



Brad Scott Sternberg

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Brad Scott Sternberg passed away on October 13th, 2025. Brad was born on August 23rd, 1988, in Englewood, NJ, the son of Eric and Madeline Sternberg. Brad is survived by his wife, Katie, of the home, and their three children, Ellington, Ellary, and Endy - the lights of his life. Brad was a devoted and loving father who found his greatest joy in spending time with his kids, cheering them on in everything they did, and making sure they always knew how deeply they were loved. He was also a loyal husband, son, brother, and friend, known for his humor, kindness, and the way he made everyone around him feel valued.

Brad's life was defined by purpose and compassion. As a teacher of the deaf, he was deeply committed to his students and to making communication accessible for all. His work was more than a career - it was a calling. He poured his heart into helping others be seen, heard, and understood, and his impact will continue to be felt in the lives of those he taught and inspired.

His surviving parents are Eric and Madeline Sternberg of Sarasota, FL, and mother-in-law, Sue Coon of Trenton, MO. Brad is also survived by his sister, Amanda Pearce, and her husband Brendan of Sarasota, FL; nephews, Parker Pearce, Chase Hayes, Brody Hayes, and Zeb Wilson; niece, Paiton Brewer; and sisters-in-law, Dawn Hayes, Casey Stiles, and Lindsey Wendt.

Brad was preceded in death by his father-in-law, Jerry Coon, and grandparents, Irene and Paul Kessler and Judith and Maurice Sternberg.

A memorial service will be held Saturday, October 18, 2025, at 11:00 am at Thomas Funeral Home in Unionville. Visitation will be 1 hour prior, from 10:00 am - 11:00 am.

In lieu of flowers, memorials are suggested to the family and may be entrusted to the Thomas Funeral Home, 709 S. 27th St., Unionville, MO 63565.



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Thomas Funeral Home shared a **Video**.



October 23 at 4:08 PM



Anthony Barzelatto posted:

I had the pleasure of coaching Brad during his time at Tenafly. Brad always had a smile and tried hard in everything he did. May he rest in peace. Tony Barzelatto

November 15 at 1:08 PM



Thomas Funeral Home posted:

October 21 at 6:55 PM



Donna Arthur Salvo, Teacher And Speech Pathologist posted:

I was so sorry to hear of Brad's passing. I always enjoyed working with him at MLHS. He was a great young man and I remember fondly the love Mr. and Mrs. Sternberg had for Brad and all his classmates. May your memories of the good times carry you through and may his family be held tightly together as you travel through this most devastating time.

October 18 at 7:00 PM



Punky Schafer posted:

My thoughts and prayers go out to everyone that knew him.

October 17 at 7:00 PM



The Meisels posted:

With deepest sympathy and love,

October 16 at 7:00 PM



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KW

Kelly Walter posted:

Praying for Katie and the kids. Does anyone know if there's a meal train or anything organized to help them out for the next few weeks?

October 16 at 7:00 PM

SC

Stacey Cochran posted:

Brad was a wonderful member of our Region 1 team at Great Prairie AEA. He was dedicated, kind, and always willing to help others. Brad always had a smile on his face. His warmth and positivity made a lasting impact on everyone who had the privilege of working with him. He will be deeply missed by all of us. Albia Secretaries, Stacey Cochran & Tess Koehn

October 16 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

I am so sorry for your insurmountable pain and loss of Brad. Linda Layne

October 16 at 7:00 PM

PL

Paula Leach posted:

In memory of Brad.

October 16 at 7:00 PM

PG

Peggy Gelman posted:

Eric and Maddy, So sorry to hear of your tragic loss. May Brad's memory be a blessing. Love and prayers, Peggy Gelman

October 15 at 7:00 PM

KM

Karen Manning posted:

I am terribly sad to hear this. Keeping you and your family in my thoughts and prayers.

October 15 at 7:00 PM



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DV

Donna Valentino posted:

I cant imagine your loss. As a mother of two, my heart breaks for you. May this tree grow strong in your sons name and his legacy.

October 15 at 7:00 PM

JB

Joe Bock posted:

Rest in Peace my friend Brad. I will always remember the great times we shared in HERD Football 2003 & 2004. Joe Bock

October 15 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Our deepest condolences to all of you on the loss of Brad. Brad was a very kind and special person. May his memory be a blessing.

