



Brennen Reeve Gros Ventre Boy Mattsowa' Piiyohkotok - Beautiful Pretty Rock

BRENNEN REEVE GROS VENTRE BOY (Mattsowa' Piiyohkotok - Beautiful Pretty Rock), (née Cross Child), was called home to the Creator, surrounded by his loving mother at the Chinook Regional Hospital on Friday, July 14, 2023 at the age of 27 years.

Brennen was born on December 26, 1995 at the Cardston Hospital to Sharon Theresa Bad Eagle and the late Randolph Dicky Gros Ventre Boy.

Brennen is predeceased by his maternal grandparents Pat and Theresa Cross Child Sr.; auntie Sally Wendy Mary Cross Child; cousins: Luke Christian Cross Child, Tyson Pat Blair Cross Child and Edward Holy Singer; paternal grandparents Beattie and Ruby Gros Ventre Boy; uncles: Randy, Gabriel, aunties, Clara Crying Head, Judy and Brett (Melina) Gros Ventre Boy; and cousins, Blaine, Kevin, Dion Gros Ventre Boy, Angie Shot Both Sides, Tyler Crying Head, Randall Morning Owl and Tristan Shot Both Sides. Brennen also had a few close friends/brothers that he loved and cared for with all his heart, Ramzy and Julian White Feathers and AJ Rabbit.

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Brennen is survived by his loving children Maddox, Jocelyn and Lincoln Gros Ventre Boy; his siblings: Dwight & Mandy Cross Child, Mason and Chelsea Cross Child, Sheree Cross Child, Megan Twigg and Wylie and Martie Gros Ventre Boy; nieces: Addison Cross Child, Ezra Cross Child, Kallie and Ruby Twigg, Nova Gros Ventre Boy and Brielle Cross Child; nephews Demetrious, Nyjah, and Desai Cross Child and Chayton and Cayson Twigg; maternal uncles and aunties: Patrick & Tanya Cross Child, Wesley and Michelle Cross Child, and Justin and Tawny Cross Child; paternal uncles and aunties: Wesley and Noreen Gros Ventre Boy, Deanie Gros Ventre Boy, Carolyn Gros Ventre Boy, Charlene Gros Ventre Boy and Christy Gros Ventre Boy; as well as numerous cousins on both sides of the family. Extended family including Low Horn's, Wolf Child's, Hairy Bull's, Fox's, Crying Head's, Weasel Head's, Young Pine's, Born with a Tooth, Crow Eagle, Crow Shoe, Heavy Runner, Eagle Plume, Long Time Squirrel's, Three Sun's, and Morning Owl's.

Brennen attended Aahsaopi School, Glenwood School, and Kainai High School, where he developed a love for reading, music, skateboarding, and the academic learning. Brennen loved to sing, make his own rap music and play the keyboard. Brennen also had three children whom he loved dearly. Brennen was a humble, simple kind of man; he didn't care for a fancy lifestyle, he was a jeans and t-shirt kind of guy. He loved his adventures with his siblings and friends, smiling from ear to ear and non-stop talking. Brennen truly believed in friendship and had so many far and near.

Brennen was recently baptized, received his first holy communion, confirmation and read his last rights. The glow that he had was priceless as he knew that his life always belonged to God. This was a joyous day for Brennen. Brennen's Godfather is Patrick Bad Eagle. Brennen had plans of getting baptized a few years ago, and he was so excited saying to Patrick, "so you're going to be my Godfather, that's cool, I'm pretty excited!" Brennen wasn't much of a travelling guy, but he made it to Lac Saint Anne a few times in his younger years and blessed himself in the lake.

Brennen will be sadly missed by all who knew him. Aho!

FAMILY SERVICE

Cornerstone Funeral Home 2825 - 32 St. S., Lethbridge, AB Sunday, July 23, 2023 4:00 P.M. to 5:00 P.M. Elder - Jay Bad Eagle

WAKE SERVICE

Cornerstone Funeral Home Sunday, July 23, 2023 6:00 P.M. to 10:00 P.M.

Drum Group - Northstone Singers

FUNERAL MASS

St. Mary's Immaculate Conception Catholic Church Standoff, AB

Monday, July 24, 2023 at 11:00 A.M.

Celebrant - Father Pawel Andrasz O.M.I.

Musician - Christina Fox

Drum Group - Northstone Singers

MUSICIAL SELECTIONS

Entrance: What a Day That Will Be
Offertory: Go Rest High on the Mountain
Communion: Amazing Grace
Meditation: How Great Thou Art
Recessional: Take This Message to My Mother

READINGS

First Reading - Darcie Doore Second Reading - Martie Gros Ventre Boy Gospel - Fr. Pawel Andrasz O.M.I.

INTERMENT

Following the Funeral Mass, Brennen will be laid to rest in the Blood Band Cemetery Blood Tribe, AB

HONORARY PALLBEARERS

Tanis Cross Child | Curly Twigg | Billy Twigg | Tyson Good Striker | Darcie Doore Murphy Russell | Constance Day Chief | Charlie Hunt | Henrick Skoien | Charlene Gros Ventre Boy | Jamelyn Weasel Head | Sheila Holy Singer | Christy Gros Ventre Boy | Christy Wells | Nicki Gros Ventre Boy | Nathan Wells | Joel Day Rider | Larissa Wells | Dre Reevis | Melissa Holy Singer | Zach Day Rider | Ian Holy Singer | Daisy Day Chief | Kailee 'Jac' Day Rider | Jarvis Day Chief | Cobi Bevans | Jaxon Bruised Head | Ty Day Chief | Aeron White Feathers | Cody Willows | Winslow First Charger | Kolton Weasel Head | Mac Hoof | Daniel Chief Moon | Adam Across The Mountain | Eric Tail Feathers | Mitchel Stiff Arm | Kassidy White Feathers | Trinity White Feathers | Raymee Whiskey Jack | Ryan Cross Child | Patrick Bad Eagle | Jay Bad Eagle | Jack Cross Child | Braden Cross Child | Jakobee Cross Child | Kadeem Cross Child | Hollis Crow Child | Delise Cross Child | Judas Gros Ventre Boy

Brennen had a lot of friends and family too numerous to mention, we apologize if we may have missed anyone.

PALLBEARERS

Justice Day Rider | Alden Day Rider | Dwight Cross Child | Mason Cross Child Wylie Cross Child | Wacy Day Chief | Mackenzie Cross Child | Sky Mountain Horse Husky First Charger Deanie Gros Ventre Boy | CJ Tourangeu

FEAST

Following the Interment, family and friends are invited to further share this day in the Lavern Community Hall

Lavern, AB