



## Dwight Richard Arnott

March 5, 1953 - April 25, 2022

Mr. Dwight Richard Arnott passed away on Monday, April 25, 2022, surrounded by friends at his home in Butte. He was born Thursday, March 5, 1953 in Malta, Montana to Bernard R. and Ruth A. (Mittlestadt) Arnott.

Dwight spent his childhood in Hinsdale, MT before moving on to Missoula to attend the University of Montana and graduating with a BA in History. Dwight moved around a bit before returning to Missoula where he worked for too many years at Casa Pablos Mexican Restaurant. The high point of his career came when the restaurant finally failed, and he locked the door for the last time to retire to his beloved adopted hometown of Butte.

Dwight found a welcoming community in Butte. He was honored to be a Friar Minister with the St. Bridget Benedictine House of Prayer here in Butte, a pioneering member of the Butte chapter of STI and an active member of A.A. for decades. Dwight's dedication to prayer, mediation and the wellbeing of others was evident for all to see. He exuded an inner peace and was always quick to offer calming words of encouragement to those that suffered. No one ever left Dwight's side without receiving a St. Jude medal or Rosary from what seemed like an endless supply! His calming demeanor and presence will be missed by a great many folks who called him a friend.

He is survived by his sister, Mary Gayle Van Ingen. Cremation has taken

place. Memorial services will be conducted tomorrow, Wednesday, June 15, 2022 in Wayrynen-Richards Funeral Home at 10 am with Father Thomas Haffey officiating. A reception at St. Ann's Church Hall will follow.

# Previous Events

## Memorial Service

JUN 14. 10:00 AM (MT)

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