



## Brent Nathan Smith

November 27, 1969 - August 5, 2018

Brent Nathan Smith of Mesick passed away, Sunday, August 5, 2018. He was 48.

Brent was born November 27, 1969 in Cadillac. He graduated from Mesick High School in 1988. Brent worked in construction in Northern Michigan, beginning his career at an early age. He owned and operated his own business, Framing by Twister for many years. Brent took great pride in his work and was admired by many. He put his heart into his work; building homes, not just houses. Families appreciated his attention to detail so much that he built repeat homes for countless families.

He was an incredibly loving father and took a very hands on role in the lives of his children. He enjoyed being outdoors, fishing, hunting, camping and teaching his children those activities. Brent was an extremely loyal friend and was always willing to help others.

Brent is survived by his children, Hali Smith of Arizona and Dirk Smith of Mesick; their mother, Jennie Zingelman of Mesick; his mother, Judy Smith of Mesick; father, Tom Holmes of Copemish; brother, William McDill; grandmother, Hattie Meadows of Baldwin; Uncle Duke (Jenny) Wagatha of Mesick and numerous aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews and cousins.

He was preceded in death by his grandfather, Walt Smith and a nephew, Nicholas Floury.

A celebration of life will be held Saturday, August 11, 2018 at the Mesick Amvets Post 120 from 3:00 to 6:00 PM.

In lieu of flowers memorial contributions may be made to Brent's children to assist with educational expenses; an account in their names has been set up at Huntington Bank in Mesick.

An online guestbook is available at [www.petersonfh.com](http://www.petersonfh.com).

# Tribute Wall

KT

“ *RIP brother, it's been an honor working with you the last 5 years!! Still trying to wrap my head around this, I miss you Twister!!*

Kevin Thayer - August 11, 2018 at 03:52 PM

JC

“ *I am so sorry for your loss. What a dear boy Brent was in third grade...sweet, respectful, and a good, kind heart. I can still picture that little boy face. You are all in my prayers. Jan Cleland*

Jan Cleland - August 08, 2018 at 02:18 PM

VV

“ *Judy....So very sorry for your loss and prayers that you find some peace in your loving memories.*

Vickie Vance - August 08, 2018 at 12:27 PM

EH

“ *My deepest condolences to Brent's family and friends. My heart goes out to you, Jennie, Hali, and Dirk. May God bless you and give you comfort in this difficult time.*

Elisha Helsel - August 07, 2018 at 05:41 PM

KL

“ *Micky, My sincere condolences to you and your family. May God hold and comfort you during this difficult time. Keeping you in my thoughts and prayers.*

Kristin Lautner - August 07, 2018 at 04:13 PM

AS

“ *My family would like express our sincere condolences.you will be in our prayers and thoughts during this difficult time.*

Andrew D Smith - August 07, 2018 at 03:48 PM

DH

“ *My condolences to the Smith and Zingleman families.4n66bzbv*

Deb Habian - August 07, 2018 at 07:09 AM

KH

“ *Im so very sorry for your loss*

Kitty hart - August 07, 2018 at 01:06 AM

GS

“ *Brent, Rest In Peace. You'll be so missed you have touched our lives in so many ways.. Our deepest sympathy to Hali and Dirk. We Love You All!*

Gary & Christine Smith - August 06, 2018 at 11:10 PM

WZ

“ *RIP Brent. Will never forget The Rope Swing, Swiping beers from the parents coolers, and sledding by Bear Lake Road. Rest Easy.*

William Zingelman - August 06, 2018 at 10:39 PM

CW

“ *My deepest sympathies.  
My thoughts and prayers are with you during this difficult time.  
Rest in Peace.*

Chryl Watson - August 06, 2018 at 10:20 PM

TE

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with the family. RIP BRENT*

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**Treasa Evans** - August 06, 2018 at 09:51 PM

SS

“ *It's an honor to have met such a good man, husband, father, and son. My heart goes out to the family. Too young to go. I'll always remember the times spent w your family.*

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**Stephanie Shilling** - August 06, 2018 at 09:45 PM

SS

“ *He will be missed but forever in our memory. Thoughts and prayers to the family.*

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**Stacie (Hofner) Sherman** - August 06, 2018 at 09:05 PM

BS

“ *I'm glad we were finally able to connect again this past couple year. I've always appreciated your friendship. I remember March 2016 sitting with you at the Sportmans Banquet at Eden Bible Church and you asking Christ into your life. I know that you are enjoying eternal life with our Lord and Savior. See you again someday pal.*

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**Brent Smith** - August 06, 2018 at 07:10 PM

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“ *My heart goes out to your family at this difficult time. It always is very sad to hear of a loss of somebody that you had so many great memories with. My hugs go out to Micki and Jenny, may peace and comfort find you during this difficult time.*

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**Wendy Dodson (Moore)** - August 06, 2018 at 05:27 PM

WM

“ Rest in peace Brent, You was the first to ever call me Dad.

William McDill - August 06, 2018 at 05:26 PM

LR

“ May his name bring only happy memories to the hearts of his friends and family.

Lorri Redman - August 06, 2018 at 05:12 PM

NL

“ Many thoughts and prayers to Brent's family and friends. A lot of people in our little town will forever miss him. Rest easy.

Nathan and Kellie Lipke - August 06, 2018 at 05:02 PM

BN

“ My memory of Brent is trimming trees during the summer and seeing him in school. He was funny, kind, fun to be around. He will be missed.

Brian Nolf - August 06, 2018 at 04:07 PM

TH

“ R.I.P. You will be forever missed by many and Loved always.

Tom & Bobbie Hopewell - August 06, 2018 at 03:52 PM

JF

“ Dear Brent, So terribly sorry that your life was taken so early. Now you are at peace! Love, Aunt Jean

Jean Fabis - August 06, 2018 at 03:42 PM

DR

“ *My deepest condolences*

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**Diana Rabbits** - August 06, 2018 at 03:26 PM

PW

“ *We will miss you brother I can only hope you have found peace.  
Love you forever. Will cherish all the good times we have shared as  
family. RIP.*

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**Patti S Weaver** - August 06, 2018 at 03:24 PM