October 15 at 7:00 PM

JM

Jackie And Todd Morgan posted:

Our thoughts and condolences are with you. May his memory be a blessing to you.

October 15 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

You and the kids remain in our thoughts and prayers. Love and hugs. Love, The Purdys, Becky, Noah & Jacob

October 15 at 7:00 PM

UC

Unionville Caseys posted:

You were very kind to all of us at Casey's, people like you made our jobs easier...you will be missed.

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WA

Whitney Archer posted:

A wonderful husband and father, the love and memories will live on ♥

October 15 at 7:00 PM

PS

Penny Sharp posted:

So very sad. Prayers for his family.

October 15 at 7:00 PM

SN

Sandy Nab posted:

Sending prayers for the family and friends

October 15 at 7:00 PM

RC

Robert Cook posted:

This is devastating. Brad is kind and tough, and determined. I'm sorry that we fell out of touch, but we were proud to learn that Brad was teaching and created a great life for himself and his family. Brad's soul will persist.

October 15 at 7:00 PM

SM

Sherry Mack Munden posted:

This is heart breaking. So very sorry for your loss. Prayers for Katie and the kids. Brad was a great guy.

October 14 at 7:00 PM

TJ

Tisha Kice Jones posted:

This is so awful to hear. I will be praying for Katie and his children.

October 14 at 7:00 PM



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SM

Susan Milner posted:

Thoughts and prayers are with Katie, the kids, and the rest of his family.

October 14 at 7:00 PM

CL

Courtney Lawler posted:

Thoughts and prayers for Katie, the kids, and the rest of the family. May the Holy Spirit surround you all and give you a peace this world cannot give.

October 14 at 7:00 PM

AW

Austin Winter posted:

Thoughts and prayers to the Sternberg Family during this difficult time. I was a senior on the Mountain Lakes Herd Football team with Brad when he was a junior. We played the same position. At the end of each season, the underclassmen speak about the seniors, and I'll never forget when Brad stood up and spoke about me. He was so brave. I still think about it to this day. It meant more coming from him than it ever could coming from anyone else on the team because unlike them, I didn't grow up with Brad. That is why his words still resonate with me to this day. He was genuine and meant every word. Look forward to having a catch with you in heaven. Until we meet again, playmaker.

October 14 at 7:00 PM

AS

A Memorial Tree Was Planted For Brad Scott Sternberg posted:

We are deeply sorry for your loss ~ Thomas Funeral Home - Unionville

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RS

Rita Smith posted:

Sending prayers to all 👤 family and friends

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CA

Cheryl Craig Arnold posted:

Sending prayers 👤 to the family.

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DD

Danielle S. Dekoning posted:

So sorry for the families loss my boss and I just waited on him monday in BP he was such a friendly person

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SB

Sher-Re Bird posted:

So sorry for the family's loss. I recall meeting this family once before and you could easily see the love they all had for each other. Sending prayers for strength and comfort.

October 14 at 7:00 PM

CW

Cathy Walsh posted:

So sorry to hear this. Thoughts and prayers for all the family. 🙏🙏

October 14 at 7:00 PM

MC

Mary Anne Hawley Catalano posted:

So very sorry to hear this sad news. I remember Brad fondly from Lake Drive School. My condolences to his family and friends.

October 14 at 7:00 PM

CG

Cryssie Gardner posted:

So very sorry to see this! Praying for all. 🙏🙏🙏

October 14 at 7:00 PM

MS

Mitzi Smith Shipley posted:

So very sorry to see this... Prayers for his family 🙏

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RA

Rick Adkins posted:

sO VERY TRAGIC!!

October 14 at 7:00 PM

KV

Kathy Valentine posted:

Sorry for your loss sending prayers to you and your family 🙏🙏❤️

October 14 at 7:00 PM

SJ

Shyrel Johnson posted:

Sorry for your loss My thoughts and prayers are with his family 🙏🙏🦋🙏🙏🦋🙏🙏🦋🙏🙏🦋🙏🙏🦋

October 14 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

The love for a son is so very special.

October 14 at 7:00 PM

IE

Irwin, Valerie, Raphael And Eliana posted:

The Zim Bono family extends its love and support. Always. May these trees serve as a living tribute in memory of Brad.

