



## Barry Forrest Bruskin

April 10, 1950 - July 23, 2020

Barry Forrest Bruskin, 70, of Bayside, WI, passed away on July 23, 2020 peacefully in his home of 37 years surrounded by his family.

Barry was born in Milwaukee, WI, on April 10, 1950 to his parents, Irwin and Perlanne, and his sister, Holly. He attended Nicolet High School and attained his bachelor's degree with honors from UW-Madison, followed by his J.D. from Marquette University. Barry began his career as a defense attorney, and then became a dedicated employee at Traveler's Insurance, where he worked for 27 years.

Barry had a passion for learning and for the arts. He and Felice attended almost weekly lectures and theater productions. He was named Volunteer Of The Year at Jewish Family Services after dedicating many years volunteering with the ESL program for Russian immigrant families and with Our Next Generation, coordinated through his synagogue. Barry has been a lifelong member of Congregation Shalom where he and his family remained actively engaged for the duration of his life. He was also interested in genealogy, spending many late nights finding relatives and sharing photos & stories.

Barry is survived by his devoted wife, Felice, of 37 years and his caring sister, Holly (Sid) Williamson. He was a loving father to Asher Bruskin, Tara (Gabriel) Cicarelli, Scott (Kristin) Epstein, and grandfather to Jaclyn, Stephen and Matthew.

Funeral services will be private. A special thank you to the Aurora and Horizon staff who took such great care of Barry throughout his treatments.

In lieu of sending flowers, memorials can be sent to Congregation Shalom (Cantor Karen Berman or Rabbi Ronald & Judy Shapiro Legacy Funds) or The American Cancer Society.

# Cemetery

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## **Mound Zion Cemetery**

14510 W. North Ave.

Brookfield, WI, 53005

# Comments

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“ Felice, I was shocked to see your husband's name in the Chronicle. May G-d comfort you and may your husband's memory always be a blessing to you and your family.



Marcy Hotz - September 25, 2020 at 10:16 PM

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“ Please accept our sincere condolences. In the difficult days to come, may the wonderful memories of Berry give you comfort until the words of the prophet Isaiah in Isaiah 35:5,6 are fulfilled.

Eisbrenner family - July 27, 2020 at 01:33 PM

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“ Barry was a kind, ethical, wonderful, loving man. I loved the man because of who he was to my beautiful wife, Tara. I loved him for who he was to my wonderful mom-in-law Felice. I loved him for the great example that he was to his sons Asher and Scott. Loved him for the family oriented sense of living life that he exemplified. Distance kept me from being able to know him even better. I learned of his kindness and goodness mainly through my wife Tara's heart and eyes. He became her loving dad, and together with his lovely wife Felice raised Tara and her brothers to be honorable, loving, responsible and kind.  
We will miss him every day.  
All my love to his sister Holly and all who knew and loved him

Gabriel Cicarelli - July 26, 2020 at 11:15 AM