



## Paul Lars Bredholt

June 17, 2023

Paul Lars Bredholt, beloved husband, son, father, and grandfather, passed away unexpectedly in his sleep at the age of 57 on June 17th, 2023. He is survived by his wife, LeAnne Bredholt; his mother, Lillian Bredholt; his daughters, Megan Bredholt, Katie (Sean) Richards, and April Bredholt; his grandchildren, Wyatt Campbell, Samuel Richards, and Clementine Richards; and his sister, Jeanne (Dave) Jachim. Paul was preceded in death by his father, Rev. Roy A. Bredholt; his brother, Roy A. Bredholt Jr.; and his sisters, Elizabeth Bredholt and Christine Bredholt.

Born on October 28th, 1965 in Portland, ME, Paul was the youngest of Roy and Lillian's children. Their family moved to various locations and eventually settled in Fargo, ND. Paul met his wife LeAnne in 1986 while working at Park River Bible Camp and the two were married on July 25th, 1987. Paul entered the U.S. Air Force in 1989 and received his commission through the Officers Training School at Lackland AFB, TX. He began his career as a missileer in Grand Forks and retired after 20 years of service as a Lt. Colonel and Commander of the 37th Logistics Readiness Squadron in Lackland AFB, TX. During his military service, he deeply cared for the well-being of his subordinates, mentoring and guiding them to reach their full potential. He exemplified the core values of integrity, courage, and commitment by serving his country with a brave and selfless dedication to others. He was awarded the Bronze Star Medal. After his military retirement, Paul worked as a

contractor for Booz Allen Hamilton and then as a federal government employee for the US Department of the Treasury. A man of great faith, Paul shared Christ with others through his humble spirit and caring acts of service. An avid lexophile, Paul was a formidable Scrabble opponent. All who knew him appreciated his sense of humor, quick wit, and loving spirit. He will be greatly missed by his family and friends.

A visitation and viewing will be held on June 30th, 2023 at Crossroads Presbyterian Church, 15557 Cardinal Drive, Woodbridge, VA 22192, at 10am with a service to follow directly at 11am. Interment at Quantico National Cemetery will follow at 1:30pm.

# Cemetery Details

## Quantico National Cemetery

18424 Joplin Rd  
Triangle, VA 22172

# Previous Events

## Viewing

**JUN 30.** 10:00 AM (ET)

Crossroads Presbyterian Church  
15557 Cardinal Drive  
Woodbridge, VA 22192

## Funeral Service

**JUN 30.** 11:00 AM (ET)

Crossroads Presbyterian Church  
15557 Cardinal Drive  
Woodbridge, VA 22192

## Graveside Service

**JUN 30.** 1:30 PM (ET)

Quantico National Cemetery  
18424 Joplin Rd  
Triangle, VA 22172



# Tribute Wall

EL

“ *Ella/Mumsie/Mama LaRe lit a candle in memory of Paul Lars Bredholt*



Ella/Mumsie/Mama LaRe - June 29, 2023 at 07:52 PM

DV

“ *Daniel De Vivo purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of Paul Lars Bredholt.*



Daniel De Vivo - June 29, 2023 at 11:42 AM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Paul Lars Bredholt.*

June 29, 2023 at 01:09 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Paul Lars Bredholt.*



June 29, 2023 at 01:09 AM

BF

“ *Brent Brueland and family purchased the Sacred Duty Spray for the family of Paul Lars Bredholt.*



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**Brent Brueland and family** - June 28, 2023 at 05:28 PM

GS

“ *Sorry to hear of the loss of Paul. He was part of our friend group at NDSU. I was always sorry that we lost touch as he always seemed to be one of the most sincere and faithful people I have ever met. My condolences!*

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**Greg Scherzer** - June 28, 2023 at 12:08 AM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Paul Lars Bredholt.*



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June 27, 2023 at 11:07 PM



“ *Serenity Wreath was purchased for the family of Paul Lars Bredholt.*



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June 27, 2023 at 03:59 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Paul Lars Bredholt.*



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June 27, 2023 at 03:47 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Paul Lars Bredholt.*



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June 26, 2023 at 12:16 PM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Paul Lars Bredholt.*

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June 26, 2023 at 12:16 PM



“ *Jim and Kim Grimley purchased the Crystal Cross Bouquet for the family of Paul Lars Bredholt.*



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**Jim and Kim Grimley** - June 25, 2023 at 01:38 PM

JG

“ I was absolutely stunned to hear that Paul had passed away. He was such a good friend, I will miss him dearly. When I would call Paul, it was like we'd never been apart, still joking, always a very uplifting spirit. Paul loved his family dearly, and they have my greatest sympathy. The earth lost a truly good person. Until we meet again, rest in peace my friend.

