



## Brett Zabrocki

January 18, 1983 - November 16, 2025

Brett Zabrocki, 42, passed away peacefully in his sleep on November 16, 2025, when his heart unexpectedly gave out. Born on January 18, 1983, in Miles City, Montana, Brett's life carried him across Montana and beyond—through Minnesota, Kansas, California, Washington and most recently Kalispell—each place marked by the people he helped, the work he crafted, and the love he left behind.

From a young age, Brett distinguished himself through hard work, natural talent, and determination. He was an all-star baseball player and a skilled high-school hockey player, remembered for his work ethic, teamwork, and grit. That same spirit guided him throughout his life.

Brett built a career shaped by craftsmanship and creativity. As a carpenter, cabinet maker, and cabinet designer, he was known for precision, artistry, and pride in his work. He loved creating new things—always thoughtful, always inventive—and he had an uncanny ability to know the best way to approach any job.

Above all, Brett loved his family. Time with them was what he valued most. He led with his heart and sought peace in every part of his life. Known for his calm presence, he was the peacemaker wherever he went. His loyalty and quiet kindness touched everyone who knew him. His dogs also held a special

place in his heart; from early childhood onward, he was accompanied by his terriers—Rusty, Zee, and later Ziggy—each one a constant and cherished companion.

Brett is survived by his father, Mark, and stepmother, Jean Zabrocki; his mother, Colleen (Deines), and stepfather, Jack Weatherford; his brother, Brian, and sister-in-law, Jessica Zabrocki; his stepsister, Lauren, and brother-in-law, Jeremy Gilbreath; his two nieces and one nephew; and his stepbrother, Jack Weatherford and his fiancée, Skye Dickerson. He leaves behind a family who loved him deeply and will forever feel the impact of his life.

A funeral service for Brett will be held at Silha Funeral Homes in Glendive, Montana, on Saturday, November 29th, at 2:00 p.m. with Rev. Tim Tharp officiating. Burial will follow at Dawson Memorial Cemetery. Family and friends are invited to gather, share memories, and honor a life lived with kindness, craftsmanship, and devotion to those he loved.

Brett lived with humility, worked with purpose, and loved without conditions. His legacy endures in the lives he touched and in the beauty he built.

Remembrances and condolences may be shared with the family at [www.SilhaFuneralHomes.com](http://www.SilhaFuneralHomes.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Dawson Memorial Cemetery

2816 West Towne Street  
Glendive, MT 59330

# Previous Events

## Memorial Service

NOV **29**. 2:00 PM (MT)

Silha Funeral Home  
221 North Meade Avenue  
Glendive, MT 59330

# Tribute Wall

DR

“ I'll always remember brett and his kind heart. He was the bestest of friends to me. He was the last person I felt I could truly confide in. Me and Brett would play cribbage for literal days on end while we just chatted about this and that. Brett was such a great person and I cant believe hes gone. He'll forever be in my mind as the the chicken legged, card playin, craftsman he was. He'll forever be in my mind as a great friend and a hell of a guy. My condolences to the whole family.

Dustin R - January 05 at 04:42 AM

NO

“ I was very sorry to hear of Brett's passing. We grew up together in Havre, and I carry many fond memories of our time as kids. Though it has been years since we last saw one another, those early memories remain meaningful. Our family sends our heartfelt thoughts, prayers, and condolences to your family during this difficult time.

-Nick Obie

Nick Obie - December 19, 2025 at 03:36 PM

TH

“ Tracey Hughes-Sand lit a candle in memory of Brett Zabrocki



Tracey Hughes-Sand - December 12, 2025 at 11:12 PM

TK

“ *May Brett's Light, shine Bright and Spirit live on Forever! Terry and Deb Knapp*



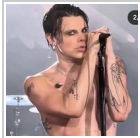
Terry and Deb Knapp - November 28, 2025 at 06:29 PM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Brett Zabrocki.*



November 28, 2025 at 11:38 AM



“ *Kymberley Allen lit a candle in memory of Brett Zabrocki*



Kymberley Allen - November 27, 2025 at 05:25 PM

PD

“ *You are all in our hearts  
Sending hugs & prayers  
Love you all!  
Fritz & Pat Deines*

Pat Deines - November 26, 2025 at 12:10 PM

BH

“ Mark, Jean and family. I am so sorry to hear you have lost Brett. You are all in my heart, thoughts and prayers.

Brian Hughes - November 26, 2025 at 10:36 AM

BT

“ Colleen I'm so sorry for your loss! Cherish your Memories and Hold them close!  
Prayers  
Becky (Chouinard) Tipton



Becky Tipton - November 25, 2025 at 07:44 PM

CW

“ I am so sorry for your loss. You're in my prayers.



Carol Jonas Wolff - November 25, 2025 at 07:10 PM

SK

“ Sandy, Ken, Alex and Anna Kunkel planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Brett Zabrocki.

Sandy, Ken, Alex and Anna Kunkel - November 25, 2025 at 03:19 PM

SK

“ *Sandy, Ken, Alex and Anna Kunkel purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Brett Zabrocki.*



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**Sandy, Ken, Alex and Anna Kunkel** - November 25, 2025 at 03:19 PM

JM

“ *Jodi Milliron lit a candle in memory of Brett Zabrocki*



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**Jodi Milliron** - November 25, 2025 at 03:10 PM

LD

“ *Lynda Davis purchased the Blue Caribbean Bouquet for the family of Brett Zabrocki.*



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**Lynda Davis** - November 25, 2025 at 01:48 PM

TH

“ *Teresa Hathaway lit a candle in memory of Brett Zabrocki*



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**Teresa Hathaway** - November 25, 2025 at 10:51 AM



“ *Basket Full of Wishes was purchased for the family of Brett Zabrocki.*



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November 25, 2025 at 09:52 AM