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July 13, 1951 - October 17, 2019

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Mr. Hanson was born July 13, 1951, the son of Mable (Gronka) Hanson and the late Howard Hanson and has resided in Shirley for over 50 years. He was a 1970 graduate of Ayer High School.

Prior to his retirement in 2013, he worked as a truck driver for the Martin Brower Company in Ayer and the Transgas Company in Lowell.

He enjoyed hunting, fishing, camping, traveling, golfing and playing Cornhole. In addition to his mother of Shirley, Bruce leaves his wife of 44 years, Sherrie A. (Steele) Hanson; his son and daughter in law, Corey J.H. and Kathleen Hanson of Shirley; two sisters, Paulette D. Holbein and her husband, Steve of Shirley and Judith Gifford of Merrimack, NH; his mother in law, Peggy Steele of Shirley; his brother in law, Richard Steele his wife Cathy, of Shirley; his sisters in law Kathy Blanchette and her husband, Ken, of Shirley and Darlene Steele of Lunenburg also leaving many nieces and nephews.

Bruce's family will receive family and friends at calling hours from 4-7PM Tuesday, October 22, 2019 at the Anderson Funeral Home, 25 Fitchburg Rd.,

(Rte 2A) Ayer. Please visit their website at www.andersonfuneral.com for additional information or to leave an on line condolence.

A graveside service will be held 11 AM Saturday, October 26, 2019 at Village Cemetery, Shaker Rd., Shirley.

Cemetery Details

Village Cemetery

Harvard Road
Shirley, MA

Previous Events

Calling Hours

OCT **22**. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Anderson Funeral Home - Ayer
25 Fitchburg Road ~ Route 2A
Ayer, MA 01432
(978) 772-2355

Graveside Service

OCT **26**. 11:00 AM.

Village Cemetery
Harvard Road
Shirley, MA

Tribute Wall



“ *Mr And Mrs Gino Villa lit a candle in memory of Bruce H. Hanson*



Mr and Mrs Gino Villa - October 23, 2019 at 10:36 PM



“ *Multicolor Bright Sympathy Basket was purchased for the family of Bruce H. Hanson.*



October 21, 2019 at 04:25 PM



“ *Sherrie and Corey,
So very sorry for your loss. Our hearts and prayers are with you.
Ken & Noreen Rollins*

Noreen Rollins - October 21, 2019 at 11:07 AM



“ *The Centarrino Family lit a candle in memory of Bruce H. Hanson*



The Centarrino Family - October 21, 2019 at 09:04 AM



“ *I pray that you have the love of your friends and family to help soften your sadness and that the memories of your loved one bring you comfort and lasting peace. My thoughts and prayers are with you.*

Russell and Patricia

Steven Russell - October 20, 2019 at 09:16 PM



“ *Healing Tears - All White was purchased for the family of Bruce H. Hanson.*



October 20, 2019 at 08:28 PM



“ *Sherry and family,*

Although no words can really help to ease the loss you bear, just know that you are very close in every thought and prayer. May memories of Bruce and the love of family surround you and give you strength in the days ahead. So sorry!

Lisa and Fred Aponte

Lisa - October 20, 2019 at 08:08 PM



“ *Sheryl & Corey, I'm so sorry to hear this news! God bless you always! Sue (Cornellier). Prayers...*

Sue - October 20, 2019 at 08:05 PM



“ *Love's Embrace Roses – Red was purchased for the family of Bruce H. Hanson.*



October 20, 2019 at 07:54 PM



“ *Sherrie and Corey,
I know there are no words right now to ease this pain. Thanks to you and Bruce I have so many great memories. He was one of a kind. Golfing, hunting, fishing, camping, etc. Most of my stories start with "So we were with Bruce and Sherrie and ..." . God Bless.
Garrett and Karin*

Garrett Foley - October 20, 2019 at 07:33 PM



“ *Dear Sherrie and Cory and families, Please accept my heartfelt sympathy at your great loss. You will be in my prayers. ~Marie (McPadden) Jenei*



Marie E Jenei - October 20, 2019 at 01:48 PM



“ *Cindy Thomas purchased the Classic Sympathy Dish Garden for the family of Bruce H. Hanson.*



Cindy Thomas - October 19, 2019 at 10:44 PM

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“ *KATHLEEN BLANCHETTE purchased the Peaceful Wishes for the family of Bruce H. Hanson.*



KATHLEEN BLANCHETTE - October 19, 2019 at 07:39 PM

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“ *Bruce , we became family legally last year our kids got married, and years before seeing how much he loved his wife and son, the bond of hunting, fishing, he spoke so proudly of his beautiful wife, i cant believe this ,, ,you will be forever in the Reddins hearts, Thank you for loving my daughter and I will be forever grateful for everything you did to help our kids, your a wonderful father, your son has expressed that quite clearly, RIP XO Watch over Sheri, Corey and Kat.*

Cheryl Reddin - October 18, 2019 at 07:02 PM