

When I come to the end of **MY JOURNEY**
And I travel my last weary mile,
Just forget if you can, that I ever frowned,
And remember only the *smile*.
Forget unkind words I have spoken;
Remember some good I have done.
Forget that I ever had heartache
And remember I've had loads of fun.
Forget that I've stumbled and blundered
And sometimes fell by the way.
Remember I have **FOUGHT** some hard battles & won,
ere the close of the day,
Then forget to grieve for my going,
I would not have you sad for a day,
But in summer just gather some *flowers*
And remember the place where I lay,
And come in the evening
When the sun paints the sky in the west,
Stand for a few moments beside me
And **REMEMBER ONLY MY BEST.**

Celebrating
A LIFE

Kevin George Burshia, Jr. (Ista to) went to be with his heavenly father on December 2, 2024. He was born on November 25, 1984 in Wolf Point, Montana to Doris J. Headdress and Kevin G. Burshia, Sr.

He attended Poplar elementary and Ellendale elementary schools. He also attended Frontier middle school and Wolf Point High school. He ultimately obtained his GED at Quentin N. Burdick Job Corps in Minot, ND.

Kevin was musically inclined he enjoyed singing and mastered the guitar and also played the drums. Alongside his musical abilities he possessed a world talent for drawing and beading primarily using the peyote stitch, he also worked with horsehair, skillfully braiding it which allowed him to express himself in another beautiful way. It's wonderful how he found ways to connect with passions and share them with those he loved.

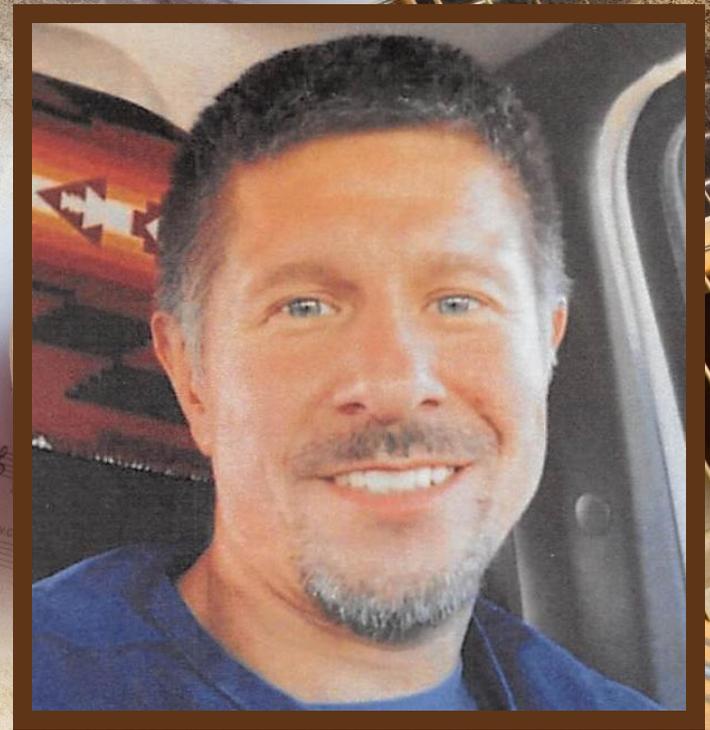
While living in the Chelsea area on the farm, Kevin went hunting and fishing and taught how to skin and gut a deer and filet a fish. Kevin would also help with farm chores and driving tractor. When he would stay with his grandma Gloria, she taught him a great deal about their culture, she showed him how to dry corn, prepare dry meat, handle ground cherries, and picked turnips. Kevin was a great help around the house completing tasks like painting, fixing fence and doing yard work.

Kevin was a joy to have around, known for his sense of humor and ability to make others feel welcome. He was also very loving, kind and very respectful.

He is survived by his mother, Doris J. Headdress; children, Jason, Rosaline and Rory; his siblings Heather Martell, Samantha Burshia, Ryan Burshia, Zachary Budak, Michael Budak, Brienne Burshia, Tyree Burshia Mary Burshia and Arthur Burshia; his grandmother Gloria Chopper and numerous aunts, uncles and cousins.

He is preceded in death by his father Kevin Burshia, Sr.; uncle Teddy Ricker, Sr.; paternal grandmother Mary Buckles; maternal grandmother Norma Headdress; maternal grandfather Dale Headdress, Sr.

We are sorry if we forgot to mention anyone since we have large families on both sides.



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Prayer Service

6:00 p.m. Wednesday, December 11, 2024
Clayton Stevenson Memorial Chapel
Wolf Point, Montana

Funeral Services

11:00 a.m. Thursday, December 12, 2024
New Community Hall
Wolf Point, Montana

Officiating

Henri Headdress & Pastor Jay Cummins

Pallbearers

Lonnie Headdress, Zachary Budak
Duran Zoanni, Ben Brien
CB Rees, Alex Kelsey

Honorary Pallbearers

Michael Budak, Justin GrayHawk, Jr.
Maurice Bighorn III, Isiah Bighorn

Final Resting Place

Headdress Family Cemetery
West of Wolf Point, Montana

