



## John Michael Hale

November 9, 1988 - March 23, 2019

John Hale, age 30, of Greenfield, Iowa and formerly of Sioux Rapids, Iowa died Saturday, March 23, 2019 at Mercy Medical Center in Des Moines, Iowa.

Memorial services will take place Saturday, March 30, 2019 at 1:30 p.m. at Our Savior's Lutheran Church in Rembrandt. Burial will be in the Little Sioux Valley Cemetery in Rembrandt. The Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home in Storm Lake is in charge of the arrangements.

John Michael Hale was born November 9, 1988 in Omaha, Nebraska the son of Raymond "Mike" and Elaine (Doherty) Hale. As an infant, John was baptized at Our Savior's Lutheran Church in Rembrandt, Iowa.

Growing up, he attended and graduated from Sioux Central High School in 2007. In 2013, he attended HDS Trucking School. He drove truck for Sickles Trucking.

John had a variety of interests, which included racing, fishing, hockey, football and bowling. He also enjoyed camping, carpentry and being a motor head. He was always there to lend a helping hand and pitch in. John kept a positive attitude throughout his life journey. He was very particular about his semi-truck and kept it spotless. He always knew if someone had driven it. John will be deeply missed by all who knew and loved him.

Those left to cherish his memories include his mother, Elaine Hale; fiancée, Andrea Nail; future brother-in-law, David (Paige) Nail; future sister-in-law, Brandi (Cory) Buckalew; future mother-in-law and father-in-law, David and Brenda Nail; aunts and uncles: John Doherty; Doreen (Tim) Morris; Laurie (Mike) Ziegler; Teresa Lammers; Kim (Ed) Farris; Lisa Huffer; Jeanne lehl; Angie (Charlie) Grienke; many cousins; nieces; nephews; special friends; extended family; dog, Xavier; and cats: Midnight and Oreo.

John was preceded in death by his father, Raymond "Mike" Hale; grandparents, John and Margie Doherty; Raymond and Wilma Hale; and uncles: Everett Huffer and Kevin lehl.

# Previous Events

## Memorial Service

MAR **30**. 1:30 PM (CT)

Our Saviour's Lutheran Church  
Rembrandt  
Rembrandt, IA 50576

# Tribute Wall



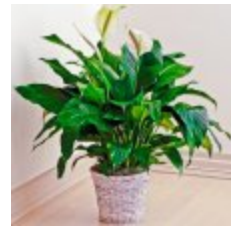
“ *Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of John Michael Hale*



Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home - March 29, 2019 at 01:05 PM



“ *Floor Plant for Sympathy was purchased for the family of John Michael Hale.*



March 29, 2019 at 01:59 PM



“ *2 files added to the tribute wall*



Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Homes - March 29, 2019 at 01:30 PM



“ Peace, Prayers, & Blessings- Lavender and White was purchased for the family of John Michael Hale.



March 28, 2019 at 02:46 PM



“ Elaine, my heart breaks for you. Sometimes life dishes out more than we can bear. This has to be one of those times for you. You always lit up when talking about John and Mike. I'm hoping your memories and faith will carry you through these tough days and you'll find comfort for the years ahead.



**Sue Morrow** - March 27, 2019 at 02:15 PM



“ Floor Plant for Sympathy was purchased for the family of John Michael Hale.



March 27, 2019 at 01:17 PM



“ John your were special the day you were born til the very end, I have never known you not to fight your entire life. But you always had a positive attitude and was always joking around. John there are so many memories of you and all the cousins, John I will miss you dearly I love you so much rip #finishedearly

**Laurie Ziegler** - March 26, 2019 at 03:24 PM

Terra Sheehan-Sievers

“ Terra Sheehan-Sievers sent a virtual gift in memory of John Michael Hale



Terra Sheehan-Sievers - March 26, 2019 at 02:33 PM

Terra Sheehan-Sievers

“ Terra Sheehan-Sievers lit a candle in memory of John Michael Hale



Terra Sheehan-Sievers - March 26, 2019 at 02:31 PM

SA

“ Elaine, There are no words that can appropriately express my heartfelt sympathy for the loss of John. He was the sweetest and cutest boy. I will never forget that boy with the big eyes and gorgeous hair. I love you, and pray that God sends his strongest Angels to comfort you. May the stars and moon pour their healing light on you 🙏

Sandy - March 26, 2019 at 02:27 PM

TD

“ Toni Doyle lit a candle in memory of John Michael Hale



Toni Doyle - March 25, 2019 at 09:13 PM

ML

“ *Elaine, I am so very sorry about John's passing. I will always remember that sweet boy with the great big smile, who came to the library. Watching him grow up was a pleasure. He was such a great kid. Wish there were words that could help, but as I well know, time is the only help .Love you my friend. All my prayers to you and your family*

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**Martha Landsness** - March 25, 2019 at 08:54 PM

TA

“ *There are to many to count but one of my favs is going to Skatedaze and he won a fake gold ring and put it in his nose (like a bull) and I believed he pierced it, his laugh was contagious*

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**Tanya** - March 25, 2019 at 07:51 PM

DH

“ *Doris Harvey lit a candle in memory of John Michael Hale*



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**Doris Harvey** - March 25, 2019 at 06:27 PM

JK

“ *Jeff And Lory Krummen lit a candle in memory of John Michael Hale*



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**Jeff and Lory Krummen** - March 25, 2019 at 02:37 PM