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**Jim Grimley** - June 25, 2023 at 01:32 PM

TJ

“ Paul was my Friend. When we were teammates, he was always willing to take on challenging assignments and help the Team be successful. Paul helped me through the heartbreaking loss of my son in February 2022 with cards, text messages, and words of encouragement. Paul taught me many life lessons through his kindness. The one that stands out the most is when I visited him the day before his heart surgery. Paul taught me the human side of interaction comes from genuine kindness and a willingness to listen. I am going to miss the monthly texts and conversations. He always ended every conversation with Take care and God bless. Every time I talked to Paul, I learned something new. I am going to miss my Friend dearly. May God continue to walk with his family. May God rest Paul's soul.

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**Thomas Jones** - June 23, 2023 at 02:35 PM

EH

“ I remember Paul well from his teenage years in Fargo, ND and Moorhead, MN. He was kind and extremely courteous at all times. As a fellow veteran, I can personally say, even as a teenager, he exemplified our core Air Force values: Integrity First, Service before self and Excellence in all we do. Erik B Holten, MD, Lt COL (retired) 119th Medical Group, ND Air National Guard

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**Erik Holten** - June 23, 2023 at 11:35 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Paul Lars Bredholt.*



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June 22, 2023 at 08:49 PM



“ *Paul was a good soul. His patient presence guided me through many a messy Enterprise Case Management risk discussion. I last talked with Friday, and am so sorry we can't continue our conversations. He will be in our hearts forever.*

*Jenny Glenn*

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**Jenny Glenn** - June 22, 2023 at 07:46 PM



“ *Paul was a caring soul and the most attentive person I have ever met. I was lucky to be assigned to work under him as he guided me in not just work-related items but life itself. I saw him as a mentor and a friend. I will forever miss his good morning messages and the motivation he gave me to take on the day.*

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**Junther Montoya** - June 22, 2023 at 04:29 PM



“ *LeAnne and girls, we will keep memories of Paul in our hearts. He was such a kind, loving man.*

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**Wayne and Pam** - June 22, 2023 at 03:46 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Paul Lars Bredholt.

June 22, 2023 at 03:36 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Paul Lars Bredholt.



June 22, 2023 at 03:36 PM



“ Paul was a wonder person, always very respectful, always efficient, he was kind, a person with integrity, ever patient despite some of the passion and varied opinions on work items, he managed to find common ground and gain alignment. I enjoyed working with him and getting to know him. The outpouring of emotions from our internal team as well as various delivery partners who worked with Paul shows just how many people he touched in a positive way. He will be greatly missed by all who worked with him. Peace and blessings to family and friends in this time of grief and remembrance. Helen Daniels

Helen Daniels - June 22, 2023 at 02:35 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Paul Lars Bredholt.



June 22, 2023 at 09:40 AM

SP

“ Truly, one of the great gentlemen. He was passionate about his work, enjoyed a laugh, and always there to help. God bless you, Sir!

Steve Proulx - June 22, 2023 at 09:10 AM

YB

“ Paul was a truly nice human being in every sense of the word. His always calm and respectful demeanor made it pleasant to work with him. I am missing him already. Wishing Paul's family strength through this hard time.  
RIP Paul.

Yonas Berhe - June 22, 2023 at 08:23 AM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Paul Lars Bredholt.



June 21, 2023 at 08:30 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Paul Lars Bredholt.

June 21, 2023 at 08:25 PM

BB

“ Paul was a great man and I was honored to know him and to be able to share many wonderful times and create long lasting memories both as a friend and later as my brother-in-law. He will be missed by all. Praying for Paul, LeAnne, and the whole family. Brent Brueland

Brent Brueland - June 21, 2023 at 02:19 PM

JK

“ Paul was 2 things to me, a terrific employee, and a good Christian man. Paul made me want to be a better man, and will serve as an example for me, the rest of my life. I appreciate you sharing Paul with us, and I can tell you the world was a better place because of Paul. God Bless.

John Kailey - June 21, 2023 at 01:39 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Paul Lars Bredholt.



June 21, 2023 at 09:39 AM



“ Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of Paul Lars Bredholt.



June 20, 2023 at 07:32 PM