

We Gather To Celebrate the Life Of
Brian Bruce Bignell

Friday, September 26, 2025, 1:00pm
Church of the Redeemer, Opaskwayak, MB
Presider: Rev. Gloria Lavallee

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Hymn: "God Has Taken An Angel Home"

Memories of the Heart ; Jennifer Bignell

Gathering of the Community: p 591

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Proclamation of the Word:

First Reading: Richard Cowley

Isaiah 25:6-9 open

Psalms 23: Second Reading ; Janet Bignell-Young

Hymn: "GO REST HIGH ON THAT MOUNTAIN"

THE GOSPEL OF OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST

Reflection: Rev. Gloria Lavallee

Prayers of the People: p 593

Lords Prayer

HYMN; "Ketepaysakelin"

The Commendations and Blessing; 595

HYMN: Cree 66

Committal Prayers at Cemetery - p 596-597



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Celebrating A Life



Brian "Cyclops" Bignell
June 14, 1959-September 10,

Brian Bruce Bignell was born on June 14, 1959. Brian was the eldest son of the late Jonah and Mildred Bignell (Spence) of The Pas, Manitoba.

As a young man, he made bikes from discarded parts and also put headlights and breaks with lights. His younger cousins thought that was cool. In the winter he had a skidoo which was loud with no hood. He was proud of making it run.

In the early 1980, Brian travelled to British Colombia with the late Julius Young. A lot of stories were told and some made up. Seeing Bigfoot or UFO'S flying by in the night.

Brian ("Cyclops") will be missed by his **Brother**, Lester Bignell (Flora), **Sister**, Leona Paul (Leonard) **Nieces and Nephews**, Janet, Mike (Jenn), Lawrence, Leon, Dylan, Vanessa, Rebecca, and Lester Jr, Alex, Flora, Angel, and his **Chapan**, Jonah (affectionately called "Midget") Cassius; **Aunties**, Shannon Pelly, Mabel Bignell, Pauline Bignell, Roma Bignell; **Uncles**, Allan (Flora) Bignell; and many cousins, too many to mention.

Brian was predeceased by his **Father**, Jonah Bignell; **Mother**, Mildred; **Brothers**, Sam, Bernard, Louis; **Auntie**, Isabel Young, Mary Pacey, Marie Bignell; **Uncles**, Joe Bignell, Oliver Bignell, Dennis Bignell, Jonah Young; **Grandparents**, Alex and Rachel Bignell.

Rest easy Brother, until we meet again!

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Thursday, September, 2025 - 6pm

Margaret Henderson Parish Hall, Opaskwayak, MB

FUNERAL SERVICE

Friday, September 26, 2025, 1 p.m.

Church of the Redeemer, Opaskwayak, MB

Reverend Gloria Lavallee presiding

INTERMENT

St. Michael and All Angels Cemetery,

Opaskwayak, MB

PALLBEARERS

Neil Bignell, Richard Bignell, Oliver Bignell,

Leon Paul, Lawrence Paul, Robert Lathlin,

Andrew Bignell, George Spence.

HONORARY PALLBEARERS

John Nasikapow, Derek Constant, Ken Crain,

Trudy and children. OCN Home Community Care,

Craig Bignell and all of his cousins and friends.

Too many to mention.