



## Brian K. Henderson

May 6, 2011

Wantage - Brian K. Henderson, age 53, passed away on Friday, May 6, 2011 at Bon Secours Community Hospital in Port Jervis, New York. Born in Sussex on August 28, 1957, Brian had lived in Sussex County all of his life. He was employed as an Assistant Supervisor for the Vernon Township Road Department for the past 14 years. He was a member of the Ferris Henderson Memorial Fishing and Hunting Club and the National Rifle Association. Brian was predeceased by his mother, Wilma Ottati and his step-father, John F. Ottati both in 2009. Brian is survived by his wife, Gilda of 25 years; his daughters, Melissa and Rachel both of Wantage; his father, John Wade Henderson of Andes, NY; his brother, Dale Henderson and his wife Laura of Andes, NY; his sister, Deborah Bene and her husband Alex of Andes, NY, and his cherished granddaughter, Alexis. Memorial services will held at 1 p.m. on Saturday, May 14, 2011 at the Pinkel Funeral Home, 31 Bank Street (Route 23) Sussex. Friends may pay their respects to the family on Saturday prior to the service from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the funeral home. Private cremation services will be held at the convenience of the family. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that donations may be made to the National Rifle Association, 11250 Waples Mill Road Fairfax, VA 22030. Online condolences may be offered to the family on [www.PinkelFuneralHome.net](http://www.PinkelFuneralHome.net)

# Tribute Wall

DT

“ *My prayers go out to the family, will miss your sense of humor. You will be greatly missed.*

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**Diane Turansky** - May 14, 2015 at 08:20 AM

DS

“ *Brian was just too young to be taken from his family and friends. Thanks for the great times we had hunting. Special thanks for the rifle you lent me during that caribou hunt in 2001. My prayers go out to your family.*

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**Dick Strobel** - May 14, 2015 at 08:20 AM

KR

“ *Gilda, my heart goes out to you and the girls. Brian was a loving husband and father. I always admired the special love between both of you. He will be greatly missed.*

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**Kim & Steve Rotello** - May 14, 2015 at 08:20 AM

JA

“ *So sorry for your loss*

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**Judy Anthony** - May 14, 2015 at 08:20 AM

LC

“ *To Brian's family I'm so sorry for your loss ,he was a kind man and will be missed*

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**linda cooper** - May 14, 2015 at 08:20 AM

JM

“Debbie & Dale, please extend our deepest sympathy to all of Brian's family. Audrey, your cousin, lives in West Wyoming, Pa. about two hours from Warwick. I was married to your cousin Arnold. We all thought the world of your very kind mother, Billie. I would appreciate you e-mailing me your addresses, I'm sure Audrey would like to send you a note.

*I think Brian's photo resembles Arnold.*

*My prayers are for your healing.*

*Deepest sympathy,*

*Jean*

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**Jean Miller** - May 14, 2015 at 08:20 AM

JK

“Gilda, Melissa and Rachel,  
Saying sorry doesn't seem like enough. We grew up together and Brian was family to us as the rest of you are. I will not be able to come on Saturday but my heart is with you. I will be praying for strength for all of you. There are so many memories its hard to get a handle on all this. I love you all. ~Jenn

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**Jennifer Kubie** - May 14, 2015 at 08:20 AM

NM

“Gilda, Brian was one of the first "kids " in the neighborhood I met when I moved to Butternut Drive.He and Marty Jr. were friends , as well as the other Malone kids and always welcome at the house.I wanted you to know we cared about Brian and are saddened by your loss. Nancy Malone

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**nancy malone** - May 14, 2015 at 08:20 AM

KM

“ Brian, you were taken away far too early. Thanks for all the wonderful memories. My thoughts and prayers are with your family.

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**Kim Malone** - May 14, 2015 at 08:20 AM

BG

“ Remembering a "good ole country boy" ,devoted husband, father and pop. Brian, you lived life for what it's worth; finding your riches in the peace and contentment of the really good things; family, friends, fishing, hunting, and the great outdoors. xo

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**Barbara & Richie Gray** - May 14, 2015 at 08:20 AM

CS

“ For some things there are no words, only shoulders to lean on, hands to hold, and hugs for comfort. My thoughts and prayers go out to you and your family.

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**Christine Scudato** - May 14, 2015 at 08:20 AM

DL

“ Brian was a role model that young dad's should admire & emulate. God's Blessings on his girls.

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**Desiree Lee** - May 14, 2015 at 08:20 AM

JL

“ We will remember the good times we spent together. Fresh trout from the reservoir and venison dinners. For putting up with us and Shelby on Memorial Day Weekends so we can ride our quads and Shelby helping herself to Arrow's food and setting herself on fire (Ok - slight exaggeration she signed her fur) with the hurricane lamp. For putting the worms on the hook for me while I was attempting to fish and letting Larry have a go at shooting at the targets. You will be greatly missed.

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**Joyce and Larry** - May 14, 2015 at 08:20 AM