



Jeffrey Dean Nyren

December 29, 1967 - November 18, 2018

Jeffrey Dean Nyren, age 50, of Omaha, Nebraska and formerly of Storm Lake and Albert City, Iowa, passed away on Sunday, November 18, 2018 at CHI Health Mercy Hospital in Council Bluffs, Iowa, comforted by his daughters.

A Celebration of Life Service will be held on Saturday, November 24, 2018 at 11:00 a.m. at the Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home in Storm Lake. Burial will take place at a later date. The family will be available beginning at 10:00 am and after the celebration. The Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home in Storm Lake is in charge of the arrangements.

Jeff was born on December 29, 1967 in Jefferson, Iowa to Dean and Mary (Taylor) Nyren. He spent his years growing up in Albert City and was known as the class clown by all. Upon graduating high school in 1986 from Albert City-Truesdale, he attended Iowa Lakes Community College for Criminal Justice.

Jeff's first police job was as a patrolman with the City of Remsen. He subsequently was an officer with the City of Perry and later worked his way up to Detective at the City of Storm Lake. Several of Jeff's accomplishments in criminal justice include being a trained EMTI, baton instructor, defensive tactics instructor, SCUBA certified, hostage negotiator, and school resource officer. One of Jeff's career highlights was being featured on World's Wildest Police Chases.

Those left to cherish his memory include his daughters, Alexandria (Micheal) Keller of Onawa, Iowa and Teagan Nyren (Keith Winger fiance) of Storm Lake, Iowa; father and mother, Dean and Mary Nyren of Albert City, Iowa; brother, Thomas (Karla) Nyren of Johnston, Iowa; niece and nephew, Emily and Nicholas Nyren; and many aunts, uncles, and cousins.

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

NOV **24**. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

EW

“ I am so sorry for your loss. Was a total shock to see your post on Facebook. Don't know if your dad ever talked about his years at Iowa Lakes college but my son Terry and Jeff were best friends. Jeff spent many weekends at our house and we always thought of him as one of our boys! We were so glad him and Terry were such good friends. Terry was killed in a car accident in June, 1988. So hard to believe they are both gone now but we know they will always be here in our hearts and watching over us. I had just gotten connected with Jeff on facebook and was thinking he was getting along better. You are all in my thoughts and prayers.

Elaine Wilderman

Elaine Wilderman - November 28, 2018 at 08:53 PM

MF

“ Mary Farrell lit a candle in memory of Jeffrey Dean Nyren



Mary Farrell - November 23, 2018 at 07:37 PM

DJ

“ Dorrie & Joel purchased the Floor Plant for Sympathy for the family of Jeffrey Dean Nyren.



Dorrie & Joel - November 22, 2018 at 06:27 PM



“ Floor Plant for Sympathy was purchased for the family of Jeffrey Dean Nyren.



November 22, 2018 at 12:18 PM



“ *Plants-A-Plenty was purchased for the family of Jeffrey Dean Nyren.*



November 21, 2018 at 07:55 PM

CP

“ *Jeff was so funny at school one time we had A big five Pound Container of dried parsley one of the custodians one of the container to go out and spread icemelt so I emptied it into a bag and set it back on the shelf without marking it just came in later for coffee and asked what was going on in the kitchen with the green pot in the bag.*

Cindy pedersen - November 21, 2018 at 02:18 PM



“ *2 files added to the album Memories Album*



Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home - November 21, 2018 at 09:40 AM

TG

“ *The wonderful thing about Facebook... I live in Phoenix AZ but attended Albert City-Truesdale school in 2nd and 3rd grade and remember Jeff being kind and friendly to me as the “new” kid. Now, some 40 years later, Jeff reached out to me and sought me out as a Facebook friend. How marvelous to be remembered by someone after all that time! I think that speaks to the character of Jeff. As a fellow believer in Jesus, I am confident of seeing Jeff again someday! Peace, my friend!*

Terry Garberding - November 20, 2018 at 11:47 PM

SH

“ *Steven & Susan Habben lit a candle in memory of Jeffrey Dean Nyren*



Steven & Susan Habben - November 20, 2018 at 04:54 PM



“ *Healing Tears - Blue and White* was purchased for the family of Jeffrey Dean Nyren.



November 20, 2018 at 04:04 PM

SM

“ *Sarah McClure lit a candle in memory of Jeffrey Dean Nyren*



Sarah McClure - November 20, 2018 at 01:11 PM

NS

“ *Nancy Snyder lit a candle in memory of Jeffrey Dean Nyren*



Nancy Snyder - November 20, 2018 at 11:51 AM

AN

“ *Andy Nunn purchased the Healing Tears - Blue and White for the family of Jeffrey Dean Nyren.*



Andy Nunn - November 20, 2018 at 10:49 AM

BH

“ *Barry & Shelly Hammen lit a candle in memory of Jeffrey Dean Nyren*



Barry & Shelly Hammen - November 20, 2018 at 10:20 AM



“ A sympathy card was purchased for the family of Jeffrey Dean Nyren.



November 20, 2018 at 10:18 AM



“ Jeff brought amazing beauty into my life via Alex and Teagan. He stood up with Beany and me on our wedding day. I'm grateful for him and so sad.

November 20, 2018 at 07:27 AM



“ Nyren always saw the good in the people around him, adored his kids. He was my brother in Christ and I will miss him.



Jay Wicht - November 19, 2018 at 10:01 PM



“ Your father was a kind, decent man in a hard world. God bless both you girls in this hard time, my thoughts and prayers are with you.

M. Leo Marks, MI - November 19, 2018 at 09:44 PM



“ Lisa Clark lit a candle in memory of Jeffrey Dean Nyren



Lisa Clark - November 19, 2018 at 09:00 PM



“ My heart goes out to the Nyren family. Prayers to you all. RIP Jeff.

Jason Stoltzfus

Jason Stoltzfus - November 19, 2018 at 08:59 PM

ME

“ *Mary Ellis lit a candle in memory of Jeffrey Dean Nyren*



Mary Ellis - November 19, 2018 at 07:55 PM

JO

“ *Jeff & Marjean O'Bannon lit a candle in memory of Jeffrey Dean Nyren*



Jeff & Marjean O'Bannon - November 19, 2018 at 07:13 PM

VH

“ *Virg & Jo Habben lit a candle in memory of Jeffrey Dean Nyren*



Virg & Jo Habben - November 19, 2018 at 07:01 PM



“ *We have wonderful memories of Jeff. He was always thoughtful and we enjoyed visiting and being around Jeff. He and Tom were the greatest babysitters too. You all have our deepest sympathy at this hard time. May God wrap his arms around you. Duane n Tammi*



Duane Tammi Schnetter - November 19, 2018 at 06:48 PM

DJ

“ *Deb And Kevin Jesse lit a candle in memory of Jeffrey Dean Nyren*



Deb and Kevin Jesse - November 19, 2018 at 06:26 PM



“ Jeff was one of the people who helped me over and over again in the early days of ministry. He was my brother in Christ and I look forward to seeing him again someday.
- Your race is finished, my friend.

Christopher Buscher - November 19, 2018 at 04:27 PM



“ Michelle Henderson lit a candle in memory of Jeffrey Dean Nyren



Michelle Henderson - November 19, 2018 at 04:13 PM