



Drew Wesley Brenner

May 13, 1980 - September 30, 2021

Drew Wesley Brenner, age 41, departed this life unexpectedly on September 30, 2021, in Jamestown, RI. Drew is survived by his loving Mother, Marla J Nalisnick Bird and Stepfather, J. David Bird; Father, Steven Brenner; Brother, Brett Brenner, Wife, Ryanne, and his favorite Nieces, Avery and Harper; and Half-Sister Tracy Brenner.

Drew was married to Ariagna Briceno until 2020. He was preceded in death by his doting Grandparents, George and Coletta Nalisnick; and Julius and Carmen Brenner.

Drew was born in Fairfax County, VA on May 13, 1980, and was a Northern Virginia resident until he moved to Rhode Island in December 2020 for an employment opportunity. When Drew passed, he was in the process of relocating to Salem, MA for a new position with Exelitas Technologies as a Senior Financial Planner.

Drew earned his undergraduate degree in Finance from Salisbury University and was one of the first five under graduates in Maryland to complete coursework for the certified Financial Planning degree. He received his Executive MBA from Virginia Tech and was working towards obtaining his Doctorate. He held a variety of employment positions throughout his short life, beginning as the first Nonappropriated Fund Financial Trainee Intern, US Army Community and Family Support Center at Ft Benning, GA; Program Manager, Veterans

Wounded Warrior Program; and various Financial Officer positions at Harris Corporation; Deloitte; and Technica Corporation.

Drew loved nature and the great outdoors, gardening, working out and any kind of physical exercise (Tough Mudder Competition), traveling to unique places (climbed Mt Kilimanjaro) as well as trying new experiences such as bull riding and sky diving.

He leaves behind his loving Aunts, Uncles, Cousins, Friends and Associates.

A memorial service will be held on October 14, 2021, 11:00 a.m. at Miller Funeral Home and Crematory, 3200 Golansky Blvd, Woodbridge, VA 22192. Interment will be held privately.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in Drew's name to these local suicide prevention organizations specializing in direct support of anyone struggling with depression and addiction issues: David J Cobb Foundation.

Donate online at

<https://djcfoundation.org/donate-now> or NAMI-Prince William. Donate online at <https://nami-pw.org/donate-now>.

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

OCT **14**. 11:00 AM (ET)

Miller Funeral Home & Crematory, Inc.
3200 Golansky Blvd.
Woodbridge, VA 22192
703-878-CARE (2273)
<https://millerfuneralhome.net/>

Tribute Wall



“ *Miller Funeral Home and Crematory, Inc. created a Tribute Video in memory of Drew Wesley Brenner*



Miller Funeral Home and Crematory, Inc. - October 14, 2021 at 07:46 AM

JC

Beautiful tribute - I hope the pictures and loving memories, comfort you through your tears and heartbreak.

Judi Brenner Coyne - November 28, 2021 at 10:20 AM

JG

Lovely. He was an active, bright boy who grew into a adventuresome, brilliant man.

Jane Gilgun - September 30, 2022 at 04:35 PM



“ *Drew Wesley Brenner*

January 12, 2023 at 12:00 PM



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Ali Maher - October 15, 2021 at 03:52 PM



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Ali Maher - October 15, 2021 at 11:56 AM



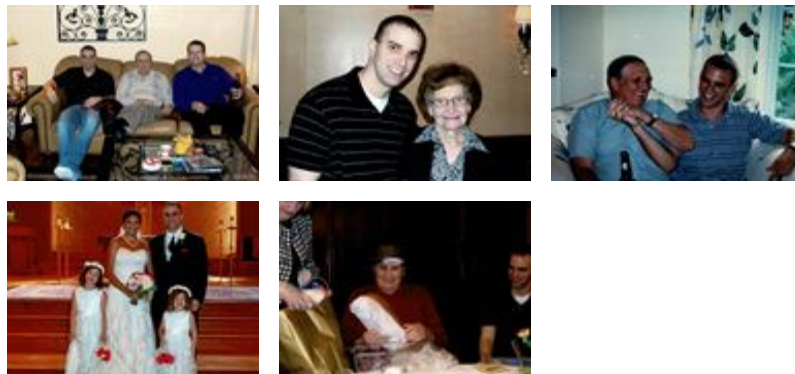
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Ali Maher - October 15, 2021 at 11:41 AM



“ 162 files added to the album Life Tributes



Miller Funeral Home and Crematory, Inc. - October 14, 2021 at 09:12 AM

LE

“ Marla, Brett and Family - I am so sorry for your loss. I personally understand your loss and pain. If I could make it hurt less, I would. Please know you are in my prayers and may Drew fly with angels above. This is a verse from Skylar's memory card...

*"Perhaps my time seemed all to brief,
Don't lengthen it now with undue grief.
Lift up your heart and share with me,
God wanted me now, He set me free."*

With my sincere sympathy

LuAnn (Troup) Evans and Chase

LuAnn (Troup) Evans - October 13, 2021 at 12:51 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Drew Wesley Brenner.



October 13, 2021 at 12:32 PM



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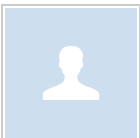
Miller Funeral Home and Crematory, Inc. - October 13, 2021 at 11:03 AM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray* was purchased for the family of *Drew Wesley Brenner*.



October 12, 2021 at 11:07 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of *Drew Wesley Brenner*.



October 12, 2021 at 06:01 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Drew Wesley Brenner.



October 12, 2021 at 08:41 AM



“ *Enchanted Cottage* was purchased for the family of Drew Wesley Brenner.



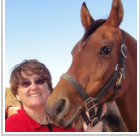
October 11, 2021 at 07:11 AM



“ *Basket of Memories* was purchased for the family of Drew Wesley Brenner.



October 10, 2021 at 11:42 AM



“ Drew and I were a great team as we worked together on the lawn at his house in Jamestown, RI. We both were determined to conquer the grubs and the ants. He loved watching birds and set up several feeders. He succeeded in driving away a family of woodchucks with solar-powered sonar sticks but not before they ate all the beans and squash in the garden. He delighted in picking the tomatoes that grew in the garden, bagging them, and giving them away. He was an electronics whizz and spent time trying to teach me. He loved working on his Range Rover, and it seemed he could fix anything. He was a kind and talented man with many accomplishments and dreams of what he would like to do in the future. I am sorry he died, and he will be with me in spirit forever.



Jane Gilgun

Jane Gilgun - October 09, 2021 at 10:21 PM