



Benjamin Tucker Mace

May 12, 1989 - April 4, 2024

Benjamin "Ben" Tucker Mace, 34, went to be with his Lord and Savior on Wednesday, April 3, 2024. Ben was a Christian, beloved son, brother, grandson, uncle, and father.

Ben's deep faith in his Lord and Savior was the foundation for a life well-lived.

Ben was born on May 12, 1989, in Harrisonburg, VA to Daniel and Ronda Grove Mace. He was a graduate of Stonewall Jackson High School, in Quicksburg, VA and Radford University graduating cum laude with a degree in Criminal Justice in 2011.

Ben began his professional career with AstraZeneca as a customer service representative from 2012-2016.

Ben's true professional passion was law enforcement. He was a Jail Officer at the Northwestern Regional Adult Detention Center in Winchester, VA from 2016-2023. Ben was recognized in 2017 at the Annual Law Enforcement Recognition Ceremony by US House of Representative, Barbara Comstock for his exceptional performance, invaluable service, and commitment to the community. Ben made many friends and built lasting relationships with his coworkers and fellow officers.

Ben was an avid outdoorsman and was passionate about deer and turkey hunting with his grandfather, brother, and friends in Yellow Springs WV. He was the current president of the Yellow Springs Hunt Club and forged many lasting friendships over the years. Every year while others failed, Ben always got the big buck, much to the envy of his hunting buddies.

Ben was active in financial investing and was a helpful resource to others with their investments.

Ben, his brother, and father enjoyed Boy Scouts and he worked diligently and attained the rank of Eagle Scout.

Ben is survived by his parents of Mt Jackson, VA; a brother, Jacob Mace (Kayla) of Waynesboro VA; grandparents, Ronald, and Shirley Grove of Winchester; his soulmate, Leah Adams of Fort Valley, VA; son, Hunter William Mace; nephew and niece, Forest and Elaine Mace of Waynesboro, VA; and a large extended family with numerous aunts, uncles, cousins and spouses.

Ben is predeceased by his grandparents, Herman and Lillian Mace of Grottoes, VA.

A service will be held at Antioch Covenant Brethren Church in Woodstock VA 22664 on Saturday, April 13, 2024, at 11:00AM.

Tribute Wall

MN

“ I'm so sorry for your loss. Warmest thoughts and prayers to you and family. Take comfort in knowing that he walks with God.

Mike Nutry - April 15, 2024 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ My sincere condolences to Ben's family, I did not know him but over the last couple of years I have become friends with his grandfather, Mr Ronnie Grove, my thoughts and prayers are with you all !!

John Hawse - April 10, 2024 at 12:00 AM

SP

“ Rhonda, Daniel, Jacob and family We are so sorry for your loss of Ben. You raised a wonderful young man. We will never forget all the fun times the boys had and all the new ones Heath and Jacob are just now telling us about. We love these boys like our own and always will. We love you all Sandra and Dale

Sandra Painter - April 10, 2024 at 12:00 AM

CM

“ Ronda and family, I am so sorry for your loss. Thoughts and prayers for you and your family.

Carolyn Ryman Mobley - April 10, 2024 at 12:00 AM

BN

“ Rhonda and Daniel, Brooks and I are heartbroken to read about Ben's death. Though we did not know him well in person we feel we knew him through you two at work. Our great Lord holds him now in a sweet place. We pray for you all in your grief.

Brooks and Dick Nanna - April 09, 2024 at 12:00 AM

KA

“ My soul, mind, body aches from your disappearance. We will be united someday in my future and it will be wonderful. Until then I will be teaching Hunter all about you.

Karen Adams - April 09, 2024 at 12:00 AM

CS

“ My heart goes out to you, Danny and Rhonda. I feel I have enjoyed Ben growing up through Danny's stories in the OR, and I am saddened for you so very much. You are in my prayers!

Cathy Slusher - April 09, 2024 at 12:00 AM

JM

“ I was friends with Ben for the greater portion of his life. We grew up together, were great friends through all of grade school, and had many fun times together in our college years. Ben was as steadfast of a human being as God has ever made. He was loyal, honest, and straightforward. What you saw is what you got. Ben was firm in his convictions - which you knew if you ever tried to debate anything with him (which we often did). I extend my condolences to his wonderful family, they are first class in every aspect and I am so sorry for their loss.

Joshua Miller - April 09, 2024 at 12:00 AM

JM

“ I’ve known little Ben since he was a baby. Watching him grow over the years I was always impressed by his kindness, humor, and humility. He always took the time, always, to sit and chat with me when I was visiting his Mom, my friend Rhonda. I have no words to offer his precious loved ones. I know he was deeply loved by Rhonda, Danny, Jacob and Grandma Grove, their mutual love and pride for him was constantly evident. You are all especially in my thoughts and prayers.

Jane Miller - April 08, 2024 at 12:00 AM

BS

“ My thoughts and prayers are with each of you so sorry to hear of his passing I learned to know him when he was just a young boy when I cleaned for Rhonda and Daniel and he was such a kind and sweet young man .God received a very special angel and I am sure he will be missed by many.

Barbara Strawderman - April 08, 2024 at 12:00 AM

DK

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KB

“ Sorry to hear the passing of such a wonderful person worked with Ben at Sheetz ! He will greatly be missed for friendless to everyone
Rip friend

Karen Burner - April 08, 2024 at 12:00 AM