



Bryon Lee Peterson

January 22, 1973 - April 4, 2022

Bryon (Bry) Lee Peterson, 49, of Valley City, North Dakota formerly LaMoure, North Dakota passed away Monday, April 4, 2022 in Valley City.

A funeral service will be held 10:30 am, Saturday, April 9 at Holy Rosary Catholic Church LaMoure, North Dakota. Burial with military honors will be at Grand Rapids Cemetery, LaMoure.

Bry's funeral service will be live streamed at: <https://vimeo.com/697553225>
If there should be an interruption in the live stream service, the recording of the funeral service will be placed here as soon as able.

Bryon (Bry) Lee Peterson was born January 22, 1973 in Oakes, North Dakota to Richard and Nancy (Clark) Peterson. He grew up and attended school in LaMoure, North Dakota graduating from LaMoure High School in 1991. Bry was the 135 pound North Dakota high school class B state wrestling champion 1991 for LaMoure High School.

Bry went to basic training the summer after his junior year of high school joining the North Dakota Army National Guard. He served a tour from 2004-2005 with the 141st ECP in Iraq and a tour from 2009-2010 in Kosovo with the 241st BDE. After 21 years of service, Bryon retired from the North Dakota Army National Guard with many achievements including the Bronze Service

Star.

Bry was actively involved in the Red Knights ND-1 motorcycle chapter in Valley City. He was also a volunteer fire fighter for Valley City in the early 2000s. Bry was a skilled carpenter and a handy guy.

Bryon is survived by daughter McKenzi Peterson (Rylee Ringdahl), grandson Beau Ringdahl and daughter Kacey Peterson. Bryon is also survived by his father, Richard Peterson; his sister Sara (Brent) Thielges and their children and grandchildren: Erica, Josh and Crosby Ulmer, James, Brianna, Paige and Jada Thielges and Clark Thielges; his brother Les and Bobbi Peterson and their children: Kendra Peterson, Riley Peterson and Kloe Peterson and his sister Lisa (Jon) Ptacek and their children: Makayla Ptacek, Madi Ptacek and Brody Ptacek.

Bryon is preceded in death by his mother, Nancy and his grandparents.

Memorials may be directed to:
8818-PTSD & Community Engagement
Fargo VA HCA CDCE (135)
2101 North Elm Street, Fargo, ND 58102

Funeral arrangements have been entrusted to the care of Oliver-Nathan Funeral Chapel, Valley City. An online guestbook is available at olivernathanchapel.com

Cemetery Details

Grand Rapids Cemetery

LaMoure County, ND

Previous Events

Funeral Mass

APR 9. 10:30 AM (CT)

Holy Rosary Catholic Church
209 1st St SE
LaMoure, ND 58415

Tribute Wall

LK

“ I deployed with Petey to Kosovo. His office was right in front of my desk. We had some good times, he was always smiling. The picture I included was of us on our four day pass in Indiana just prior to flying to Germany. We went to a Metallica concert with some others from our section. RIP Petey.



Le Ann Klett - April 09, 2022 at 11:48 AM

JS

“ I am so sorry that I am unable to attend Bryon's funeral, but I'm there in spirit. I'd like to offer you my condolences. May God be with you on this difficult day. May God give you peace and comfort as you grieve and celebrate Bryon's life. God Bless You All!

Jodi Spicer - April 09, 2022 at 10:44 AM



“ I met Bryon after he returned from his deployment to Iraq. I worked full-time with Bryon with the National Guard in Valley City. He was a great Supply Sergeant and Retention NCO! He had a great ability to connect with Soldiers and would give anyone the shirt off his back. Rest In Peace my friend! Deb Lien

Deb Lien - April 08, 2022 at 09:43 PM

RR

“ So Sorry to hear this Bryon was a great guy he will be greatly missed. RIP my friend, in our thoughts and prayers with deepest sympathy to the family. Rick Rhone Jr.

Rick Rhone - April 07, 2022 at 08:30 PM

JH

“ I had the privilege of serving with Bryon in the guards. A great friend and a reliable, knowledgeable soldier. I am so sorry to hear of his passing.

Jeff Heitmann - April 07, 2022 at 03:02 PM

JS

“ My thoughts and prayers are with Bryon's family and friends! I was a High School classmate of Bryon. I remember many good times. The most recent time spent with Bryon was this last summer at our 30th class reunion. He has always been a fun and loving guy and he will be missed greatly. Here are a few photos I'd like to share...the good old days!



