



Matthew David Ferleman

September 5, 1972 - October 10, 2015

CEDAR FALLS- Matthew "Matty" Ferleman died unexpectedly at University of Iowa Hospitals and Clinics on Saturday, October 10, 2015 at the age of 43.

Matt is survived by his niece Megan Biretz of Brandon, Florida, aunt Connie Rinnels of Waterloo, and many more extended family. He is preceded in death by his father David Ferleman, mother Linda Orth, and sister Janie Biretz.

Matt was born on September 5, 1972 in Mason City, Iowa but resided between Cedar Falls, Iowa and Brandon, Florida. He enjoyed spending time with friends and family, volunteering with animal shelters, and fishing. He was very grateful for his dog, Nala.

A memorial visitation will be held at Richardson Funeral Home in Cedar Falls from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturday, October 17th, followed by a luncheon reception at the Cedar Falls AMVETS Post #49. All are welcome to attend and celebrate Matt's life. In lieu flowers and condolences, donations may be made online at: <https://www.gofundme.com/Ferleman>.

Previous Events

Gathering

OCT 17. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Richardson Funeral Service
615 Main Street
Cedar Falls, IA 50613
(319) 266-3525
richardsonfuneralservice@gmail.com
<http://richardson.funeralplan2.com>

Reception

OCT 17. 1:00 PM (CT)

Cedar Falls AMVETS Post #49
1934 Irving Street
Cedar Falls, IA 50613

Tribute Wall

JF

“ Well Matty was a wonderful husband of almost 9 years we went through so much and this was so unexpected and such a loss to me and my daughter we love and miss him so much. I think that he would have been surprised to see all of this. RIP my husband and know that you are always in our hearts and missed dearly.

Jennifer Ferleman - October 18, 2015 at 08:18 PM

DF

“ It saddens my heart to hear the news about Matt. My heart goes out to his family and all who knew him. I met Matt in early 90's. I always remember him as being one of the kindest people I ever met. I also remember him having a love for dog's. When I needed a home for my dog Cheyenne, I knew he would be perfect for her and that she would be well taken care of, and she was. He didn't think twice when I asked him :). Matt was also funny. He could make me laugh and bring a smile to my face, even when I didn't want to. He will be missed, dearly!



Sincerely,
Dani Fox

Danielle Fox - October 17, 2015 at 10:50 AM

HP

“ Hanna Pruckler purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Matthew David Ferleman.



Hanna Pruckler - October 17, 2015 at 10:38 AM

CE

“ So very sorry to hear about this. Just heard the name late Sunday night and couldn't believe my ears. I remember Matt being a little boy,when him,his sister,and mom and myself and lived together in a very small mobile home until we could move into a larger one. We did find out one night that his mom wasn't very good at handling throw up when Matt decided he was going to get sick after going to bed,and of course part of our supper that night was Mac and cheese...found out I was able to handle cleaning it up. Also found out that at one time he worked at Martin Bros and ran into one of my boys and told them "I know your mom." Sadly it had been years since I last seen or heard from Matt,very sad to hear of his loss,my prayers go out to all of his family and friends.

Cindy Eastman

Cindy Eastman - October 13, 2015 at 08:17 PM