



William Patrick Bryan

July 11, 1952 - September 22, 2010

Bryan, W. Pat

On Wednesday, September 22, 2010 of Alexandria, VA.

Beloved nephew of Anne Tienter (Dave) and Tom Bryan (Becky). Memorial service will be held at Kingstowne Cat Clinic, 5830 Kingstowne Center Dr. #120, Alexandria, VA 22315 on Wednesday, September 29 from 3-6pm.

Inurnment private. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made, in his honor, to Kingstowne Cat Clinic, Poor Kitty Fund or the Animal Welfare League of Alexandria, 4101 Eisenhower Ave. Alexandria, VA 22304.

Tribute Wall



“ *William Patrick Bryan*

October 27, 2022 at 09:45 PM



“ *Pat was my petsitter for several years and my cats enjoyed his visits immensely. I think they were disappointed when I came home from my trips because that meant no more visits from Pat for a while! He had a special gift for connecting with cats and I always felt better knowing my babies were in his capable, caring hands while I was traveling. He will be missed.*

October 16, 2010 at 12:00 AM



“ *Hey, Bud! Sure do miss you and our rants about the Skins and I still pick up the phone to call you during the game. See you on the other side of the Bridge. Thank you to all Pat's friends for all your love and support you've given our family. Pat was truly blessed to have you in his life. We all were blessed to have him in ours.*

October 10, 2010 at 12:00 AM



“ I just heard the news today. I am so incredibly saddened. Pat had a heart of pure gold. He helped us with three of our kitties over the years. With my Alex, he visited her body at Kingstowne Cat Clinic after she passed away, we found out later. When my Lion was at South Paws fighting for his life, he visited everyday, and cried with us when he passed. My first thought was I hope that he's petting my buddies right now and taking care of them there. I was so very fond of Pat, and will miss him deeply. God bless, and comfort his family. Love Pam Kearney and family

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“ Pat will be sorely missed. We knew whenever we left our beloved pets in his charge, they would be tended to with as much love as we would give them. I never worried about them under Pat's care. Last winter Michael and I were out of town and hired Pat to take care of the pets. While away, our area had a record 30 inches of snowfall. The roads were inaccessible, so Pat walked miles through the snow to take care of our pets and others in the neighborhood. Now that is dedication! Even when I would warn him that one of our various goldfish might not make it (suffering from one malady or another), he still felt bad if it expired on his watch. Before each pet-sitting gig, he would ask me, "no fish are gonna die on me this time, are they?" I will miss him dearly.

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“ Very few people in this life get the opportunity to connect with such a special person as Pat. I feel privileged to have known him, and to have had him as teacher, friend, and security blanket for my dearest furry family members. His selfless love, respect, and devotion to others - including 4-legged others - has touched us all very deeply. Thank you, Pat.

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“ What a kind soul, our beloved Pat. My memories of our volleyball adventures remain strong and called upon often. You will be missed dearly. My deepest sympathies to all friends and family as we share in these moments.

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“ Pat -- My dearest friend from Washington Gas. I will never forget our wonderful times together playing volleyball, going to concerts, skiing (for you snowboarding) and our love for corvettes. Our trip to Carlisle PA for the corvette show was one of my favorite times. We walked around trying to find parts for your corvette - some parts were in the grass while others were hanging from trees. I will never forget our great times together. I will miss you... -- Love your friend Donna

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“ Rest in Peace Pat. You have finally arrived

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“ He's been a big part of my little human-feline family for many years. He will be missed. God bless and keep him.

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“ Never having been a woman of few words (as Pat well knows), I had to split this into two parts. ----- There are no words in the human language magnanimous enough to describe the exceptional nature of my very dear friend Pat Bryan. Compassionate, kind, altruistic, generous, loving, devoted, considerate, and warm-hearted beyond belief, he was truly an extraordinary person. It is inconceivable to me that he was taken from life so early. His exceptional compassion extended to animals and humans alike; his “fhurries” were so fortunate to have allowed him to live with them. I have met few individuals in my lifetime with the love and devotion Pat had for these beautiful fur-babies. My world has diminished in losing him, and indeed, the world itself has become smaller with this loss. He was one of those very rare and sublime individuals who positively affected everyone whose life he touched.

