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Unexpectedly, on January 25, 2018, Blain Banick of Arlington, VA, passed away peacefully in his sleep at the age of 51. He is survived by his loving wife Danna Banick, loyal four-legged, furry best friend Reveille, brother Theo (wife Jolynn and children Hudson, Taylor, Payton) Banick and sister Tina (husband Brian and son Tyler) Steele of Edmonton, AB. Father-in-law Charles R. Schraeder, Brother-in-law Jeff Schraeder, Brother-in-law Darren (wife Tina and children Jordan, Jeremy, Meredith, Chloe) Schraeder. He was predeceased by his Father Raymond Banick, mother Elizabeth Zilinski Banick, mother-in-law Diana Holmes Schraeder.

Blain graduated from the University of Alberta with an Undergraduate in Political Science and an MBA in Marketing and International Business, becoming an accomplished and well respected senior Business Development & Marketing professional, holding such roles as Chief Marketing Officer and Chief Business Development Officer at leading national and international law firms. A fanatical former hockey goalie and avid golfer, Blain enjoyed numerous athletic pursuits, both as a participant and a spectator. Generous, loyal, passionate, dedicated and selfless are a few words that would describe this husband, brother, uncle, teammate and friend who was taken too soon and will be missed terribly.

Per family wishes, a memorial will soon be held in his honor in Dallas. (Please

check back here for the date and time or contact a family member.) If you'll be traveling to attend, please notify a family member so we can help with arrangements. At a later time, a private Celebration of Life will take place in Edmonton for invited guests. Anyone wishing to make a donation in Blain's memory is encouraged to direct those donations to the Petsmart Charities at www.petsmartcharities.org.

Tribute Wall



“ *Blain Ray Banick*

October 27, 2022 at 09:45 PM



“ *Blain Ray Banick*

Heavenly and Harmony - February 07, 2018 at 12:00 AM



“ *My condolences to Blain's wife and the families. Blain was my first nephew and my wife and I had the pleasure of being his God Parents. He truly was a reflection of all the best qualities of his Mom and his Dad.*
Dave Banick

February 05, 2018 at 12:00 AM



“ *All those interactions we had with Balin for nearly 5 plus years will be cherished. GEM of a person.*
May God give courage to his near and dear ones.
Will miss you sir

Candle of Love - February 05, 2018 at 12:00 AM



“ *Such fond memories of Blain I cherish. A wonderful mentor, boss and good friend. My most sincere condolences to the family.*

Candle of Love - February 02, 2018 at 12:00 AM

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“ *In Honor of a loving and dedicated man who enjoyed and love life through his work and most of all the love that he showed though his wife and his family! He will never be forgotten! "God Bless you" "Blain!" Love, Mike and Cindy McGary Dallas Texas*

Candle of Love - January 31, 2018 at 12:00 AM