

# Bruce Harrington

Obituary

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Harrington, Bruce E.

Bruce E. Harrington, beloved husband and father, passed away early Thursday August 22, 2013 at home after a long and courageous battle with cancer. Born April 24, 1959 in San Antonio, Texas, he was the son of George and Phyllis Harrington. When Bruce was six weeks old, they all moved to Chatham, NJ where he went to school up through high school. He then went on to graduate from Ithaca College where he received his degree in Radio/Television Communications. He spent the early years of his career at the newly created ESPN, then Prime Network in Houston, TX to America's Health Network in Orlando where he met his wife Barbara. The couple moved to Fairfield, CT., when Bruce became Director of Customer Support Engineering at PanAmSat in Greenwich. Then came Erin, his bright, creative and beautiful daughter. Bruce enjoyed browsing the magazine aisle at any store, reading his extensive collection of magazines and watching his Dallas Cowboys and NY Yankees. He was known for his quick wit and a handshake and smile for everyone. In addition to his wife Barbara and his daughter Erin, Survivors include his parents George and Phyllis Harrington of San Antonio, Texas, his sister Joyce and her husband David and their children Katie, Colleen of San Diego, CA. Also survived by his in laws Rod and Bonnie McClure of Orlando, his Aunt Barbara Smith of Newington, CT., two brothers in law Bruce and his wife Tammy of Orlando and their children Rachel and Sarah., and James and his wife Jen. A Funeral Service will be held Tuesday August 27, 2013 at 11:00 AM in the Spear - Miller Funeral Home 39 South Benson Road Fairfield, CT. Friends may greet the family Monday August 26, 2013 from 5-8PM in the funeral home. Interment will be private. Contributions in memory of Bruce may be made to the Pequot Library 120 Pequot Ave. Southport, CT. 06490 or [www.pequotlibrary.org](http://www.pequotlibrary.org).



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