



## Tyler Wayne Lair

April 9, 1971 - April 21, 2019

Tyler Wayne Lair, age 48, of Manito, passed away on Sunday, April 21, 2019.

He was born to Gene and June (DeOrnellas) Lair on April 9, 1971 in Pekin.

He married Lori Lynn Huskisson on March 4, 2016 in Pekin.

Tyler is survived by his wife Lori of Manito; parents Gene and June of Manito; daughters, Jamie Britton of Kilbourne, Sophia Lair of Morton, and Elizabeth Lair of Morton; son, Austin Lair of Morton; and step-sons, Patrick Wooding and Devin (Kati) Wooding, both of Forest City; grandchildren, Trinity and Naomi; step-grandchildren, Dylan, Kaden, Addyson, and Emalyn; brothers, Terry (Tammey) Lair of Topeka and Tim (Roberta) Lair of Peoria; sister, Tina (Kevin) Joseph of Sandwich; mother-in-law, Betty Huskisson of Middleburg, FL; sisters-in-law, Debbie (Jeff) Hackney of Taylorville and Sherri (Kevin) Shanafelt of Middleburg, FL; brothers-in-law, Lee Huskisson of Taylorville, Steve (Cathy) Huskisson of Jacksonville, FL, and Doug (Mary) Huskisson of Middleburg, FL; and 25 nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his father-in-law, Lee Huskisson, Sr.

Tyler graduated from Forman High School in 1989. He worked as a Machinist at Komatsu in Peoria. He was a member of the Boilermakers Union 180 and enjoyed hunting, fishing, karate, spending time outside, riding his motorcycle, taxidermy, gardening, beekeeping, and working with metal, even outside of his job. If something needed fixed, Tyler could make it happen.

A funeral service for Tyler will be held at 11:00 AM on Saturday, April 27, 2019 at Maas-Hurley Funeral Home in Manito. Pastor Frank Brozenec will officiate.

Visitation will be held one hour before the funeral at the funeral home, and also the evening before, Friday, April 26, 2019 from 5:00-7:00 PM at the funeral home. Burial will be held in Forest City Cemetery. Dinner will follow at Forest City Campground Park.

Memorial donations in honor of Tyler may be made to Chautauqua Sportsmen's Club.

Maas-Hurley Funeral Home in Manito is assisting the family with arrangements. Online condolences may be left at [www.hurleyfh.com](http://www.hurleyfh.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Forest City Cemetery

Forest City, IL 61532

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR **26**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Maas Hurley Funeral Home - Manito  
301 S. Washington St.  
P.O. Box #442  
Manito, IL 61546  
(309) 968-6157  
<https://www.hurleyfh.com/>

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## Funeral

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Tyler Wayne Lair*

October 12, 2022 at 03:07 PM



“ *Tyler helped me dig stumps out of my dad's yard when he was 18 years old. He was a hard working young man and always made me laugh. God bless you my friend, I will never forget you. Chris Terrell*

**Chris** - October 15, 2021 at 09:57 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Tyler Wayne Lair.*



April 26, 2019 at 10:20 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Tyler Wayne Lair.*



April 26, 2019 at 09:12 AM

DD

“ Diana Dickins purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Tyler Wayne Lair.



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**Diana Dickins** - April 25, 2019 at 08:16 PM

MK

“ So very sorry for all the family. You are all in our prayers. ❤️ Rick and Mary

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**MaryJo Kennedy** - April 25, 2019 at 07:33 PM

CT

“ Tyler was a good friend of mine when we was teenagers. One weekend he helped me dig huge oak stumps out of my father's yard. I remember how determined he was to get the job done and how hard he worked at it. He was funny, hard working, always smiling, just a fun, quick witted friend to be around. You will be missed. God bless you.

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**Chris Terrell** - April 25, 2019 at 07:21 PM



“ Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Tyler Wayne Lair.



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April 25, 2019 at 04:30 PM

TM

“ I'm so sorry for y'all loss he was a awesome guy and father and friend. I will treasure the school memories we shared together he always made me laugh. Fly high my friend you will be missed by many



Tammy Durm ( Mathews) - April 25, 2019 at 01:40 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Tyler Wayne Lair.



April 25, 2019 at 12:45 PM

PA

“ I'm so sorry for your loss 🙏



Patty Ann - April 25, 2019 at 10:35 AM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Tyler Wayne Lair.



April 24, 2019 at 08:58 PM

CS

“ Always had a great time at the dojo with Tyler. RIP my friend

corie sego - April 24, 2019 at 07:16 PM

JG

“ Rest easy old friend



Jen Gordon - April 24, 2019 at 05:43 PM

LJ

“ RIP Tyler. You will be greatly missed by so many!

Linda and Lloyd Jones - April 24, 2019 at 05:18 PM

SA

“ So sorry for your loss. I remember Tyler as a young boy and how much he loved the outdoors and being in nature. May time ease your grief and happy memories of him always stay with you.



sabre - April 24, 2019 at 04:31 PM

MT

“ I’m so sorry to hear of Tyler’s passing. He was such a kind person and a wonderful neighbor. Lori, I am so sorry for your loss. Keeping you and all that loved Tyler in my thoughts and prayers during this difficult time.

Sincerely,  
Mary Jo Turner

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**Mary Jo Turner** - April 24, 2019 at 04:11 PM



“ Jan Danner lit a candle in memory of Tyler Wayne Lair



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**Jan Danner** - April 24, 2019 at 02:12 PM

ES

“ So sorry for your loss, Gene and June. Prayers for comfort for your family. Elva Stigall



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**Elva Stigall** - April 24, 2019 at 01:27 PM

SF

“ Sensei Nick Fleming and Family purchased the D elightful Dieffenbachia for the family of Tyler Wayne Lair.



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**Sensei Nick Fleming and Family** - April 24, 2019 at 01:19 PM