



## Brent Melvin Kingery

September 8, 1970 - August 6, 2015

Brent Melvin Kingery, age 44, of Lovilia, passed away August 6, 2015.

Brent was born September 8, 1970 in Hamburg, Iowa. His parents were Dan and Lana (Brandt) Kingery. He attended school in Hamburg and earned his GED in 1992.

Brent and Stephanie Fugate Married in 1998. Their years in Council Bluffs were some of the best in Brent's life. In the mid 90's Brent became interested in welding and was accepted in the Local Union 67 Ironworkers Apprenticeship Program. He then was an ironworker journeyman in Local Union 21.

Brent loved sports, especially youth sports in Albia. Because of Jill West and her 3 children, he had the opportunity to pursue that passion as a some-time coach and spectator. He also was a Nebraska Cornhusker fan. He loved spending time outdoors, hunting, fishing, and golfing. Brent was an animal lover, especially dogs. Brent had a booming voice and a great sense of humor. He was generous, caring, and explosive. He had trouble keeping a driver's license but it never slowed down his passion to have and ride a Harley Davidson

Brent is survived by his mother Lana Brandt (Joe Kirk) of Hamburg, two

siblings, Kate (Bill) Davidson of La Vista, Nebraska, John Kingery of Hamburg, three nieces, Cailee, Madison, and Elizabeth, one nephew, Daniel, grandmother, Barbra Brandt, and an uncle, Martin (Cindy) Brandt of Scottsbluff, Nebraska

Brent was preceded in death by his father Daniel Kingery and a beloved grandfather, Dellis Brandt.

A celebration of life will be held from 2:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m. Friday, August 14, 2015 at the Tharp Funeral Home in Albia, with Brent's family present from 5:00-7:00 p.m.

A graveside service will be held at 10:00 a.m., Saturday, August 15, 2015 at the Mt. Olive Cemetery in Hamburg, Iowa.

In lieu of flowers a memorial has been established to the Monroe County Youth Sports Federation or to Mt. Olive Cemetery Association in Hamburg.

# Tribute Wall

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“ Correction in this published obituary; Brent Melvin Kingery was the first born son of Melvin Osborn and Lana Osborn (later Kingery, and then Kirk)), of Junction City, KS. Melvin Osborn was a Master Sargent in the United States Army where he served his country for 3 tours of combat in the Vietnam war; the conclusion of which Brent's parents became divorced. Brent's mother got custody and immediately re-married Daniel Kingery, who later adopted Brent, and was raised in Hamburg Iowa with his two younger Kingery siblings. Brent never got over the abrupt extinguishment of his father, who adored him, from his life. He never knew the father he longed to know, Melvin Osborn.

TruthforBrent - August 12, 2024 at 07:03 PM



“ Brent Melvin Kingery

January 30, 2023 at 05:06 AM



“ Brent Melvin Kingery

January 30, 2023 at 02:53 AM

DF

“ Sorry I couldn't make it. Bubba was a great friend !

Dean Sime - Council Bluffs , IA - Old ironworker friend - August 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

CU

“ Brent was a bright young man who had a lot of pride -- some might say attitude. He was a handsome, albeit cocky fellow -- especially when he let his naturally straw blond hair grow out. Brent had a rocky all to short life -- one that always seemed to be behind the "8 Ball." We rejoiced in his marriage to Stephanie, were pleased when he became a journeyman iron worker, as he told us about his roll in building the Century Link Center. Somethings went terribly wrong terribly wrong for Brent, and we grieve for him. May Brent rest in peace.

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**Craig Reisser - Omaha, NE - Uncle** - August 14, 2015 at 12:00 AM

NK

“ I'm praying for you and your family real hard to reach out and let you know you are not alone.  
Nancy Taylor

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**Nancy Taylor (Hansen) - Overland Park, KS** - August 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JF

“ Sending many thoughts and prayers to Brent's family and friends. So many stories keep coming to mind most make me laugh and i think Brent would be happy about that. Love and Prayers Kingery family, I have shed many a tear this week my heart is with you. Peace, love , & prayers God Bless- Jen Brown

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**Jen Brown - Council Bluffs, IA - family friend** - August 11, 2015 at 12:00 AM

LC

“ From our family to yours. We are saddened by the loss of a loved one. Hoping the 'Ironworker prayer' is part of the service. As he joins other Ironworkers in the new life he will always be with you in spirit. From my family and ironworkers mc and workers. 118. Rest in peace

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**Linda LaCroix - sac, CA - non. widow if ironworker. catfis** - August 11, 2015 at 12:00 AM

RF

“ rest in peace brent

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**robert m howie jr - university park, IA - family/friend** - August 10, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JC

“ Leave a condolence or a memory.