Jodi Spicer - April 07, 2022 at 03:00 PM



“ *Small Garden Dish was purchased for the family of Bryon Lee Peterson.*



April 07, 2022 at 01:35 PM



“ *I went to college with Bryon at VCSU and we hung in the same circle for a while. Later on I got to know him more when we served together in the North Dakota guard. He was such an even keel, level headed guy--the kind of guy you wanted on your side, especially when things were stressful. I don't think you'd ever find someone who had a bad word to say about Petey--he made everyone feel like they were the most important person in the room. My thoughts and prayers to his family and especially his kids. Rest in Peace, Brother. Anthony Bryant*

Anthony Bryant - April 07, 2022 at 12:18 PM



“ *Bryon was a great mentor to me during our time in Iraq. Great Soldier and Man who I am sure will be missed. My condolences to the family.*
-Joe Francetich

Joe Francetich - April 07, 2022 at 09:14 AM



“ *Dude I would ride with any day of the week! Will miss your sense of humor. Gonna miss those girls of yours! I love you and will never forget you! RIP SFC!*

mo - April 06, 2022 at 11:10 PM



“ Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Bryon Lee Peterson.



April 06, 2022 at 10:11 PM



“ My sympathies to all the family for your loss. I have memories of Bryon as a wrestling partner warming up together at the state wrestling tournament. 🙏🙏🙏

Brian L Jangula - April 06, 2022 at 08:18 PM



“ I had a honor to serve in the ND Army National Guard with Pete. Good man - give you the shirt off his back kind of guy. Rock Solid Soldier. I knew him for years. Friends with him for years...and until I read his obituary I never knew he was a state wrestling champion. That's Bryon Peterson...humble and kind. I'm going to miss you Pete. Rest Easy my friend.

Steve Olson - April 06, 2022 at 07:12 PM



“ Steve & Tanya Olson purchased the Heavenly Light for the family of Bryon Lee Peterson.



Steve & Tanya Olson - April 06, 2022 at 07:07 PM

GP

“ So sorry to hear of your loss, Richard, Sara, Les, Lisa and families.
Ginger Lester Podoll

Ginger Lester Podoll - April 06, 2022 at 06:10 PM

RB

“ *Petey was a heck of a guy! I always loved his stories, his wit and his charismatic smile! He is going to be missed very much! My deepest condolences to the family and may God find you peace during this difficult time! RIP Brother!*

Rich Bohl - April 06, 2022 at 05:26 PM

RB

“ *Rich Bohl lit a candle in memory of Bryon Lee Peterson*



Rich Bohl - April 06, 2022 at 05:22 PM

JN

“ *I grew up with Bryon from 4th grade to high school graduation in 1991 and we both served in the ND Army National Guard. He was a great friend, great soldier and will be missed by all that knew him. RIP Bryon.*

Jeffrey Nichols - April 06, 2022 at 04:48 AM

LF

“ *Petey, was a great soldier, and a great friend. Always, had your back and our country's back. I will miss him. A very sad day. RIP Petey.*

Larry Fontaine - April 06, 2022 at 12:51 AM

SH

I had the privilege of meeting Bryon through his sister Sara. Sara & I both taught at Wishek when Bryon was deployed. At that time Clark was a 3rd grader and very proud of his uncle. We decided to write to Bryon and send him care packages. He became our class's pen pal. We all learned a lot about sacrifice and freedom through Bryon. We salute you Bryon and thank you one last time, for your service. 🇺🇸

Sandy Hoffman - April 08, 2022 at 11:04 PM

KQ

“ Such a great guy with that smile of his, a hello and a hug. No matter how long it had been since you'd seen him. Fond memories of Bryon! Lots of thoughts to his family!

Kathy Quinlan-Alo - April 06, 2022 at 12:02 AM

RB

“ I knew Byron when I worked with him for the National Guard. A hard working, rock-solid soldier who you could always depend on to get the job done. Definitely a guy you would want on your team. Sad news, a great guy. RIP.

Rodney Boll - April 05, 2022 at 10:23 PM

KK

“ Bryon was a kind soul always ready to give you a hug. He was a good cousin! We will love and miss you Buddy!

Kay Kaul - April 05, 2022 at 08:06 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Bryon Lee Peterson.



April 05, 2022 at 07:16 PM