



Dennis Wright

May 8, 1951 - January 16, 2010

Dennis Wright, beloved husband and father passed away on Saturday, January 16, 2010, after a brave and lengthy battle with ALS. He met the end of his life with strength, courage, grace and his usual sense of humor.

Born May 8, 1951 in Valparaiso, IN, he was the son of Arthur C. and Ruth (Smith) Wright. He loved spending time in the outdoors, even building a canoe with his children and spending evenings on the lake. He enjoyed writing, and was a fan of the Indianapolis Colts and the Chicago Cubs. However his greatest joy came from spending time surrounded by his family and friends.

Dennis is survived by his wife Kathryn (Meier) Wright of Bloomington; their children Samuel Arthur Wright of Bloomington and Annie Elizabeth Wright of Seattle, WA; his mother Ruth Wright of Ft. Wayne, IN; sister Kathleen Montague and her husband John of Calabasas, CA; and one brother David Wright and his wife Barbara of Ft. Wayne, IN.

He was preceded in death by his father.

There will be a celebration of Dennis' life at a later date.

The family asks donations in remembrance of Dennis be made to ALS Bloomington Support Group or Hospice of Bloomington, in care of the Bloomington Hospital Foundation, P.O. Box 1149 Bloomington, IN 47402-9988. Allen Funeral Home is handling arrangements. Online condolences may be made at www.allenfuneralhome.org.

Dennis' family expresses heartfelt Thank You's to Hospice of Bloomington,

Southern Indiana Pediatrics and all of the friends who have given them such wonderful support.

Tribute Wall

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“ *I have thought of you often Katherine.
My heartfelt condolences to you and the kids as you explore this
"new normal".*
Nancy

Nancy Henry - March 22, 2013 at 08:21 AM

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“ *My thoughts are with you and your family. I will remember his smile,
his wit and humor.*
With sympathy,
Kathy Loser

Kathy Loser - March 22, 2013 at 08:21 AM

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“ *Dear Kathy, Sam, and Annie,
I am so sorry to hear of Dennis' passing. He was a wonderful man. I
cherish the memories of the evenings Greg and I spent with you
and Dennis, Kathy, and I love to remember how happy Greg was to
spend time with Dennis when it was just the two of them. You and
Dennis were wonderful friends to us, and I am so grateful that Greg
and Dennis had each other. You all are in my prayers, and I hope
that you will find comfort in the memories you cherish.*
love, Ginger

Ginger Thomas - March 22, 2013 at 08:21 AM

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“ The family is so sorry to hear of Dennis' passing. I know that he suffered for many years and now he is resting in peace. What a blessing to be in Heaven and to not be in any pain anymore. Love to all of the family and friends. Ann Stalcup and the Gradeless Family

Ann Stalcup (Gradeless) - March 22, 2013 at 08:21 AM

JA

“ To the Family of Dennis Wright,

My prayers are with your family at this sad time. I know that you are going through as I lost my mother to ALS.

The Lord has his arms wrapped around you and holding you close.

Jan Carter

Jan Carter - March 22, 2013 at 08:21 AM

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“ As with many fraternity brothers, I have lost touch over the years. I was very saddened to learn of his passing and struggle with ALS. I have fond memories of Denny, particularly his sense of humor. He was bright and clever and I'm sure he will be missed by many. My sincere sympathies to his family.

Tim Bloom - March 22, 2013 at 08:21 AM