

When your heart is breaking  
for someone who is broken,  
but your words can't reach  
them and your love can't  
save them, ask the angels to  
go where you cannot. To  
whisper into their hearts  
what their ears can't hear:  
"Ryan, I Love You."

*Remembering the Life of*  
***Ryan Halma***



MAY 28, 1984  
~  
AUGUST 14, 2025



Ryan George Halma, 41, of Inwood, Iowa was liberated of the heavy chains which bound him here on earth Thursday, August 14, 2025. He met his heavenly Father once again surrounded by his loving family. Addiction is a weighted burden and though the hardest worker—this burden grew too heavy for him to sustain.

Ryan met the world on May 28, 1984, and was the oldest of six children to his loving parents, Rick

and Paula (Brands) Halma. Ryan is remembered as charismatic and rambunctious—inevitably showing his siblings the ropes and heroically saving his dad from a grain bin.

Though addiction had proven a poison to Ryan and those who loved him, we choose to remember him when he was at his best. The laugh which filled a room, his smile that hinted at the mischief in his soul, and the love and appreciation he always had and showed for his family and children. His addiction does not erase the immense love he had for his family and friends, and never clouded the judgment of his tender yet charming demeanor.

Ryan is survived by his parents, Rick and Paula; his children, Adam, Tobey, Maci, and Tate; his siblings, Marcus (Adrienne), Eric, Jared (Mariah), Jordan (Brookstin), and Holly (Branden) Rabb; along with many nieces and nephews, Annie, Zoey, Bellamy, Phoenix, Calvin, Owen, Quinn, Rylee, Talynn, Kanaan, Huck, Zander, Cooper, Mercer, and Meadow; grandparents, Ann Halma, Gerald and Lavina Brands; and many aunts, uncles, and cousins.

Ryan was preceded in death by his grandpa, George Halma and uncle, Gary Halma.

## ***Remembering the Life of Ryan Halma***

***May 28, 1984 ~ August 14, 2025***

### **FUNERAL SERVICE**

10:00 AM, Wednesday, August 20, 2025  
Inwood First Reformed Church  
Inwood, Iowa

### **OFFICIANT**

Rev. Rob Horstman

### **PIANIST**

Amber Van Essen

### **CONGREGATIONAL HYMNS**

*“Jesus Loves Me”*

### **MUSICAL SELECTIONS**

*“Reckless Love”* Cory Asbury  
*“Amazing Grace, My Chains Are Gone”* Chris Tomlin

### **PALLBEARERS**

Marcus Halma ~ Eric Halma ~ Jared Halma  
Jordan Halma ~ Holly Rabb ~ Adam Halma

### **HONORARY PALLBEARER**

Deryck Hoogendoorn

### **INTERMENT**

Richland Cemetery  
Inwood, Iowa

### **MEMORIALS**

Discovery House, Spirit Lake, Iowa