Home, Inc created a Tribute Video in memory of Jonathon Tyler Briskie*



Pray Funeral Home, Inc. - March 20, 2024 at 02:01 PM

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*See you again on the other side son. I will miss your smile the most and the smarta**, quick reply funny comment's 🤔*

Susan Griffith/ Long now - March 21, 2024 at 08:06 PM



Ryan Morris

I've always loved and liked Tyler brisky he was a good man he was smart he was very creative he was great with animals he was a lot of fun to be around we always did a lot of fun stuff like fishing and four wheeling and morell hunting he's going to be in my heart and in my mind forever and hopefully we can meet up on the other side I just want to say I get my condolences to his family his friends and most of all his parents and kids

Ryan Morris - March 22, 2024 at 02:49 PM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Jonathon Tyler Briskie.



March 21, 2024 at 01:08 PM



“ 70 files added to the album Life Tributes



Johnathon Tyler Briskie



Pray Funeral Home, Inc. - March 20, 2024 at 01:58 PM

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“ Love, Liz purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Jonathon Tyler Briskie.



Love, Liz - March 19, 2024 at 02:22 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Jonathon Tyler Briskie.



March 19, 2024 at 01:51 PM

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“ Dave, Tami and family- Although its been many years since Tyler and I have shared a laugh my childhood is flooded with memories. When I think of Tyler I think of the all the days spent running around the gravel pit, milk snakes, snapping turtles, sledding, and many more. Big giant hugs and so much love to you during this time. - Andrea

Andrea LaGuire - March 19, 2024 at 10:28 AM

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“ Tyler was always one of my favorite cousins, I remember him mostly from when I was younger. Tami and Dave’s house was one of my favorite places to go as a kid not just because they had cable and snacks cats and dogs, but because I like my older cousins that picked on me sometimes like kids do, but i looked up to Tyler and I thought he was just so cool. My adult memories of Tyler are slim but I do know anytime I contacted him he was still my cousin and treated me like family. He was good man and I’ll always remember his big smile.

Ryan England - March 18, 2024 at 06:13 PM

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“ He was, is one of the good ones. He was always there for me in a pinch the way only he could be. From being in the woods, fishing, or a quick pit stop on the way home. Talking about Jesus and solving life's problems. He was like a brother and I look forward to the day when we can have those talks again. He's already missed.

Andrew Randall - March 18, 2024 at 03:12 PM