



Michael Shawn Branum

December 20, 1980 - January 17, 2026

Lubbock, TX - Michael Shawn Branum, a beloved son, father, brother, and friend, passed away peacefully on January 17, 2026, at the age of 45. Born on December 20, 1980, in Lubbock, TX, Michael lived a life full of passion, dedication, and resilience.

A proud graduate of Coronado High School and Texas Tech University, Michael earned his Bachelor's Degree in business and embarked on a successful career as an insurance agent. He worked alongside his father at the Branum Insurance Agency, where he became a trusted advisor and a respected figure in the Lubbock community.

Michael was not only known for his professional accomplishments but also for his many talents. An accomplished athlete, he excelled in both baseball and football, showcasing his competitive spirit and teamwork from a young age. He received a baseball scholarship from Borger Junior College. In his leisure, he found joy in fishing and was a skilled billiard player, often captivating friends with his prowess at the pool table.

Michael is survived by his loving mother, Gail Branum; his devoted brother, Matt Branum; and his three cherished children, Caleb, Brooklyn, and Ethan Branum. His family was the center of his world, and he cherished every moment spent with them.

In honor of Michael's life, a memorial service will be held on January 31, 2026, at 10:30 AM at Sanders Memorial Chapel in Lubbock, TX. Friends, family, and all who knew Michael are invited to celebrate his remarkable life and the joyful memories he created. There will be a reception to follow from 1-3 at GolfSuites Lubbock.

Following the service, Michael will be laid to rest with dignity. His legacy will live on in the hearts of those he touched, as well as in the stories that will be shared in his memory. He will be missed deeply, but his spirit will remain a guiding light for all who loved him.

May he rest in peace, surrounded by the love he so freely shared throughout his life.

Michael was preceded in death by: Johnny Branum

Cemetery Details

Miller Crematory

202 Avenue Q
Lubbock, TX 79415

Previous Events

Memorial Service

JAN **31**. 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM (CT)

Sanders Memorial Chapel
1420 Main Street
Lubbock, TX 79401

Tribute Wall



“ Sanders Funeral Home created a Webcast in memory of Michael Shawn Branum



Sanders Funeral Home - January 31 at 10:25 AM



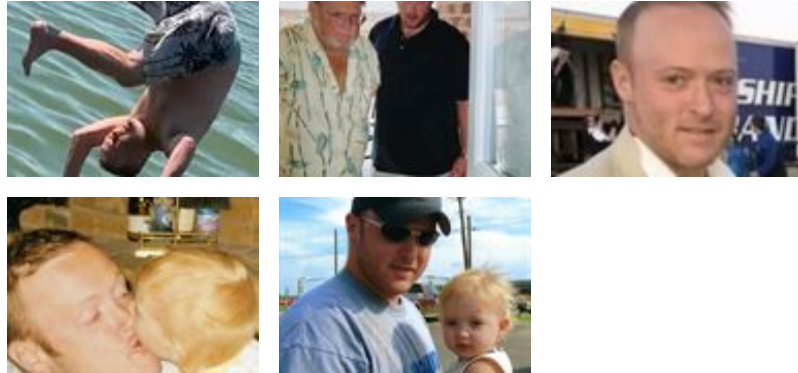
“ Sanders Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Michael Shawn Branum



Sanders Funeral Home - January 29 at 05:53 PM



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“ Kim Blades and Team (AmWINS Ins.) purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Michael Shawn Branum.



Kim Blades and Team (AmWINS Ins.) - January 28 at 04:14 PM



“ I truly enjoyed your friendship all these years, going to miss you.



Kim Blades - January 28 at 04:03 PM

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“ *Patrick Walsh family purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Michael Shawn Branum.*



Patrick Walsh family - January 28 at 09:25 AM