

## Troy Robert Burnham

Troy Burnham, 48, of Sturgis, SD, died Monday, August 2, 2021, at his home.

Troy was born February 9, 1973, to Tom and Linda (Young) Burnham. He graduated from Sturgis High School in 1991. From the age of 14 he worked for his parents at Valley Implement. Troy could fix or weld anything that came into the shop. He was a man of few words and many talents. He could always be found willing to lend a helping hand either at a branding or working the grounds during the high school rodeo as he was always very generous with his time.

He will always be remembered for the love of his children, whether it be wrestling tournaments, days at the lake, or the softball fields. He enjoyed spoiling his granddaughter and always had a pocket full of licorice ropes for her. He had a heart of gold, loved a game of cribbage or pitch, and you could find him at any gambling machine betting his luck, and probably winning.

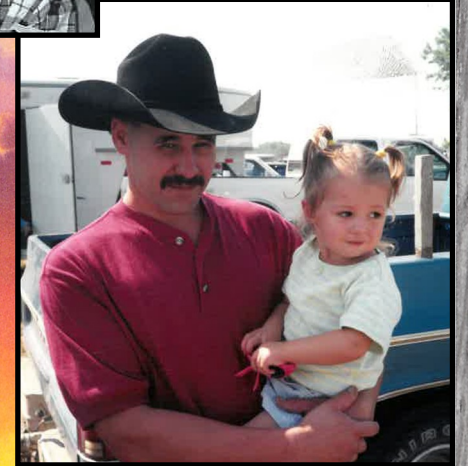
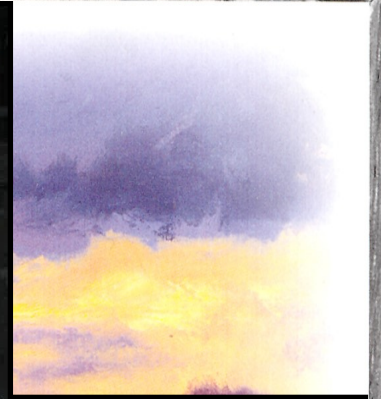
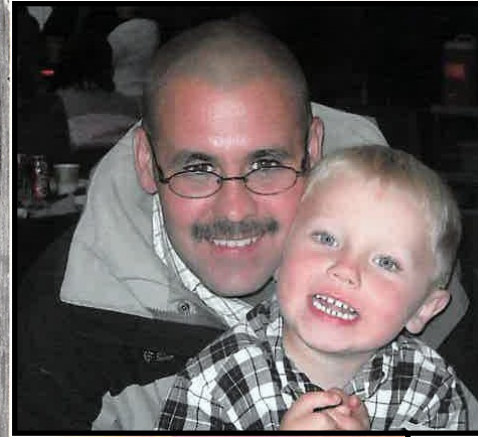
Troy is survived by his children, Josey, and Justin; granddaughter, Berkley; his parents, Tom (Linda) Burnham; his sisters, Tammy Stewart, and Tera (Jason) Digmann; niece and nephew, Annaka, and Ayden Digmann; aunt and uncle, Bob (Susie) Young; aunts, Carolyn Burnham, and Barbara Griffirin; cousins; and many close friends.

He was preceded in death by his grandparents, Robert (Wanna) Young, and Robert (Dorothy) Burnham; and his uncle, Jerry Burnham.

A memorial has been established for the Sturgis High School Rodeo Club.

Condolences may be sent to the family at [www.kinkadefunerals.com](http://www.kinkadefunerals.com).

*The family would like to invite you to join them for fellowship and lunch following the interment at Erskine Club room in the church basement. We thank you for your presence and condolences.*



*In Loving Memory Of*

**Troy Robert Burnham**

**February 9, 1973 - August 2, 2021**





*In Loving Memory*  
***Troy Robert Burnham***

***Born***

February 9, 1973  
Sturgis, South Dakota

***Died***

August 2, 2021  
Sturgis, South Dakota

***Funeral Service***

Thursday, August 5, 2021, at 10:00 a.m.  
First Presbyterian Church  
Sturgis, South Dakota

***Officiants***

Reverend Paul Henschen    Pastor Harold Delbridge

***Musicians***

Brenda Schaffer    Henry Karrels

***Musical Selections***

“Daddy’s Hands”    “Go Rest High on That Mountain”  
“Jealous of the Angels”    “On Eagle’s Wings”

***Pallbearers***

Ryan Casteel    Roger Burnham    Jim Shaw    Justin Burnham  
Bruce Bradley    Dave Stewart    Mark Schmidt    Barney Jorensen

***Final Resting Place***

St. Aloysius Catholic Cemetery  
Sturgis, South Dakota