



## Loren Dale Bregel

January 25, 1959 - April 24, 2024

Loren Dale Bregel

Loren Dale Bregel, beloved husband, father, and cherished friend of many, passed away unexpectedly at the age of 65 on April 24, 2024, surrounded by his loving family.

Born on January 25, 1959, in Sleepy Eye, Minnesota, Loren was the son of Charles Bregel and Valerie Shaw. He graduated from Austin High School in 1977 and went on to earn a Bachelor's degree in Business Administration from Minnesota State University, Mankato. He went on to receive his MBA from the University of St. Thomas.

Loren had a successful career in marketing and sales, working for various companies throughout his life. He was known for making his co-workers and client's smile and laugh with his infectious sense of humor.

Loren was a devoted family man who cherished spending time with his wife of 30 years, Wendy and their two children, Bridget and Lizzie and their dog Oakley. He had a passion for golf and loved to travel with family and friends. Loren and Wendy explored many countries together over the years, creating lasting memories along the way.

Loren will be remembered for his kindness, generosity, and unwavering love for his family and friends. He touched the lives of all who knew him and will be greatly missed. He was the youngest of 8 children and was considered the glue of his extended family, always bringing them together with his humor, warmth and unwavering support.

A funeral service to celebrate Loren's life will be held at Washburn-McReavy in Edina, Minnesota on Sunday, May 5, 2024, with visitation at 12:30pm and service at 1:30pm, followed by a reception at this same location. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the Second Harvest Heartland in Loren's memory.

Loren's legacy will live on in the hearts of those who knew him. May he rest in peace.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAY 5. 12:30 PM - 1:30 PM (CT)

Edina Chapel  
5000 West 50th & Highway 100  
Edina, MN 55436

## Memorial Service

MAY 5. 1:30 PM - 2:30 PM (CT)

Edina Chapel  
5000 West 50th & Highway 100  
Edina, MN 55436

## Reception

MAY 5. 2:30 PM - 3:30 PM (CT)

Edina Chapel  
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Edina, MN 55436

# Tribute Wall

KL

“ Wendy, Bridget and Lizzie -- Your husband and dad was an amazing guy, as you so aptly captured during your tributes at Loren's wonderful service. Having only known you guys since we moved in next to you over three years ago, we couldn't have asked for better neighbors. The fun times we shared will be remembered fondly--and with much laughter--as Loren lives on in all of us. Peace, love and strength to you all, as you journey onward. We're here for you anytime, as our door is only 20 steps away! Love - Kurt & Shelli

Kurt Lawton - May 07, 2024 at 03:15 PM

SS

“ Wendy,  
I am so saddened to learn of Loren's untimely passing. I so enjoyed working with him at Deluxe. He was just simply cool to be around. Much love to you and your daughters.  
Scott Sperry

Scott Sperry - May 05, 2024 at 10:24 PM

MP

Wendy, so sad and sorry to hear of Loren's passing. He was a friendly, helpful, thoughtful and fun neighbor. He was so sweet to drive from Eden Prairie to come to Dub's funeral-I really appreciated that. My thoughts and prayers are with you-a rough road but God will help you. Sincerely, Mary Parker (Pinnacle Way neighbor)

mary parker - May 06, 2024 at 01:50 PM

AM

“ Anne M. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Loren Dale Bregel.

Anne M. - May 05, 2024 at 02:10 PM

MF

“ Mike F. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Loren Dale Bregel.

Mike F. - May 05, 2024 at 01:19 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Loren Dale Bregel.



May 04, 2024 at 12:49 PM

JB

“ Jon, Heather, Grace, Andtew Bregel&Jensens planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Loren Dale Bregel.

Jon, Heather, Grace, Andtew Bregel&Jensens - May 04, 2024 at 12:49 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Loren Dale Bregel.



May 03, 2024 at 10:48 AM

JF

“ Jeff & Sheila Moore & Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Loren Dale Bregel.

Jeff & Sheila Moore & Family - May 03, 2024 at 10:48 AM

ST

“ Dear Wendy,

*We would like to express our profound sadness upon hearing of your husband's passing. We wish we could be there beside you to offer strength to you and the girls during this challenging time. Although it is not possible, we want you to know that you are in our thoughts and prayers.*

*We hope you find the fortitude needed to continue life with a sense of lightness, and with unity, love, and peace in your hearts.*

*Wishing you all the best,*

*Sincerely,*

*Team Zinpro South America*

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**South America Zinpro Team** - May 03, 2024 at 09:45 AM

AM

“ ana M. purchased a sympathy card for the family of Loren Dale Bregel.



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**ana M.** - May 03, 2024 at 09:42 AM

AK

“ I didn't know Loren well, but am a neighbor in Oakparke. I was having water issues in my basement a couple of years ago, and Loren went above and beyond in his HOA board responsibilities and tried helping me diagnose the problem. This included standing outside with a hose to see if we could find where the water was coming in. He was so kind to me and even though I ended up needing to contact a waterproofing company to do the repairs, I'll never forget how he tried to help, making numerous trips to see how things were going. The true definition of a "good neighbor." My deepest sympathies to his family at the loss of this good man.

Amy Kleinschmidt - May 03, 2024 at 09:30 AM

RW

“ Robert W. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Loren Dale Bregel.