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“ My infinite sympathy to Pat’s family and friends; in our mutual sorrow we are bonded. Pat, I will miss our marathon conversations, your nifty accent, your positive, upbeat attitude, your amusing “fhurrie-tales”, and the ability to be there when things were not so amusing. It is a beautiful Autumn day - - vivid blue sky - - gold leaves fluttering and scattered everywhere - - a time of leaving I just wish you had stayed. I miss you so much, buddy, and just in case I never told you, I love you and those furballs, too.....and yes, you really do have an accent - -and I am pretty sure I don’t :) I’d give anything to still be able to argue that with you. Life may not be fair, but it darn well should be.

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“ Over the years Pat has become an extended family member for us. He was simply a fantastic individual. The shock of his loss one week ago today has not diminished for us and I’m sure countless others. Andrea and I lost a great friend.

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“ Just want to send this Native Americ Prayer which I find quite beautiful; I will send my personal note tomorrow. My condolences to everyone who knew Pat. ~ Melody ~ I give you this one thought to keep, I am with you still, I do not sleep, I am a thousand winds that blow. I am the diamond glints on snow, I am the sunlight on ripened grain, I am the gentle Autumn rain. When you awaken in the morning hush, I am the swift, uplifting rush Of quiet birds in circled flight. I am the soft stars that shine at night. Do not think of me as gone - I am with you still - in each new dawn.

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“ We met Pat 12 years ago when he lovingly cared for my dear Muppet. Pat was certainly one of a kind - always had room in his heart and home for "just one more" kitty in need of a loving home and friend. Pat was full of compassion. He came to comfort me when my Muppet made her journey to the Rainbow Bridge and mourned with me. Pat became like family and for more years than I can remember, he joined us for Thanksgiving and Christmas dinner. Pat was quite the character and fit into our family gatherings with ease. We will all miss him tremendously! To Pat's family, we send our heartfelt condolences. Take comfort in knowing that he touched the lives of so many and made us all the better for it!

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“ The first time I met Pat it was clear he was a warm and sincere person. It took no time to feel reassured that my precious cat was in good hands. And he proved me right. He will be greatly missed

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“ *There's no question Pat was one in a million! I remember meeting him about 10 years ago when he started Cat & House and he told me 'I'll take care of cats and sometimes birds; I'll bring in the mail; watch your lights and check on your house - but I won't do dogs!'. From then on he became 'catman' to me. He was so incredibly handy - he did so many projects in my home and he was a perfectionist. It had to be right or it wasn't worth doing. He was so knowledgeable about so many things - and if he didn't know it he'd research the info for you. My cats Oz & Katie will miss him dearly. They never missed me when I was gone because he gave them so much affection and attention. He was a friend and considered part of my family. He will be forever missed and remembered. To his family - I wish you my deepest condolences. While his passing was so sudden and tragic for those left behind, please know how much he did for everyone and how loved he was.*

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“ *Pat was a great guy. I didn't know him well, but he was a part of my extended family through the care and caring he showed my grey kitty, Smokey. My deepest condolences to his family, friends, coworkers.*

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“ *We are all blessed to have had Pat in our lives. He was a good friend to my mom, Judith, and me and our lives were enriched by having him in them.*

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“ Pat, You will be missed. I enjoyed our many talks about our kitties and you were such a great help to me when my cat had diabetes. I will miss seeing you. Sarah J Basallote

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“ My greatest condolences to Pat's family, friends and clients (the four-legged variety as well as the 2).

