



Dan Lee Pierce

January 11, 1972 - July 8, 2024

Dan passed away at his home on July 8, 2024.

Celebration of Life for Dan Lee Pierce (Hawkeye), 52, of Bloomington, MN is scheduled for Saturday, July 20, 2024.

At Washburn-McReavy Dawn Valley Funeral Chapel, 9940 Bush Lake Road, Bloomington, MN 55438.

Visitation will be from 1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Cake, cookies and bars will be served with refreshments.

Dan will be laid to his final resting place on Friday, August 9, 2024 in Fairmont, MN where his cremation remains will be buried at the Lakeside Cemetery in Fairmont, MN.

"Celebration of Life" service to be held at Lakeview Funeral Home, 205 Albion Avenue, Fairmont, MN.

Visitation will from 2:00 pm- 3:00 pm; Service 3:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. Burial immediately following at 4:00 p.m.- 4:30 p.m. Dinner will be served at the Funeral Home following his burial.

Dan was born on January 11, 1972, in Faribault, MN to George Henry Pierce and the late Sharon Pierce.

Dan was united in marriage to Cyndy Mehlum on July 17, 2021 in Duluth, MN. They were both employed by The Imagine Group, in Shakopee, MN. Dan was employed there for the past 10 years. Dan had a strong passion for the great outdoors. He loved to hunt various animals with his guns and bow. He also trapped, and was a devoted fisherman. He loved to be on the water fishing with Cyndy and many family and friends. One of his favorite places to fish on Leech Lake has now become Hawkeye Flatts, where Dan would cast a line and limit out on fish. Dan and Cyndy will always have lasting memories enjoying their boat, Ice Castle and camper on their camper sight up north in Bena, MN. Dan also loved to play Bingo. He was always very lucky and won his fair share of coveralls!

Dan will always be known as an amazing husband, uncle, and friend to so many people. He had a heart of gold and loved sharing it with everyone! He enjoyed spending time with all of his nieces and nephews and creating cherished memories with all of them. He will always be known for doing the "Truffle Shuffle." If you don't know about this, just ask Cyndy!

Dan was known for his skills over the grill, cooking delicious potatoes/meals for their many pot luck get togethers up at the lake. Dan loved the animals at their apartment on the outdoor patio. He enjoyed watching the variety of birds, turkeys, deer and their babies that would come and visit them.

He is survived by his loving wife, Cyndy, father George Pierce, siblings ~ Steven (Linda) Pierce, George (Deb) Pierce, Tom Pierce, Cherrie (Kent) Langford, Blaine Hartwig; Twins ~ Lisa and Leroy Mehlum, Chad (Kari) Mehlum, Barb Wagner, Deb Pappas, Jennifer, Miranda and Marshall Krosch and many nieces and nephews.

Dan was preceded in death by his mother, Sharon Pierce; grandparents, Walter and Carolyn Pierce; Walter and Fern Ehlert; sister(s), Terri Pierce and

Carrie Hartwig and nephew Ray Pierce.

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Previous Events

Celebration of Life

JUL 20. 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM (CT)

Dawn Valley Chapel
9940 Bush Lake Road
Bloomington, MN 55438

Visitation

AUG 9. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (CT)

Lakeview Funeral Home
205 Albion Avenue
Fairmont, MN 56031

Celebration of Life

AUG 9. 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM (CT)

Lakeview Funeral Home
205 Albion Avenue
Fairmont, MN 56031

Graveside Service

AUG 9. 4:00 PM - 4:30 PM.

Lakeside Cemetery (Fairmont)
Fairmont, MN

Tribute Wall

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“ *Miss you Dan
It was great working with you.
~Gibsun*



Gibsun Alstad - July 20, 2024 at 12:13 PM

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“ Dear Cyndy and our Angel Dan Pierce,
You will always be in our hearts, thoughts and prayer's, especially during these next difficult "Celebration of Life" services coming soon. Precious Cyndy, Dale and I will always be here for you and Dan... God has blessed me abundantly as I was able to Retire this year on 3/17/24 which is when we stepped up and have done everything that we possibly could/can for you both and always will. We are Family forever and always, Amen, Amen I, as a Home Health Care and CNA who has been blessed to be a blessing to my Clients, Families and Friends for doing their personal cares and Hospice Cares too, when needed.

I especially want to Sincerely Thank all of those we have come to know through Dan's fight for his life through Stage 4 Lung Cancer. As I became their Uber on an almost 3 times/weekly appointments for his Thorentisis drain appointments, various Lab appointments, MRI's, CAT Scan Appointments, Dr.s Appointments for his Cancer and Radiation needs and all those who deeply touched our lives through Dan's Hospitalization stays... Dr's, Nurses, Lab Teams and all of The Methodist Hospital personnel *Cafeteria and Gift shop too*... we will always be so grateful, blessed and thankful for their awesome cares and this goes for Park Nicollet's Hospice Care Team through The Methodist Hospital. We cannot thank all of them enough for being there for Dan, Cyndy and their Family/Close Friends too. We were and have always been known to Dan as Momma Cheri and my hubby was known as "The General" as he always encouraged Dan to stay active and do as much as he could for himself on a daily basis... God has truly blessed us abundantly this is for sure.


We would always meet as a Team to assist Dan with his travels to and from his Hospital appointments. Dale, known as Oak Pointe Heartland's Maintenance Supervisor who would always be sure we had their wheelchair available for Dan at Oak Pointe as he needed to be taken from their apartment to my vehicle by wheelchair and they always had to carry his hand held oxygen tank with them too. We were always with a Team effort as Dan required 24/7 oxygen...






*oh the memories that we were able to share with one another through this time. We live with no regrets and realize it is "God's Will" and certainly not ours ~ we need to remain Faithful, no matter what happens. Thank you Jesus for our time with Dan here on Earth and look forward to the day that we join him in Heaven, for this we pray, in Jesus Name, Amen, Amen
So grateful, thankful and blessed beyond what one could possibly imagine.*

Sincerely,

Mr. Mrs. Dale (Cheri) O'Brien-Mehl

Momma Cheri and The General is sending our love to you both!! 

     *Dexter and Minnow's deeply miss you too*  

Happy Heavenly Anniversary today to you both on 7/17!

Cheri O'Brien-Mehl - July 17, 2024 at 12:04 AM