



We Gather to Celebrate the Life of
Tyler Riley Manych
Friday, August 12, 2022 1:00 pm
Roy H. Johnston Arena, The Pas, MB
Officiant: Linda Buchanan

Order of Service

Family Processional: Incidental music
with Riley's playlist
Welcoming and Opening prayer: Linda
Slide show commemorating Riley's life
Musical Reflection
Memories of the Heart:
Maddox Manych, Danika Manych, Jeff Jones
Musical Reflection
Meditation: Linda
Committal: Linda
Final Fire Call: Fire Prevention Officer Matt Pecar
Musical Reflection
Open Mic
Family moves to reception area to receive guests.

HONORARY PALLBEARERS

Wildlands Crews #15 and #43 - Grace Lake Base
The Pas Fire Department Members



**Riley's daily actions demonstrated
humble heroism.**

*It's not what stands in front of you
It's who stands beside you.*



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In Loving Memory of Tyler Riley Manych

November 14, 1998

July 12, 2022



“Riley” as he was known by his family and friends, passed away on Tuesday, July 12, 2022 at 10:39 am at the Health Sciences Centre, Winnipeg from injuries he sustained the day before, on the job as a Manitoba Wildlands Crew Leader. Riley was 23 and just beginning his life as a young man at the time of his passing.

Riley was born at 14:14 on Sunday, November 14, 1998 in The Pas, Manitoba to parents Randy Manych and Candy (Pich) Jones.

At 5 months of age Randy and Candy separated and Riley’s family grew. Riley knew Tara as mom from 8 months old on. Raising Riley now was shared between Randy and Tara, and Candy. He was a caring older brother and role model to seven siblings. Riley lived his entire life in The Pas and received his education at Margaret Barbour Collegiate, followed by his Welding Diploma at University College of the North.

Riley was a kind, patient and humble child, he lived a life where he served others before self. He protected all living things great and small. At a young age, Riley demonstrated humility and compassion beyond his years. His father had purchased him a Rotary Dream Draw ticket from his Poppa’s Rotary Club. Riley won and was given the option to take a winning of cash or wait longer and help a community charity. Riley choose to help a charity. The Rotary Club was inspired by this young boy’s choice and helped Riley fund two worthy causes. Kelsey Community School received a new sound system to host school and community wide events. The original Animal Shelter received a cash donation to provide for the Cats and Dogs as well. Riley was so moved by the needs of the animals, that he made his next birthday party a gift to the shelter instead of himself. He was the first kid in The Pas to do this for the animals.

When Riley turned thirteen, he developed a love of music that carried him through many tough times in his teenage years. He had the ability to play almost any instrument by ear and shared that love with his family and close friends, often performing with and for others at home. Riley’s friends and fellow musicians were a great source of joy and happy times in his school age years.

Riley’s natural element was fire. He was born into the fire service. At age 18, Riley followed in the footsteps of his father Randy and his “Poppa” Don Manych and signed up the day he was eligible to become a volunteer Fire Fighter for The Pas Fire Department. Riley’s passion for firefighting became the love of his life. At 19, he joined the Manitoba Wildlands Fire Program and worked hard protecting the land, the animals and the people each season for the short time of his adult life.

Riley had a passion to provide for and care for others, if he loved you, he fed you. As a Wildlands crew leader, he proudly provided meals to his fellow firefighters in the bush and often consulted his dad on his latest recipe or what else could be possible to cook on an open flame or a barbeque.

Riley wanted a simple life, he dreamed of becoming a man of the land, a remote cabin with a beautiful view was all he needed. His love of the land was strengthened by his family that took him fishing, hunting and exploring all that nature had to offer. Crocs and a simple mullet became his signature fashion statement when not at work. If you knew Riley, you had a good story about him.

Riley loved adventure and exploring all that the world had to offer. He was able to travel to five countries and saw the majority of Canada’s natural wonders. On these many adventures with his family, Riley always spent time on the land or sea connecting with nature and the ones he loved, his biggest smiles and iconic laughter always shone the brightest and loudest on what he described during “the best days of his life” on these trips.

Riley will be waiting to host us all once again at his next cook out, where he will be preparing and keeping the flame going, as he watches over us all.

Riley was predeceased by his grandfathers Don Manych, Don Pich, Bill Munro; and his cousin Dallan Coulter.

Riley is survived by his father Randy; mom Tara; siblings Maddox, Danika; grandmothers Lee Manych and Valoree Munro and their extended families; girlfriend Alysha Godin.

His mother Candy and her husband Jeff; siblings Bailey, Emma, Kyler, Janessa, Indiana; grandmother Joyce Pich and their extended families.



In lieu of flowers, donations to The Pas Health Complex Foundation, Inc., Memorial Fund, Box 541, The Pas, Manitoba, R9A 1K6 or the Health Sciences Centre Foundation MS107, 820 Sherbrook Street, Winnipeg, Manitoba R3A 9Z9, would be appreciated by Riley’s family.

