



## D. Bruce Chambers

March 16, 1956 - May 6, 2020

D. Bruce Chambers 64, Brighton Twp., formerly of Rochester, passed away unexpectedly May 6, 2020 at his home. He was born March 16, 1956 in New Brighton. He is the son of Donald R. "Pete" Chambers of Brighton Twp. and the late Edna Mae Holt Chambers. He was a retired employee with the Wood Group Oil Industry of Houston Texas, with which he traveled throughout the world working in oil fields and rigs. Bruce was an avid golfer, and Pittsburgh sports fan, and supporter of LSU Tigers.

In addition to his father, he is survived by one sister and brother in law, Lee Ann and Joseph Hanby, of Ashburn, VA. One brother, Robert P. Chambers of Gulf Port, Miss., two nieces, Sarah Kromer, and her husband Chad, and Molly Chambers.

Bruce's wishes were to be cremated with no visitation or services.

Arrangements are entrusted to WILLIAM MURPHY FUNERAL HOME INC. 349 Adams Street, Rochester, PA 15074

# Comments

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“ I heard of this news through your best friend Leisa Munoz. My heart sank in disbelief. It was my pleasure and honor to have you become a part of my life through the Christofferson family and for you to have welcomed me like you did was beyond measure. I will miss your sharp wit, your bear hugs, kindness and gentle nature. You were taken from all of us way to soon, but we know you are enjoying rounds of golf in the heavens. Rest in Peace Bruce we Love and will Miss you.

**Betsy Christofferson** - May 20, 2020 at 03:40 PM

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“ Knowing that there's not much someone can say to take away the pain of everyone's loss, but know that our thoughts and prayers go out to his family,

Bruce was always great, and made my trips down to Houston for meetings worth the effort. Whether in meetings or kicking back and relaxing, Bruce was always a class act.

You will be missed my friend!

Dick Shuster

**Dick Shuster** - May 18, 2020 at 01:23 PM

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“ For Bruce's family: Our family's thoughts and prayers go out to your family. Even though its been many years since I have seen you, your smile is what I remember of you as a child. Rest in Peace.

Your cousin, Mary Barrett Massaro and the Barrett Family

**Mary Massaro** - May 16, 2020 at 10:16 AM

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“ Bruce,

It was such a pleasure to work with you while at Wood Group. You always looked after others around the office and checked in on us to see how we were doing. I remember when my daughter went off to college up in PA, you always asked how she was doing and even went out of your way to send her kolachies when she was missing Texas. You would always talk about Leighann and all of your family up in PA. At work, you were definitely a straight shooter which was a breath of fresh air, but probably got you in hot water at times. When our editorial team wanted to learn a bit more about P&IDs, you put on a little training for us and of course brought in Popeyes (which was your favorite). That is just how you were...always willing to help people and have fun doing it. I remember the last time I saw you was right before you moved back to Pittsburgh to take care of your parents. We got a few people together for a little going away brunch at Cheddars. I never thought that would be the last time I saw you. We will miss you! - Carolyn Willis

**Carolyn Willis** - May 15, 2020 at 09:02 PM

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“ Bruce, it was truly a pleasure working with you and getting to know you outside the office. You never wasted words and always told it like it is. I will miss our breakfast chats at The Waffle House and our times following that white ball across many of Houston's golf courses. Rest In Peace my friend.

**Jim Molloy** - May 15, 2020 at 07:22 PM

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“ Sad day. I worked with Bruce many years both at Baker Energy and at the Wood Group. My condolences.

**Marco Interrial** - May 15, 2020 at 05:56 PM

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“ I’ve known Bruce since our early working days at Main Pass Mine. We became good friends and over the years, by choice, worked together on several projects. . He had high professional standards, a great work ethic, good technical skills and also had the people skills to manage complex projects. He looked out for his workers and genuinely cared about them. When we worked together, if I was reassigned to another project and Bruce was left in charge, I always knew the project would be in good hands.

Occasionally we would participate In charity golf tournaments and it was always a relief to team up with Bruce since his golf skills could carry me those tough holes. He was a good pal, on or off the golf course.

I have a lot of personal and professional respect for Bruce, and was so sorry to hear of his passing. I want to extend my deepest sympathies to his family. He will be missed.

