



Bryan Heath Wester

January 31, 1976 - March 22, 2025

Bryan Heath Wester 49, of Springville, Alabama passed away on March 22, 2025. His service will be on March 27, 2025, at Springville First Baptist Church. The family will receive visitors beginning at 1:00pm with the memorial service beginning at 3:00 pm.

He was lovingly known by Heath and to many, he was Coach. He was born on January 31, 1976, in Birmingham, Alabama. He graduated from Hewitt Trussville High School in 1995.

Heath began his career of serving his community as a student firefighter with the Auburn Fire Department in 1998. He further progressed his serving nature by enlisting in the United States Military in 1998. He participated in the 2nd Battalion 19th Infantry Fast Track program and was the only one that was selected to move up in rank during basic training. Heath then continued his studies for his paramedic and firefighting. Shortly after his return home from basic training Heath met Misha, who would later become his very loved and devoted

wife. They were married on June 8th, 2001. He moved to the Opelika Fire Department in 2001. Shortly after, he was called to active duty for Operation Noble Eagle. He was with Alpha Company, 1-167th Mechanized Infantry. He was able to return home 15 months later. He moved to Vestavia Hills Fire Department in 2003. Heath earned his BS of Science from Athens State University. He earned his BS of nursing from Samford University in 2012 and went to work in the University of Alabama at Birmingham Emergency Room while still working full time for the City of Vestavia Hills Fire Department. Heath took every class he could to learn the most he could to aid those in need. He became a Certified Emergency Nurse. He joined Air Evac Lifeteam in 2016 as a Flight Nurse and Flight Paramedic. Heath had a servant's heart and spent his career on the frontlines of serving others during his extensive career as an Infantryman, Fireman, Paramedic, Trauma and Flight nurse. He loved his community and especially pouring his heart into the youth programs in Springville. When he was not coaching baseball, football or soccer, you could definitely hear him screaming from the stands.

Heath was preceded in death by his mother Connie Grady Wester, his grandparents Junior and Lavenia Scurlock, J.T. and Lucille Wester and his brother-in-law Marty

Chad Tapley.

He leaves behind his wife Misha Wester, his two boys Brooks and Bryant Wester who were

his greatest joy and pride. His father, Jerry Wester. His brother Kurt (Aleesha) Wester.

Father and Mother-in- Law Gary and Diane Tapley. Sister-in Law Melanie (Matt). Nephews

Adam Tapley, Jordan Wester and Nieces Abigail and Lilah Wester.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 27. 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (CT)

First Baptist Church of Springville
980 Robinson Street
Springville, AL 35146

Funeral Service

MAR 27. 3:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ 1 file added to the album *In Loving Memory*



Misha Wester - May 23, 2025 at 04:03 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Bryan Heath Wester.



April 06, 2025 at 08:42 PM

MM

“ Michael, Tabitha and Hunter Muglach purchased the *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* for the family of Bryan Heath Wester.



Michael, Tabitha and Hunter Muglach - March 26, 2025 at 07:44 PM

GH

“ Gwen, Andre & the SSD Handlers purchased the Sacred Duty Spray for the family of Bryan Heath Wester.



Gwen, Andre & the SSD Handlers - March 26, 2025 at 09:10 AM

GH

“ Gwen, Andre & the SSD Handlers planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Bryan Heath Wester.

Gwen, Andre & the SSD Handlers - March 26, 2025 at 09:10 AM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Bryan Heath Wester.



March 25, 2025 at 05:02 PM

TA

“ Tony and Kalista Alexander purchased the Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet for the family of Bryan Heath Wester.



Tony and Kalista Alexander - March 24, 2025 at 06:57 PM

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“ Tony and Kalista Alexander planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Bryan Heath Wester.

Tony and Kalista Alexander - March 24, 2025 at 06:57 PM



“ Bryan Heath Wester, was known by many as a caring, friendly, and determined man. I met Heath for the first time in the fall of 2024 through our shared course through construction management at Wallace State Community College. There was not one day I didn't see Heath in class he was determined each and every day to wake up early and come from Speingville, AL all the way to Hanceville, AL. Heath had the option to do online school from home but he was determined to grow to his fullest abilities and learn all that he can. I personally began to met Heath the following semester where would began talking and sharing stories about ourselves. I recently moved and Heath gave me very encouraging and influential words about my future before I moved, that changed the way I saw my future. I will forever be so grateful I was given the opportunity to meet Heath. I hate that it is at this condition where we recognize Heath for who he was, but he will always be such a special memory for me. I'm sending my thoughts and prayers to his family and friends in which he also made such an impact.

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Charls Allen - March 24, 2025 at 06:35 PM