Robert W. - May 02, 2024 at 09:36 PM

VB

“ Vera B. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Loren Dale Bregel.

Vera B. - April 30, 2024 at 03:50 PM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Loren Dale Bregel.



April 30, 2024 at 03:50 PM

ZT

“ Zinpro Global Marketing Team purchased the Bright and Beautiful Spray for the family of Loren Dale Bregel.



Zinpro Global Marketing Team - April 29, 2024 at 09:33 PM

KV

“ Karen V. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Loren Dale Bregel.

Karen V. - April 29, 2024 at 07:07 PM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Loren Dale Bregel.



April 29, 2024 at 03:05 PM

RM

“ We are extremely saddened to hear about Loren. I hope you will accept our condolences.

robert mcclard - April 29, 2024 at 01:56 PM

ZT

“ ZAN Thailand Team planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Loren Dale Bregel.

ZAN Thailand Team - April 29, 2024 at 12:02 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Loren Dale Bregel.



April 29, 2024 at 12:02 PM



“ Blue Caribbean Bouquet was purchased for the family of Loren Dale Bregel.



April 29, 2024 at 09:46 AM



“ North America RBE Team planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Loren Dale Bregel.

North America RBE Team - April 29, 2024 at 09:10 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Loren Dale Bregel.



April 29, 2024 at 09:10 AM

BK

“ *Delia and I are deeply saddened to hear of Loren’s passing. We will always have great memories of the neighborhood Jamaica trip in 2006. Loren was kind, giving and always connected to the kids. Our kids are similar in age. Our thoughts and prayers are with Wendy, Bridget and Lizzie. Your friendship is a fond memory of the ‘Pinnacle Way’ years.*



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**Bill Kavanaugh** - April 29, 2024 at 12:02 AM

JN

“ *I worked with Loren at DynaMark .. FICO in the good old days. Loren was always positive and a pleasure to converse with on many topics. I have many great memories of Loren. ...Jim Nickel*

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**Jim Nickel** - April 28, 2024 at 06:29 PM

CC

“ *Charlotte Clifton and Courtney purchased the Lavender Reflections Spray for the family of Loren Dale Bregel.*

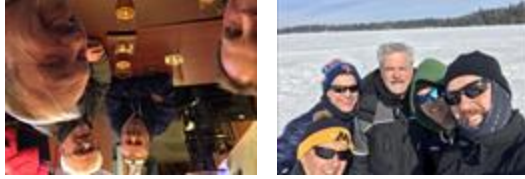


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**Charlotte Clifton and Courtney** - April 28, 2024 at 05:44 PM

MF

“ Always fond of the time I had with Loren. Will miss him greatly



Mike Fabry - April 28, 2024 at 03:11 PM



“ Wendy, Bridget and Lizzie - we are so sad to hear about Loren! I will remember him for his willingness to always help out, along with his wit and humor! It is hard to think of Loren and not smile! He will be missed! Heartfelt hugs to you all!

Sheila Wax Kaufer - April 28, 2024 at 03:04 PM

TM

“ I'm so sorry to hear of Loren's passing. My sincere condolences to his family.

Tom McClard - April 28, 2024 at 12:08 PM

JH

“ Jerry and Lori Haack planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Loren Dale Bregel.

Jerry and Lori Haack - April 28, 2024 at 09:36 AM

JH

“ Jerry and Lori Haack purchased the Large Basket Garden for the family of Loren Dale Bregel.



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**Jerry and Lori Haack** - April 28, 2024 at 09:36 AM

BL

“ Wendy, I am heartbroken for you and your family. I have the best memories of the fun we had at Deluxe. Loren was so funny and kind. Thinking of you at this tough time!

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**Becky Locke** - April 27, 2024 at 08:58 PM

DM

*I haven't the words to express my sorrow for you Wendy, and the girls. I have so many great memories of Loren but the things that stand out the most are his loyalty to his friends and family, his generosity, and his love for life. There was always a twinkle in his eye, waiting for the next chance to pull a prank on a friend, come up with one of his puns, or just soaking it all in and enjoying the time with the people he was with. Simply put, he was a great man. And we will miss him*

*Doug Munson*

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**Doug Munson** - April 28, 2024 at 11:58 AM

GH

“ Wendy, Bridget & Liz,  
I'm so sorry for your loss. Loren was a co-worker, fellow "car-guy", and most of all, a friend, who will be deeply missed. The memories & his ability to bring chuckles & smiles will endure forever.  
My sincere sympathies.

*Greg Hanson*

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**Greg Hanson** - April 27, 2024 at 06:26 PM

KK

“ Kyle K. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Loren Dale Bregel.

Kyle K. - April 27, 2024 at 04:53 PM

DM

“ Loren was a friend, neighbor and fellow member of the HOA Board. He had served for several years and was now President. He was a natural leader and volunteer and did a lot for his neighbors. One project he took on was to replace all the mailboxes for residents of the association (see picture with many mailboxes in his garage). He will be greatly missed by his fellow board members and residents of the homeowners association. Doug Mertz

Doug Mertz - April 27, 2024 at 03:56 PM

DM

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Doug Mertz - April 27, 2024 at 03:48 PM