October 14 at 7:00 PM

MS

Michel Blum And Rebecca Schwartz posted:

Thinking of you all and sending our heart felt condolences. Sending prayers and love.

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SC

Sandy Clark posted:

Thinking of you all with love and deepest condolences 🙏

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RT

Renea Thompkins posted:

Prayers

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MK

Megan Kirkland posted:

Prayers for Brad's family 🙏

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SC

Sonja Pancrazio Carson posted:

Prayers for Brads family.

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KH

Kim Harlan posted:

Prayers for Katie and family. We are so sorry. ❤️

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LK

Lynne Koch posted:

Prayers for the family

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KM

Kayla Young Montgomery posted:

Prayers for the family and Brad.

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CS

Cherie Smith posted:

Prayers for the family 🙏

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AW

Amber Worley posted:

Prayers to his family he was auch a delight

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BJ

Brenna Jeffries posted:

Prayers to Katie and the family! ❤️ So very sorry.

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TH

The Horns posted:

Our deepest condolences to you and your family.

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JS

Jody And The Shorties posted:

MyBrads spirit grow on through the lives of his family, especially Katie and his 3 beautiful children!

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LD

Larry, Sandra, Priscilla & David posted:

our deepest condolences Sandra, Larry, Priscilla & David

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SD

Susan And Jonathan Doneson posted:

Sending my deepest sympathy

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YT

Your Friends At Full Circle Trends posted:

Sending our deepest condolences

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Anonymous posted:

I know I cant do anything to make this better, but I am here for you. I offer my heartfelt condolences.

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Langston Ware posted:

I'll never forget how Brad would not back down from learning how to get bigger, faster, and stronger. He was a heck of an athlete but more a friend in what he taught me in all our training sessions. Rest in peace Brad. I'll miss you. Langston Ware Personal Trainer/Friend

October 14 at 7:00 PM



Timara Ekstein posted:

Im so sorry for your loss. He was a great teacher and helped my family so much. He will be greatly missed.

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Diane McClain posted:

I am so sorry. 🙏

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TH

Tom & Karym Hoens posted:

It is with profound sadness that the Hoens Family hears about Brad's passing through the veil. We have many fond memories of him from a toddler through his school years. I has such vivid memories of him playing with my son Erick, sleepovers, the Lake Drive School, Deaf Events, Socials, Holidays, Cub/Boy Scouts, Football, Prom and Graduation. He is a beautiful soul that could make people laugh. He was curious about the world and how it worked. He wanted to understand his deafness. So much so that he contacted the writer and Author Henry Kisor - What's That Pig Outdoors?: A Memoir of Deafness. There was a special bond of light that Brad and his dad had together. When they were together they radiated the sun. His love for his mother and sister was equally deep. Especially when he found out that Amanda was tutoring the Syracuse University basketball team in college. ;-) There are no words to describe the profound loss that the whole family is feeling. It cuts the soul like a knife and then some. No parent, grandparent, wife, child or other family member should know this pain. It was noticed and greatly appreciated when the Sternbergs' honored our youngest son Jeff when he passed through the veil. We are here for you now as you live this deep grief. The pictures are a small window to happier times. We they are images that radiated love and all that is good. Eternally - The Hoens Family

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JP

Julie Bessler Pribyl posted:

Many prayers for Katie & the kids during this difficult time. May God hold you tight in his everlasting love.

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Anonymous posted:

May these trees grow strong and bring renewed life wherever they are planted in honor of Brad and his family With Eternal Love

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EM

Erika Melendez posted:

My deepest condolences goes out to the families and friends. Brad, you were always so kind and made me laugh! I will forever cherish all memories from elementary school, middle school, and high school! Rest in peace. ❤️

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MK

Moty Kestenbaum posted:

My deepest condolences to you and your family .I am so sorry for your lossMay his memory be a blessing 🕯️ Baruch dayan ha'emet 🕯️

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GG

Gina Walter-Dunn Special Education Consultant Gpaea posted:

My deepest sympathies on your loss.

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DG

Doug-June Gadberry posted:

My heart is breaking for this family. 🧑

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TJ

Terri Jones posted:

My thoughts and prayers are with Katie and family at this time of huge loss.

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Media

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Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Brad by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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