



# Byron Gerald Peters

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**B** yron Gerald Peters, 39, died May 31, 2014 at Hospice Home, Ft. Wayne, after losing the battle to kidney & liver disease. Born in Radford, VA, he graduated from Concordia Lutheran High School in 1993 and attended Vicennes University. He was previously employed by Ft. Wayne Newspapers and was the owner and operator of the 412 Club. Byron loved children and coached several years at St. Joe Little League and later served as president. He was an avid sports enthusiast. Byron had a unique sense of humor, loved to make people laugh, and was quite the prankster. To know him was to love him! Byron is survived by his children, Tyler Garrett Peters, 16 and Katie Marie Peters, 8 years old of Ft. Wayne; mother, R. Joy (David) Sprague of New Haven; siblings, Winona Gooding of New Haven, David (Jennifer) Sprague of Ft. Wayne, John (Bonnie) Sprague of Monroeville and Sara (Dennis) Freeman of Ft. Wayne; nieces and nephews, Jacob, Ryan, Grant, Ben, Ellie Jo, Maddie Jayne, Kierston, Jessica and Kaylee. Byron is also survived by many aunts, uncles and cousins in Kentucky. He was also preceded in death by his father Gerald Peters. Funeral service is 11 a.m. Tuesday at E. Harper & Son Funeral Home, 740 St. Rd. 930 E., New Haven, with calling one hour prior. Pastor Russ Able officiating. Calling is also 2 to 4 and 6 to 8 p.m. Monday at the funeral home. Preferred memorials are to Tyler and Katie's Education Fund. To share online condolences go to [www.harperfuneralhome.com](http://www.harperfuneralhome.com).



## Tribute Wall

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TS

**Tom And Barb Sherwood** posted:

May Byron rest in peace. You are all in our thoughts and prayers.

August 20 at 6:40 AM

LF

**Laura And Angelo Fusco** posted:

Byron will always be sweet little Byron to Ang and I. We really new him in his youth but have always followed him through Joy. Our hearts are heavy but have to feel happy that he suffers no more. He has left us all with different memories that will remain in our hearts. God bless you sweetheart until we all meet again. love you Laura and Angelo

August 20 at 6:40 AM

PP

**Patti Leach Painton** posted:

Byron was a sweetheart, always smiling as a child. I haven't seen him in many years but I know he was kind and loving with and to his family~~~he's in a very special place now and God will take care of him. My deepest condolences to his wonderful, supportive loving Mother and Sister, his children~~ and the rest of his family!Patti and Randy

August 20 at 6:40 AM

JG

**Jarrod Gerardot** posted:

I worked with Byron at Fort Wayne Newspapers. This guy knew how to make you laugh! He will be missed!

August 20 at 6:40 AM

TB

**Terri Bock** posted:

Byron always made me smile. He and Matt were always close and he filled my heart when he'd laugh and give me that smile! He will be missed by so many. My sincere condolences Joy and girls, and prayers for all of his family and friends.

August 20 at 6:40 AM



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**Marcy Watts** posted:

My prayers are with you, Tyler and Katie. I am so sorry for the loss of your father. Stay close to God; He is your protector and Savior. -Mrs. Watts

August 20 at 6:40 AM



**Lynn Sroufe** posted:

I worked with Byron at Fort Wayne Newspapers. He was a great person to work with. My thoughts and prayers are with hia family. Lynn Sroufe

August 20 at 6:40 AM



**Sara Esterline Schillace** posted:

So sorry to hear about Byron! I was a few years behind him at Holy Cross and Concordia. He was always so nice. My thoughts and prayers are with you all.

August 20 at 6:40 AM



**Anonymous** posted:

May you forever rest in peace and light.

June 2 at 8:00 PM



## **Memories only last if you share them**

Join us in honoring Byron by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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