Blair Cole

**Blair Cole** - May 15, 2020 at 02:01 PM

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“ Bruce, it is a distinct blessing to have met you as a colleague at Baker Energy, Houston from 2003 to 2006. Your kindness, compassion, professionalism and willingness to always help was an inspiration to all of us.

My heartfelt condolences to the family. May God bless his soul and may Bruce Rest In Peace, Amen.

Your Friend  
George Rizk  
The Woodlands, Texas

**George Rizk** - May 13, 2020 at 05:13 PM

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“ Today was Noah's birthday and it was hard to get through knowing you wouldn't be there to celebrate by calling on the phone or singing to him. You were the only Man he had in his little life and we will make sure he knows you when he gets older. Every time we watch cartoons we will think of you. Thank you for being in my Mom's life there were times I couldn't be there and you stepped in. Thank you for everything you did for us.

**TERESA** - May 11, 2020 at 12:13 AM

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“ To my Bruce,  
With every memory we have shared together I realize even more how lucky I was to share my life with you. You were the most caring person I've ever met, It's amazing how one person can change your life in so many ways.  
I am so very glad you came into my WORLD and in to my "Heart".  
I will miss you forever. My heart now is broken.  
Your Girl, (always)  
Teresa Kellum

TERESA - May 10, 2020 at 11:34 PM

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“ Bruce, words cannot express the sadness that we feel when we heard the news. We only got to know you for a year in our golf league but we feel we've known you for a much longer time. We will miss your kindness, generosity, and funny wit.  
  
"May God rest your Soul in peace!"  
  
Gray Golf League

Jeff Gray - May 10, 2020 at 10:57 PM

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“ For Bruce's Family: My deepest sympathy on Bruce's passing. Rest In Heavenly Peace.  
  
Robin Pedaline Cheyney.

robin cheyney - May 10, 2020 at 02:28 PM

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“ Lots of good memories growing up with Bruce on Greenwood Dr. So sorry to hear of his passing. I had been thinking of him from time to time but was never able to reach him over the years. My prayers and thoughts are with the family.  
Mark McCommon

Mark McCommon - May 10, 2020 at 11:01 AM

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“ We'll always remember you Bruce. Slugger

**Flajnik** - May 09, 2020 at 07:53 PM

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“ I'm going to miss you Cousin. Your laugh. Your smile, the way you kept mom and daddy always laughing. Thanks for the good times.

Donna Holt Hampton

**Donna Holt Hampton** - May 09, 2020 at 12:05 PM

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“ Bruce was a quiet man, comforted by his own thoughts. He was guided by an inner set of principles, undoubtedly guided by his father, Pete.

Bruce and I became friends during the 90's. His cousin, Parnell, was best man in my wedding, and frequently, he and I would golf together, and occasionally, Bruce would join us. We admired Bruce for his ability to throw a golf club down the fairway towards the hole in utter contempt at himself for hitting a bad shot. Parnell and I would snicker and laugh, while Bruce would stew and grumble. But, he'd usually revel in the fact that, generally, he'd beat the pants off both of us.

Bruce also had a way with the ladies. That way was usually the lady running the other way, as he had little tolerance for the niceties of romance and courtship. There were times though, when Bruce would show up to spend the weekend at our home, and bring a new love with him. Weeks later, I'd ask and he'd just scowl and tell me he didn't want to talk about it.

Such was Bruce. He was a bit of a loner, but as good a friend as any man could want. I'm glad to have known and played and laughed with him. And my life is richer for it, and yet poorer today without him in it. There will always be a special place in the hearts of my wife, Lauri and myself for Bruce. We know his journey through this life is over, but if there's a golf course in Heaven, I hope to meet him there one day and tell him how he was never really as alone as he thought. He was always part of us and we will miss him.

**Robert McInnis** - May 09, 2020 at 12:25 AM

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“ The staff of the William Murphy Funeral Home, Inc. wish to extend their thoughts and prayers to the family of Bruce Chambers.



**William Murphy** - May 08, 2020 at 01:53 PM



“ To an honorary LSU Tiger-we will miss you Bruce.

**Mike Haik** - May 10, 2020 at 08:14 AM



“ It was a pleasure and a privilege to know and work with you Bruce. You will be sorely missed. RIP.

**Steve Bull** - May 18, 2020 at 08:30 AM