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**Julie Fulkerson - Council Bluffs, IA - 2nd cousins** - August 10, 2015 at 12:00 AM

PN

“ My love and Prayers are with you Jill West &Family. So sorry for your loss & You Brent Kingery I Hope that You Can Rest In Peace Now ?? Luv You Jill

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**Pam Jones - Knoxville , IA - none** - August 10, 2015 at 12:00 AM

PN

“ My love and Prayers are with you Jill West &Family. So sorry for your loss & You Brent Kingery I Hope that You Can Rest In Peace Now Luv You Jill

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**Pam Jones - Knoxville, IA - none** - August 10, 2015 at 12:00 AM

TF

“ So very sorry for your loss. God bless

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**teri mccusker (mayberry) - omaha, NE - friend** - August 08, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JM

“ I wish I had words to lighten your agony  
But sometimes words are not enough.  
Please accept my deepest condolences on your loss

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**John Rash - Rock Port, MO** - August 08, 2015 at 12:00 AM

NF

“ Lana, I just heard about Brent. I am so sorry. Words just can't  
express the feeling of losing a child. My prayers are with you and  
your family.  
Nancy Taylor

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**Nancy Taylor (Hansen) - Overland Park, KS - friend** - August 08, 2015 at 12:00 AM

SF

“ 25 years of friendship, going to the lake, bonfires, and getting stuck  
4 wheeling, some of the best fun in the last 25 years of our lives.  
We will miss you Bubba, more than you know.

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**Shawn Sisler - Lovilia, IA - Friend** - August 08, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JO

“ They say find out who your friends are...well I found a brother, you never treated me nor I to you anything less than that, was that way since day one. not a thing in this world that he wouldn't do for ANYONE no questions asked he would go above and beyond the call of duty. You were a great guy and i'm going to miss you. A hole in our life that will be impossible to fill, but your memories will never be forgotten. R.I.P bro

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**JARRED NICHOLS - hamilton, IA - brother since day one** - August 08, 2015 at 12:00 AM

DN

“ I knew bubba all my life he was a great uncle and i loved him alot i will miss him and his fun adventures we did camping hunting and fishing he was the biggest huskers fan ever and proudest he will always be an awesome memory for ever in my mind and he will be forever in my heart love you bubba always and for ever your nephew rip uncle tell we meet again

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**Dillon Sisler - Albia, IA - nephew** - August 07, 2015 at 12:00 AM

AN

“ Even though I had not seen Brent in a few years I remember him like I saw him yesterday. I remember him being so funny, tough and big hearted. His voice cannot be mistaken. I remember how much he was loved by my aunt Stephy. My heart is absolutely broken for you all. I pray God gives you all peace and comfort during this tragic time. All my love. Rest in peace uncle Brent.

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**Ashtin Burk - Council bluffs, IA - Niece** - August 07, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JF

“ My prayers are with the family and friends that are struggling with this loss.

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**jaime shelford - las vegas, NV - Friend** - August 07, 2015 at 12:00 AM

AF

“ I've known Brent for 24 years I still am having a hard time accepting this last time we spoke we had lots of harsh words to say to one another.....if only I could turn back time I would have picked up the phone later on and we would have talked I am so sorry for all of your sad and hurt hearts Brent will forever live on in our hearts.....

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**Alicia Johnson (red) - ollie, IA - friend** - August 07, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JF

“ Brent was such a great man. He was one of the 1st people to really welcome our family when we bought our home in a new neighborhood. He always had a smile on his face for us and was willing to help in any way we may have needed even if he didn't know exactly how too. He was always willing to do what he could. He always asked about the kids and made sure they were staying involved with the activities he always saw them doing outside every summer as they grew. Even though he had his struggles, he always made sure everyone around him was taken care of and put his friends and family first. Brent was a good man and he will be missed dearly by so many. Thoughts and prayers to everyone who had the pleasure of knowing him. He will never be forgotten.

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**Jessica Kendall - Albia, IA - friend** - August 07, 2015 at 12:00 AM