



## Matthew Halladay

June 8, 1961 - December 9, 2018

Matt Halladay, 57, of Alden, passed away Sunday, December 9, 2018 at Hansen Family Hospital in Iowa Falls after a battle with lung cancer. A time of fellowship will be held on Thursday, December 13, 2018 from 3:30 PM to 5:30 PM followed by a memorial service at 5:30 PM at Bethany Lutheran Church in Iowa Falls. A light supper will be served at the church following the memorial service. Private family burial will be held at a later date. Woodley Funeral Home, LLC of Iowa Falls is caring for Matt and his family.

Matthew Ralph Halladay was born on June 8, 1961 in Smith Falls, Ontario (Canada) to Ralph and Marlene (Pringle) Halladay. He attended school in Delta, Ontario and served in the Royal Canadian Navy. In 2004 he was united in marriage to Jane Gorder at Bethany Lutheran Church in Iowa Falls, Iowa. Matt was a Jack of all trades but master of none having worked as a laborer, a truck driver and most recently an independently employed handyman. He loved meeting and interacting with those he did work for. Matt enjoyed carpentry, fishing, motorcycle rides, photography, gardening, camping, and puttering around his shop. Matt also cherished the trips taken to spend time with his grandchildren in Georgia and Pennsylvania.

Matthew Halladay is survived by his wife, Jane Gorder-Halladay of Alden, Iowa; his children, Amanda (Casey) Estes of LaGrange, Georgia and Allysa Halladay of Beaver Meadows, Pennsylvania; grandchildren: Kayla and

Elizabeth Estes and Jason Billman; father, Ralph Halladay of Delta, Ontario; six brothers and sisters, Mark (Jocelyne) Halladay of Kingston, Ontario, Marilyn (David) Fielding of Brockville, Ontario, Micah (Liane) Halladay of Amherstview, Ontario, Dan (Anik) Halladay of Delta, Ontario, Steven (Kim) Halladay of Phillipsville, Ontario and Tania (Jon) MacDiarmid of Oakville, Ontario; twelve nieces and nephews; countless friends. He was preceded in death by his mother.

Any monetary gifts received will be donated to Hope Lodge in Iowa City where Matt and Jane stayed while Matt was undergoing treatment.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC 13. 3:30 PM - 5:30 PM (CT)

Bethany Lutheran Church  
2712 Washington Avenue  
Iowa Falls, IA 50126

## Service

DEC 13. 5:30 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

GD

“ *What a lovely tribute written about your loved one. After reading it I couldn't help but extend my condolences to the family. Please be assured of God's love for you and as 1 Peter 5:7 tells us to throw all our anxieties on God because he cares for us. After the loss of my Father to cancer I found comfort in going to God in prayer and pouring out my heart to him. I hope you find the same comfort. Sorry for your loss.*

**Ginger Davis** - December 22, 2018 at 08:13 AM

MA

“ *We are so sorry for your loss. May your memories sustain you during this time.*  
*Marilyn and Marvin Dolloff*

**Marilyn** - December 12, 2018 at 10:19 PM

CG

“ *Fondly remember summers in Delta and playing ball with Matt and his family.*

**Charles M Goodsell** - December 12, 2018 at 01:10 PM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Matthew Halladay.*



December 12, 2018 at 09:51 AM

AL

“ Love you Dad, always.



Allysa - December 11, 2018 at 11:23 PM



“ Fiery Lily and Rose was purchased for the family of Matthew Halladay.



December 11, 2018 at 12:36 PM

MA

“ I have many wonderful memories of my big brother. The one that most pops up for me is when he and our cousin Ron were out drinking and I was on my way home from work at the park. So I stop in the post office and here the both of them are laughing hysterically at absolutely NOTHING. He was a very happy go lucky person whom loved everyone. I am really going to miss your sarcastic remarks on our family texts that you created. He had a big heart and a big hearty laugh. Love you.



Marilyn - December 11, 2018 at 11:40 AM

ND

Matt certainly was a GOOD guy..he will be missed..you gave me lots of good childhood memories Matt..give your Mom a big hug for me..love you..xoxo

Nancy Donaldson - December 11, 2018 at 01:11 PM

PM

“ *Matt was always a joy to be around. He loved his family and all his brothers and sisters. I never heard him say a mean word about anyone. Rest in peace and look down on your loved ones*

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**Pat Marshall** - December 11, 2018 at 09:25 AM

AE

“ *Jane, Amanda, Alyssa and family,  
Our condolences to you and Matt's girls. I am Amanda Estes mother inlaw, Casey's mom. I met Matt the day before his and my first granddaughter Kayla Ann was born. She was born late so we had to wait until the next day to see her. I went to the truck stop to p/u Matt so we could go see our new granddaughter. But honestly in my mind, lol, I was thinking how I could graciously be the first to hold her before Matt, I know it sounded selfish (it was). BUT Matt being the gentleman he was, stepped back and let me hold Kayla. I thanked him and did let him finally hold her, lol. Matt was a kind man. And Amanda and Alyssa loved him so much. Matt will be missed but always remembered....  
Sincere condolences,  
David and Angela Estes  
LaGrange, Georgia*

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**Angela Estes** - December 10, 2018 at 05:27 PM

BS

“ *Jane...sending heartfelt condolences to you. Was a pleasure to meet Matt and see his handiwork and personality..Blessings*

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**Bob & Diann Shaner** - December 10, 2018 at 01:58 PM

PD

*"I'm very sorry to hear the about the passing of Matt. My condolences go out to Matt, and all the Halladay clan. Matt was fortunate to be a part of such a great loving family. My heart goes out to you all" Peter Donald*

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**Peter Donald** - December 13, 2018 at 08:45 AM