



Bruce F. Bestafka

March 21, 1953 - May 29, 2016

Bruce F. Bestafka of Washington Township passed peacefully on May 29, 2016. Age 63. Loving husband of Cheryl A. (nee Bloemker). Father of Lauren Smith (Ken) of Lindenwold and Jennifer Bestafka of Washington Township. Grandfather of Ryan, Xander, Tiernan and Nevin.

Bruce was a Police Officer for Camden County Sheriff's Department and formerly worked for the Collingswood Police Department and Underwood Memorial Hospital Security. He was an avid Eagles fan, loved to cook and will be missed by his dog Mase.

Relatives and friends are invited to a viewing on Thursday, June 2, 2016 from 6:00 to 8:30pm in The Chapel at BOUCHER FUNERAL HOME, 1757 Delsea Dr., Deptford, NJ 08096.

Funeral Service 8:30pm in The Chapel at the funeral home.

Interment private.

In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Camden County Scholarship Fund, 191 White Horse Pike, Berlin, NJ 08009.

For directions, to sign online guest book and to view Bruce's Video Tribute visit www.boucherfuneralhome.com.

Tribute Wall



“ *Bruce F. Bestafka*

November 27, 2022 at 03:45 PM



“ *Cheryl Buddy. I am so sorry for your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. Don't hesitate to ask, if you need anything.*

Eric Morrison - June 02, 2016 at 04:25 PM



“ *May you lean on that which brings you the most comfort in this your time of loss. By remembering, our love ones will always be with us.*

Michele Ellis - June 02, 2016 at 03:02 PM



“ *All my heartfelt condolences. To a wonderful. Husband. And. Best dad I know . He loved his girls grandchildren. And bonded with my son brian. Brian will miss him unGodly. Bruce made me us a beautiful best turkey dinner I ever had. Took to my home I had surgery near Christmas. I never met such a good hearted man. And. Thank you. God for putting jen in our lives. I never would have ever knew you. Jen always saying mom. This is your family. And it was and is. RIP. SPIRIT IN THE SKY . YOU ARE SO LOVED.*

Edna butt - June 01, 2016 at 05:50 PM



“ *My condolences to Lauren and family very sorry for your loss.*

John Pedrick - June 01, 2016 at 07:00 AM

PL

“ Sorry for your loss, I worked with Bruce at the Sheriff's Department he was always fun to work with. I will pray that he rest in peace.

Peter LoMonico - May 31, 2016 at 10:35 PM

KB

“ Bruce F. Bestafka

Koriesha Brown - May 31, 2016 at 01:55 PM

FB

“ Bruce was one of my Sergeants in the CCSD. Just a real good guy. Rest in peace Sgt.

Fred Bartling - May 31, 2016 at 12:10 PM

BW

“ I've known Bruce since he worked in Collingswood and I in Oaklyn. Bruce went to CCSO and I went shortly after. Bruce was my first partner in SIU and we both went on to retire. I've known Bruce over thirty years and what I remember most is that he loved to laugh and make you laugh. Your now pain free buddy, God bless you and God Bless and condolences to your loved ones during this most difficult time.....Bill

Bill Weightman - May 30, 2016 at 09:36 PM

SK

“ Bruce was such a great and funny guy. Always had me laughing. RIP Bruce.

Susan Kane - May 30, 2016 at 06:13 PM

BM

“ Cheryl and family, I am so sorry for your loss. You are in my thoughts and prayers.

Bernadette McCloskey - May 30, 2016 at 04:02 PM

ET

“ Our heartfelt sympathy to Lauren and Ken and the entire family circle at this very sad time.

Eilish and Eugene Thompson - May 30, 2016 at 03:47 PM

VT

“ Bruce you will never know how broken our hearts are and how much you will be missed. what wonderful memories the four of us have and we will treasure forever. Never forget that ice fall my friend. we know now that your at peace but we are selfish and sad because we can't see u. we love you and we will always miss you rest in peace our dear dear friend. You now found a friend in Jesus, your favorite song. Cheryl my dear friend we love you and girls dearly always here for you all. Love Vito and Teresa.

Vito and Teresa - May 30, 2016 at 12:59 PM