



Lyle David Curtis

January 15, 1968 - September 19, 2017

Lyle David Curtis, 49, of Battle Creek died September 19, 2017. He was born January 15, 1968 to Clare and Mary (Head) Curtis in Marshall. He graduated from Olivet High School in 1986, playing football throughout high school and was always very competitive in his activities, saying, "Anything you can do I can do better." Lyle went to Olivet College for a year, and later enlisted in the Army in 1990. He was a paratrooper with the 82nd Airborne, and loved jumping out of airplanes (he had no fear). Lyle loved to golf, hunt, and especially fish with trips all over Wyoming with his father and mother, and his mom loved to fish as much as he did. He loved sports of all types, and was a big fan of Michigan State University, the Redwings hockey, and Lions football. After he left the Army he was a mail carrier for the Postal Service.

Lyle is survived by his father, Clare Curtis; brother, John (Tamara) Curtis; nephews, Collin (Alissa Heiser) Curtis and Kent Curtis; and great-niece, Emerie Curtis. He was preceded in death by his mother, Mary Curtis; brother, Warren Curtis; and grandparents, John and Violet Curtis.

A graveside memorial service is scheduled at Ft. Custer National Cemetery in Augusta, MI on Thursday, September 28 at 11:30 AM, with the family gathering at Pray Funeral Home at 9:30 AM for procession to the cemetery. If desired, the family suggests memorial contributions to Eaton Community Palliative Care. Friends and family are encouraged to share memories of Lyle

on his Tribute Page at www.PrayFuneral.com. The family is in the care of Pray Funeral Home, Charlotte.

Cemetery Details

Fort Custer National Cemetery

15501 Dickman Road
Augusta, MI 49012

Previous Events

Graveside Service

SEP 28. 11:30 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

CS

“ Clare you have been in our thoughts and prayers. We will always hold the Curtis family dear to our hearts. Lyle was a fun loving guy with a great sense of humor. He loved his family and his sports. Had some fun times with Lyle and thats what I am going to remember about him. Loved life!

Cil Bowen Sill - October 04, 2017 at 06:06 PM

VW

“ I'm so sorry to hear of your loss Clare. My thoughts are with you during this difficult time.

Vicki Whitaker - September 29, 2017 at 07:33 PM

KG

“ Kathy Gardner lit a candle in memory of Lyle David Curtis




Kathy Gardner - September 28, 2017 at 01:13 PM

EH

“ Clare, we are so sorry to hear of your loss. We will keep you in our thoughts and prayers. Earl and Karen Hixson

earl hixson - September 26, 2017 at 10:44 PM

 Laura
Chenoweth
Brown

“ Anyone that knew Lyle knew his kind heart, his passionate spirit, his outgoing personality, and his boisterous humor. He was a joy to work with and a pleasure to know. He will be sorely missed.

Laura Chenoweth Brown - September 26, 2017 at 09:11 PM

CD

“ I worked with Lyle at the Battle Creek Post Office. You could not ask for a more likeable, personable, friendly, and outgoing individual. He made friends quickly because he was easy to talk to, and he made you feel welcome and comfortable in his presence. Thank you, Lyle, for your service to our country. You are missed.

Chuck Dommer - September 26, 2017 at 01:19 PM

JG

“ My heart is saddened to see my friend pass. He was so involved at the Post Office and had many friends that will miss him. My prayers are for his family!
Jeree Gillett

Jeree Gillett - September 26, 2017 at 09:12 AM

CH

Clare so sorry. When I go by the house when I'm in Michigan I want to stop and give you a big hug. Also a peice of Oreo cake. Love you.
CHERRI MARRIOTT

Cherri marriott who used to work at hos - September 26, 2017 at 11:50 AM

MK

“ We are so very sorry for your loss Clare. Our caring thoughts continue with you. Jim & Margaret Pike

Margaret Kyser - September 26, 2017 at 12:02 AM

LS

“ *Linda Seltenright lit a candle in memory of
Lyle David Curtis*



Linda Seltenright - September 25, 2017 at 11:38 PM