



Sean David Blaine-Ritz

September 26, 1979 - December 4, 2020

CANCELLED: The Celebration of Life service for Sean has been cancelled due to COVID circumstances. Please keep his family in your thoughts and prayers.

Sean David Blaine-Ritz, age 41 of Fredonia, KS, passed away Friday, December 4, 2020.

Sean was born September 26, 1979 in Fredonia, KS to Steve and Betty Ritz. He grew up in Fredonia alongside 2 sisters, graduating from Fredonia High School in the class of 1998. After high school, Sean attended trade school in Beloit, and then truck driving school in Fort Scott. He drove for several companies over the years, and was currently driving a truck for Koehn Construction in Fredonia.

On December 12, 2017, Sean married Garrett Blaine. They were married until Garrett lost his battle with cancer in 2018. Sean had started dating Nelson Franco, and they were just one week away from starting their life together in Texas.

He will be missed dearly by his family and friends.

Sean is survived by his parents, Steve and Betty Ritz of Fredonia, KS

Boyfriend, Nelson Franco

Sisters, Melanie and Stephanie

Niece, Tori

Aunts and Uncles

Duane Ritz of Fredonia, KS

Larry and Becky Bauman of Fredonia, KS

Shirley and Jim Tabor of Choctaw, OK

Mary Jane and Richard Farnsworth of Goddard, KS

Bob and Betty Ritz of Olathe, KS

Myrna Spohn of Fredonia, KS

Several cousins, and many friends

He was preceded in death by his grandparents, Leland & Estella (Schneider) Bauman, Dave & Margie (Swank) Ritz, and great-aunt Bernice Ritz.

Cremation has been requested, with a Memory Sharing Celebration of Life being held on Friday, December 11, 2020 at 2:00 pm at Countryside Funeral Home, Fredonia, Kansas.

Memorial contributions in Sean's name are suggested to the American Cancer Society and can be mailed to or left with the funeral home.

Services have been entrusted to:

Countryside Funeral Home, 420, S. 20th, PO Box 247, Fredonia, KS 66736

Tribute Wall

DP

“ *Those we Love never go to HEAVEN alone. There is always someone to take them HOME.* ❤️💜💙💚💛 Love Ya💋💔💋💔

Debra Payan - January 10, 2021 at 10:24 AM

CS

“ *Sean's laughter and expressive face will never fade from my memories. My heart aches for your profound loss. I hope time diminishes the agonizing pain.*



Carlee S. - December 10, 2020 at 10:06 PM

RP

“ *Rena Pizarro lit a candle in memory of Sean David Blaine-Ritz*



Rena Pizarro - December 10, 2020 at 06:33 PM

MR

“ *Matthew Roberts-Stone lit a candle in memory of Sean David Blaine-Ritz*



Matthew Roberts-Stone - December 10, 2020 at 06:35 AM

KL

“ Our sincere thoughts and prayers are with you. We will pray that your pain is eased as you go through the rest of your life without your Treasured son. Kristy & Larry Lee



Kristy & Larry Lee - December 10, 2020 at 12:06 AM

BL

“ Becky Lyons lit a candle in memory of Sean David Blaine-Ritz



Becky Lyons - December 09, 2020 at 02:19 PM



“ Betty and Steve, Just learned about your beautiful son's passing, and my heart is breaking for you. I will light a candle and say prayers for him and you that your grief does not linger.

Yvonne S. Gillen Young

Yvonne Young - December 08, 2020 at 11:24 PM

LA

“ LACEY lit a candle in memory of Sean David Blaine-Ritz



LACEY - December 08, 2020 at 08:50 PM

HR

“ Heidi Robinson lit a candle in memory of Sean David Blaine-Ritz



Heidi Robinson - December 08, 2020 at 10:20 AM

LL

“ Linda Linder lit a candle in memory of Sean David Blaine-Ritz



Linda Linder - December 08, 2020 at 10:14 AM



“ Annette Thomas lit a candle in memory of Sean David Blaine-Ritz



Annette Thomas - December 08, 2020 at 09:20 AM

VW

“ My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. --Virginia Wheaton

V. WHEATON - December 07, 2020 at 10:56 PM

JC

“ I am so sorry for your great loss! My heart is breaking for all of you. I still remember going home with Betty for lunch from A-lert, oh so many years ago, and meeting all of the kids. I was treated like family!! What a wonderful family they were!!! I will keep you all in my prayers and my heart. Much love to you all. Jennifer Sinclair-Curt

Jennifer Sinclair Curt - December 07, 2020 at 05:24 PM

JM

“ When I first met Sean in 2017 he was married to my nephew Garrett. I liked him right away, he was kind, sweet and really personable. He loved Garrett and wished they had more time together. I was so happy that Sean found love again. My sincere condolences and prayers for the family. May Sean have a good journey home, he is with Garrett in eternity. Love and hugs. Auntie Jackie.

Jackie Morales - December 07, 2020 at 04:49 PM