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“ My husband and I used to live in Kingstowne and had cats. We love to travel and we needed a reliable cat sitter. We got a list from Kingstowne Cat Clinic but was told that Pat was not available... he was in such demand he wasn't able to take any more clients. Well, I mistakenly called his number instead of one of the others, and connected with Pat. He became our cat sitter and took care of our babies as if they were his own. He showered them with love and care. He also was there when we needed "people" help too. He was a warm and caring person, and we'll miss him greatly. I know that on his way to heaven, he stopped by the Rainbow Bridge and scooped up many of the kitties and cats to join him in his journey. Rainbow Bridge must be a lonely place now. We will miss you terribly Pat!!! To Pat's family and other friends, you have our sincerest condolences. He was a good and kind man.

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“I expect to pass through this world but once; any good thing therefore that I can do, or any kindness that I can show to any fellow creature, let me do it now; let me not defer or neglect it, for I shall not pass this way again.” You lived that philosophy. We will miss you so very much. Your kindness, your compassion and your devotion to your circle of friends - both human and feline - will never be forgotten. Me ke aloha pumehana, a hui hou kakou dearest Bruddah Paka. Love and miss you - Susan, Kat-Zilla, Shi-Shi, Noelani and Zakk.

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“As we take our journey through life, we meet many people along the way. Pat was truly one of the most kind, caring, and compassionate man I have ever met. He will be missed, but always in our hearts. His family can take great pride in knowing that he touched so many lives in such a positive way.

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“Pat was a wonderful, kind, fun-loving guy and we have many fond memories of spending time with him at volleyball tournaments. We will miss him greatly.

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“ Words of kindness and compassion are spoken by many. Bringing those words to life requires a selflessness that is difficult to find in this world, mainly because those who actually practice kind acts and compassion rarely speak of what they do. Pat didn't speak the words. He lived them. My deepest sympathies to Pat's family and to all who knew him. Pat brightened many of my mornings at the clinic with tales of one kind or another. He was a very sincere person, something I value greatly in life. I'll miss his smiling face.

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“ My condolences to the Bryan Family, During this time of great sorrow, may it comfort you to know that others are deeply touched by your loss. I too know the pain of losing someone dear. Even though our hearts are broken, rest assure that our Grand Creator cares about you personally (1Peter5:7) and can help you though this difficult time. Revelation 21:4 speaks of a time soon when God will do away with death forever. There will be no more sorrow, heartache, or pain. May your happy memories and sure scriptural hope comfort your hearts during this painful time.

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“ I sure will miss you buddy. You were the closest thing to a big brother I had. I still can't believe I won't ever hear my office door open and you say "Hey kiddo, what's up?" ever again. I hope you find peace. We've got your kitties covered so no worries.

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“ Pat was one of the kindest, most sincere people one could hope to know. He truly had a heart of gold. When I was laid up after a car accident, and one my kitties became very ill, I called to ask if he could bring us to the vet hospital. He said "I'll be there in 10 minutes". Pat introduced me to proper diabetic care and taught me about using subQ fluids. We discussed articles he'd found online for care of conditions affecting cats, as well as conditions affecting economics and once in awhile even politics. He was always there, never once in all of the times we left on short notice did he say that he could not come. He was truly a gem of a person, and we will miss him very much. Perhaps Jaz, Ming, Pepper and Charlie, all of whom he spent time sitting for, as well as all of the little ones he loved and cared for, met him as he came over the Rainbow Bridge. I like to think so. Lyn and Kevin McDonald Tazzie, Cody and Sammy

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“ I will remember Pat as a very kind and generous man who truly cared about others regardless if they have two feet or four paws! He will be sadly missed by all. I chose to believe he is in heaven with his beloved kitties who have already passed. RIP Pat!

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“ Pat will be missed by one and all. I considered him a friend for many years working at Washington Gas. Sorry he was taken from us so early. God bless his family and friends. Joan

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“ *Pat will be missed by everyone that knew him. My prayers and thoughts go to Pat's family and friends. He loved what he was doing and was very good at it. He loved playing volleyball with all his friends. Margaret Ziemba*

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