



Bruce Michael Forintos

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Bruce Michael Forintos, age 71, died unexpectedly at home in Canadian Lakes on Monday, January 28, 2019. Bruce was born in Detroit, MI in 1947 to John and Elizabeth Forintos, and grew up in Lincoln Park, MI. He graduated from Cardinal Mooney High School and Sacred Heart Major Seminary, earned his M.A. from the University of Detroit and his PhD from the University of Michigan. During his professional career he held administrative positions at The University of Michigan–Dearborn, The University of Northern Iowa, and Ferris State University. He is survived by his wife, Mary Rose (Regan) Whom he married in 1973, and a son, David Regan (Hayley), and grandchildren, Jaxx, Adalynn, and Adrian. He is also survived by brothers, Brian (Rita), Rev. Bradley, Barry (Janet), Brent (Allison), and Blaine (Anne Marie) and sister, Cynthia Walkuski (Michael), as well as many in-laws, nieces, and nephews. Bruce enjoyed model-railroading, collecting antique fountain pens, fishing with his brothers, Brian and Brad, good scotch and smoking a pipe. He had a good sense of humor and was a deeply spiritual person. Mass of Christian burial will be held Saturday, February 2nd, at 12:00 PM, at St. Michael Catholic Church in Remus with Fathers Bradley Forintos and Tom Boufford as Celebrants. Visitation will take place at Janowicz Family Funeral Home in Remus on Friday evening, February 1st, from 2:00 PM to 7:00 PM (Scripture Service at 6:00 PM), and again on Saturday from 11:00 AM to the time of service at church. Those desiring may direct memorial contributions to God’s Helping Hands or to St. Michael’s School. Envelopes will be available at the funeral home and church.



Tribute Wall

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RB

Rick Bass posted:

Rick Bass posted a condolenceDear Mary,The years go so very fast - seems like only a few years since we had so many gatherings involving the newly ordained from our class and those that had chosen other paths in life. Bruce, of course, was one of my favorite people and he was wise enough to choose you as a life partner. There are so many stories that could be told - and most of them (all of them??) are filled with laughter and good times. I am so very sorry that you must suffer this loss - and realize that the faith which the two of you shared will give you the needed strength at this time. I sure hope that God enjoys pipe smoke - poetry - wry humor - and someone who was as devoted to him as Bruce. Know that I took you both to the altar of the Lord at Masses this weekend and know that my life has been deeply enriched through knowing you both.ricck

February 3 at 8:00 PM

CJ

Charles And Carol Johnson posted:

Charles and Carol Johnson posted a condolenceCarol and I are very, very sad to hear this terrible news. I worked with Bruce at the University of Northern Iowa, where I quickly discovered he was a peerless professional, both in his faculty and administrative roles. We worked on projects together, and Carol and I had a great friendship with Bruce and Mary, both in Iowa and Michigan. We were looking forward to more time with both of them. Mary, our deepest condolences. We are so sorry.- Charles and Carol

February 2 at 8:00 PM

AD

Ann Dillon posted:

Ann Dillon posted a condolenceMary, there are no words but know you are held in prayer and deep affection. May our loving God continue to give you strength.

February 2 at 8:00 PM

EP

Elaine Pogoncheff posted:

Elaine Pogoncheff posted a condolenceTo Mary and family -- Please know my prayers are with you in this difficult time. Bruce was a great role model and a sincere and genuine person to all. His thoughtful responses and contributions to our Gathering Group meant a lot to us all. He will be missed. -- Take care, Elaine P.

January 31 at 8:00 PM



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BK

Beverly Kelley posted:

Beverly Kelley posted a condolence Mary, I am sorry I am out of state and unable to be there in person to support you. Sending strength, love and prayers!

January 31 at 8:00 PM

RP

Richard Peck posted:

Richard Peck purchased flowers

January 31 at 8:00 PM

LV

Lawrence Vidovic posted:

Lawrence Vidovic donated to GODS HELPING HANDS OF MECOSTA COUNTY Sadness fills our hearts, yet the memories we have of Bruce, bring a smile. He remains present to us

January 31 at 8:00 PM

JK

Janet Korth posted:

Janet Korth purchased flowers

January 30 at 8:00 PM

KC

Karla Casteller posted:

Karla Casteller purchased flowers

January 30 at 8:00 PM

SA

Sister Mary Ann Ankoviak, Csj posted:

Sister Mary Ann Ankoviak, CSJ posted a condolence Dear Fr. Brad, Mary and family: Please know of my heartfelt sadness in hearing of the death of Bruce. I share your sorrow and hold you in prayer. May our gracious God of life, welcome Bruce to the fullness of everlasting life with a loving embrace and bring to each of you the consoling peace of Jesus and the strengthening grace of His comforting Spirit. Sister Mary Ann

January 30 at 8:00 PM



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AF

Audrey Frank posted:

Audrey Frank purchased flowers

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JM

Joni Mehall posted:

Joni Mehall purchased flowers

January 30 at 8:00 PM

AF

Audrey Frank posted:

Audrey Frank lit a candle

January 30 at 8:00 PM

CW

Carl Wagner posted:

Carl Wagner posted a condolence On behalf of the teachers, staff, students, and parents of Holy Cross Catholic School in Marine City, I want to extend our sincere condolences to Fr. Brad and his whole family at this time of grief. For myself and my own family, Fr. Brad, I know how much it hurts to lose a brother especially so unexpectedly. My prayers are with you and your family.

January 30 at 8:00 PM

KL

Kathryn Ling posted:

Kathryn Ling purchased flowers

January 30 at 8:00 PM

MJ

Margaret Jorden posted:

Margaret Jorden purchased flowers

January 29 at 8:00 PM



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Timothy Stol posted:

Timothy Stol purchased flowers

January 29 at 8:00 PM



Mary Macdonald posted:

Mary MacDonald posted a condolenceMary,I am so sorry for the loss that you and your family are experiencing. Prayers to you all and for Bruce.

January 29 at 8:00 PM



Jeff And Linda Regan posted:

Jeff and Linda Regan posted a condolenceMary,Linda and are were shocked and saddened when Dan called last night to tell us of Bruce's death. You will be in our prayers during this sad time.Kathy also called and we ask her to send you our love in person, when she comes for the funeral. We're sorry we can't be there I've been very sick with the flu. With all our love,Jeff & Linda

January 29 at 8:00 PM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Bruce by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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