



Benjamin S. Benner

February 20, 1980 - January 25, 2023

Benner, Benjamin S., passed away suddenly and peacefully at home on Wednesday, January 25, 2023, at the age of 42.

Ben was a proud native Texan, a graduate of Houston Baptist University in 2003 with degrees in Business Management and Christianity, and a licensed minister at the age of 16. He devoted his life to Christianity after losing his mother, who was also a devoted Christian. Ben was involved with the creation and growth of multiple churches across the country. He held many positions from youth minister to associate pastor. Professionally Ben worked for Enterprise for 19 years. He joined Enterprise in August 2003 after graduating from college. He worked through the ranks from Management Trainee to Director of Fleet Management. His career with Enterprise took him and his family from Houston to Atlanta, Salt Lake City, and St. Louis. In each city, Ben made lifelong relationships throughout his travels. Ben had a passion for music and sports, he loved seeing his daughter Samantha play softball for The Lightning where he helped coach, he loved football and was highly involved with the Parkway West Junior Longhorns where he was able to coach and inspire many good kids and especially his son Nathan. He also helped lead worship numerous times with his oldest daughter Isabelle, who was on vocals whereas Ben was on guitar and vocals. Ben was the soundtrack for every Benner Family gathering. Ben was an inspiration, mentor, and friend to so many.

He was the beloved husband of Vanessa Benner, his high school sweetheart; father of Isabelle Virginia Benner, Nathan Benjamin Benner, and Samantha Nicole Benner; brother of Melvin Eugene (Jennifer) Benner and Cameron Arthur (Leanne) Benner; dear uncle, cousin, and friend to many. Benjamin is preceded in death by his parents, Steven Roy and Virginia Sue Benner.

Services: Memorial service at the SCHRADER Funeral Home and Crematory, 14960 Manchester Road at Holloway, Ballwin, MO Sunday, Jan. 29, 2023, 4:00 p.m.

Funeral service at Wilcrest Baptist Church, 10800 Sharpview Dr, Houston, TX 77072, Friday, Feb 3, 2023, 11:00 a.m. Interment Morton Cemetery in Richmond, TX. In place of flowers, contributions may be made to sponsor click here: Parkway West Jr. Longhorn football program. Friends may sign the family's online guestbook at Schrader.com.

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 3. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Wilcrest Baptist Church
10800 Sharpview Dr.
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Service

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