

Ramona M. Long Chase/Bruguier, 46, of Eagle Butte, entered the spirit world, Sunday August 23, 2026, at 3:15 a.m. at Monument Health, Rapid City, SD

Ramona Michelle Long Chase was born March 2, 1980, in Eagle Butte, South Dakota, to Delvina Morrison and Mathew Bruguier. She grew up in Eagle Butte with her many siblings and later earned her G.E.D. Ramona worked at Hot Stuff Pizza, Taco John's, and Ampride.

Ramona was a very self-sufficient and independent woman. She was caring, selfless, strong, and lived her life with integrity. She was humble and always willing to help anyone in need. Ramona especially enjoyed doing makeup and spending time with her friends.

Those who knew Ramona always seemed to have a heartfelt, funny, or even crazy story to share about her. Her laughter, helpful nature, and beautiful smile were contagious. Ramona had a love of the color pink and adored Hello Kitty. She was a flower in a windstorm and will be deeply missed.

In her younger years, Ramona embraced her unique personality. She was a self-described "goth" and loved skateboarding. Later, she met the father of her children and became the proud mother of three beautiful children: Julie K. Iron Rope, Stormey Bruguier, and Tyler Bruguier.

In 2015, Ramona met the love of her life, Willard Demery. They had no other children but he loved his stepchildren like they were his own.

Ramona is survived by her children: Julie Iron Rope and Tyler Bruguier; siblings: Richard, Rhea, Arlen and Narcisse Bruguier and Stanley Morrison,

She was preceded in death by his parents; grandparents: Eugene and Margaret (Janis) Bruguier; daughter: Stormey Bruguier; siblings: Ronda, Delano Bruguier, Merlin, Kenneth, and Ramona Bruguier; cousins: Delbert, Mildred, Roberta, Delma and Merle Bruguier; nieces: Sheyanne and Shawn Bruguier.



In Memory Of
Ramona Long Chase/Bruguier
March 2, 1980 - August 23, 2026



To Those I Love And Those Who Love Me

When I am gone, release me, let me go,
I have many things to see and do
You mustn't tie yourself to me with tears.
Be happy that we had so many years.

I gave to you my love. You can only guess
How much you gave me in happiness
I thank you for the love you each have shown
But now it's time I traveled on alone.

So grieve a while for me, if grieve you must;
Then let your grief be comforted by trust.
It's only for a time that we must part,
So bless the memories that lie within your heart.

I won't be far away, for life goes on.
So if you need me call and I will come
Though you can't see me or touch me I'll be near.
And if you listen with your heart you will hear
All of my love around you soft and clear.
And then, when you come this way alone....
I'll greet you with a smile and say
"WELCOME HOME"



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WAKE SERVICE

6:00 p.m., Wednesday, September 09, 2026
St. John's Episcopal Church
Eagle Butte, South Dakota

FUNERAL SERVICE

10:00 a.m., Thursday, September 10, 2026
St. John's Episcopal Church
Eagle Butte, South Dakota

OFFICIATING

Mother Ellen Huber
Deacon Iva Traversie
Shirley Dog Eagle

CASKETBEARERS

Stanley Morrison - Nick Uses the Knife
Andy "Bullet" High Bear - Elvira Traversie
Tyler Bruguier - Logan Stengel
Anna " Bears" High Bear - Cruz Bruguier
Darvis One Skunk - Kendra & "Smudgebob"

HONORARY CASKETBEARERS

Arlene Demery - Frenchy Demery
Debra Guardipee - Leighla Rivers
Haylee Jayde Wells - High Bear Family
Elizabeth Garter - Eagle Chasing Family
Chalsey N. Moran, - Elizabeth "Tiny" Moran
Pat High Bear - Paulamae High Bear
Ryan Cook

DRUM GROUP

Wakinyan Maza Hóka Wičasa

BURIAL

St. Andrew's Episcopal Cemetery
Cherry Creek, South Dakota