



Bryan Sarkis Yahnian

September 4, 1957 - June 23, 2021

Bryan Sarkis Yahnian was born on September 4, 1957, to Sarkis and Sylvia Yahnian in Tulare, California. Bryan was the eldest of three siblings, Richard and David. Bryan and his brothers were raised on their family farm in Visalia. When Bryan was 16, he joined the Triple X Juniors Fraternity. He then graduated from Redwood High School in 1976 and then attended the College of Sequoias and received a degree in Agricultural Science.

Bryan married Renee Bagdasarion on February 1, 1986 and were blessed with three wonderful children, Jordan Sarkis, Kevin Bryan, and Mikelle Lena. Bryan farmed walnuts for 42 years before retiring in 2019, he then took a position in sales at Quality Machinery in Tulare.

Bryan is survived by his wife of 35 years, Renee, his children and their spouses, Jordan and Nina Yahnian, Kevin and Aida Yahnian, Mikelle and Daniel Hairabedian and his grandchildren Mila and Layla Yahnian. He is also survived by his parents, Sarkis and Sylvia Yahnian, his siblings Richard Yahnian, David and Jennifer Yahnian, and many nieces and nephews.

Services will be held at St. Mary Armenian Church, 14395 Ave 384, Yettam, CA 93670. The church service will begin on Tuesday, July 6 @ 10:00am. The graveside service will immediately follow church services. A memorial luncheon will be held at St. Mary Armenian Church following the graveside

service.

Previous Events

Funeral

JUL 6. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (PT)

St. Mary Armenian Apostolic Church
14395 Ave. 384
Yetttem, CA 93670

Graveside

JUL 6. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (PT)

Visalia District Cemetery
1300 W Goshen Ave
Visalia, CA 93291

Reception

JUL 6. 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (PT)

St. Mary Armenian Apostolic Church
14395 Ave. 384
Yetttem, CA 93670

Tribute Wall



“ *Salser & Dillard Funeral Chapel created a Tribute Video in memory of Bryan Sarkis Yahnian*



Salser & Dillard Funeral Chapel - July 03, 2021 at 01:18 PM

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“ *To Renee and family, Uncle Sark, Aunt Silvia, Richard & David, Wendy and I were very saddened to hear of Brian's passing. Just shocking to us. We are grateful to have him be a part of our lives. The many memories we shared at church, school, ACYO, winter retreats, farming, visiting Chicago, etc. will never be forgotten. I still laugh thinking of Bryan, Alan & I driving in Bryan's truck listening to Richard Pryor. I am fortunate to have him as one of my groomsmen in our wedding. All great times together. He will be missed but not forgotten. I'm sorry we could not be there at this sad time. I pray that God gives all of you strength to get through this difficult time. May God illuminate his soul. Our condolences, Larry & Wendy Farsakian Glenview, Illinois*

Larry Farsakian - July 05, 2021 at 10:14 PM