



Earl Hilderbrand



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Mr. Earl T. Hilderbrand, age 42, passed away Tuesday, March 15, in New York. Earl was born January 18, 1969 to John T. and Sally N. (Johnson) Hilderbrand in Muskegon, and lived most of his life here. He was a tractor-trailer driver for Equity Transportation in Walker. Earl is survived by his wife Marilyn; 3 children, Travis, Joshua, and Kayla Hilderbrand; 1 grandchild, Madisyn; 1 brother, Richard James Hilderbrand. He was preceded in death by his parents; and 1 brother, Thomas Dean Hilderbrand. A MEMORIAL SERVICE will be held at 11:00 AM Saturday, March 26, at Wolf Lake Baptist Church, 1070 S. Wolf Lake Rd. VISITATION will be 1 hour prior to the service. You may sign the family's on-line guest book at www.sytsemafh.com Memorials, in lieu of flowers, may be made to the family. Arrangements by The Sytsema Chapel
Sytsema Funeral Homes, Inc.
737 Apple Ave.
(231) 726-5210



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Anonymous posted:

I am very sorry to hear of your loss. The Bible talks of being gathered with our people. (Earl is not alone) The last time I saw Earl was a few years back in Chicago at the airport. All flights were down due to poor weather. As the passengers waited throughout the night. Earl was offered a ride back to Musk. in a rental car that had only room for one more. He offered to stay behind to keep me company (take care of the old folks) I was touched by his concern.##imported-begin##Kathy Coon##imported-end##

April 26 at 8:55 AM



Anonymous posted:

Cousin Earl, we are going to miss you sooo very much. You were definately the one to make everyone laugh and you were such a kind person to all that you met, your parents would have been proud of you. To Travis, Josh, Kayla and Marilyn time will heal the pain, he is gone but never forgotten and will forever be in our hearts until we meet again.##imported-begin##Michael and Jamie Hilderbrand##imported-end##

March 25 at 12:11 PM



Anonymous posted:

I went to school with Earl. Many prayers are being said for your family. God Bless.##imported-begin##Kate VanGelder (Kathy Gilson)##imported-end##

March 23 at 3:08 PM



Anonymous posted:

Earl the Pearl, I will miss you so much friend. I will miss you always playing tricks on me and calling on the phone. You were always fooling me. I remember all the talks we had and all the funny stuff we laughed about. I will keep my promise to you and watch out for marilyn. I remember the last words I said to you. "i love you neighbor and be careful." best wishes and sincerest sympathies to marilyn and everyone.##imported-begin##Bonnie Vanderstelt##imported-end##

March 23 at 2:27 PM



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Anonymous posted:

Earl The Pearl was one of the nicest guys i ever knew. he helped both Zachery Toth and i each with girl problems. He was always good natured even in the worst of times. I will always remember working with him at AFAB warehouse when one day i was feeling really rotten about being dumped Earl made me feel better. He came up behind me at my machine and said "Hey Richie don't look so sad and serious, don't you know what AFAB stands for?" I said Earl, as a matter of fact i don't. to which Earl Replied "Always Fun At Braces Warehouse." Seriously though he was always brightening me up during the bad times and he did the same for my best friend Zach. On my part he will be sorely missed and the world will go on a slightly grimmer place without him in it. I will always remember him fondly and am thankful i had the priviledge to know him. I hope in time the pain will pass for everyone who lost the big guy. Best regards and my respects R.S. Tripp II##imported-begin##Richard S Tripp II##imported-end##

March 23 at 2:15 PM



Anonymous posted:

What a great picture of Earl. What a shocker with his passing and way way to young. I remember Earl from years ago as someone who had fun at whatever he was doing. R.I.P. Earl. My thoughts and prayers go out to Earl and his family.##imported-begin##Lou Miller Jr.##imported-end##

March 23 at 2:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

The memorial will be saturday march 26 at 11 am at wolf lake baptist##imported-begin##Joshua Hilderbrand##imported-end##

March 21 at 9:39 PM



Anonymous posted:

I am so sorry. I can't believe he's gone. You are in my prayers and thoughts. Let me know if you need anything.##imported-begin##Gay Greenawalt##imported-end##

March 18 at 3:55 PM



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Anonymous posted:

Travis, Josh and Kayla,i am so sorry for your loss, if you ever need anything please let me know, all of you are in my thoughts and prayers##imported-begin##kim Benedict##imported-end##

March 18 at 1:17 PM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Earl by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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