



Hans Olav Watson Moglebust

June 20, 1979 - August 19, 2014

Hans Moglebust, 35, died Tuesday August 19, 2014 at Iowa Methodist Medical Center in Des Moines.

Born June 20, 1979 in Enid, Oklahoma, Hans and his family moved to Iowa in 1981 and he was thereafter a lifelong Des Moines resident. A 1997 graduate of Roosevelt High School, Hans attended Augsburg College in Minneapolis and was an insurance specialist at Mercer in Urbandale. A young man blessed with many talents, energy, and a great capacity for love, he met his life's challenges with passion, and generously, courageously, gave it everything he had while he was with us.

He loved most of all his family and friends, reading and art, home and cooking, pets and all animals, was a master of trivia and practical jokes – these are just a hint of all that those who shared his life will miss in his passing.

Hans is survived by his paternal grandmother, Elizabeth Moglebust of Eagle Grove Iowa; his mother Sally Watson (Mark), his father Joe Moglebust (Mary), and by his brother Anders; his fiancé Kym Lynn Traczyk and her children Sean Michael Kelly and Erin Lynn Kelly; his step-brothers Tom Mix and Ryan Vosburgh of Des Moines, and step-sister Tracy Ward of Mason City.

Among the many others who mourn his passing are his supportive and loving

aunts and uncles – Ray and Susan Watson, Barb Hicks and Dave Moglebust; and Linda and Denny Gass, Kym's mother and step-father, as well as his cousins, nephews, and nieces.

There is a visitation for friends and family 10 AM Saturday, August 23, 2014 at Windsor Heights Lutheran Church, with a memorial service following at 11 AM.

Memorial contributions can be made in Hans's name to Iowa Public Radio. The family would like to express its gratitude to the nurses and doctors of Iowa Methodist CCU for their skill and compassionate contribution to Hans' peaceful passing at the end of his struggles.

For any questions please call Dyanmond Memorial at 515.964.7543.

Tribute Wall

CO

“ Was sad to hear of Hans' passing. I have great memories of him laughing and joking around with all of us all night in the limo at my bachelor party. Goes without saying that he's gone far too soon.

Colin - August 25, 2014 at 02:05 PM

JH

“ Such a handsome man...his picture caught my eye! Then my heart sank when I realized this was the sweet little boy that used to play with his brother at the end of our block! I want you to know that I share your grief at this sad time.

Jane Headrick

Jane Headrick - August 24, 2014 at 10:20 AM

CF

“ My sister and I used to babysit Hans. He was such a loving little boy. I remember his tenderness and kindness. To Joe, Sally, and Anders - I send my deepest sympathy and condolences. Thinking of all of you. Cathie Ashing Freund

Cathie Freund - August 22, 2014 at 02:20 PM

JW

“ John, Kimberly, Halli & Avery Watson purchased the Sweet Tenderness for the family of Hans Olav Watson Moglebust.



John, Kimberly, Halli & Avery Watson - August 21, 2014 at 08:24 PM

RE

“ *I can't think of Hans without smiling.. He was a big teddy bear with a smile for everyone!* ”



Renee - August 21, 2014 at 05:11 PM



So true! Thanks so much

Kymerly Traczyk - August 22, 2014 at 02:54 PM

AB

“ *I met Hans at the Lost Soul Cafe. Over years we shared laughs, tears, several apartments and countless hijinks as friends/cohorts. It's hard to imagine a world without his charisma and indomitable spirit. Cheers, Hans. You're well loved.* ”

Amy B - August 21, 2014 at 04:27 PM

RE

Oh Amy sooo many good memories!

Renee - August 21, 2014 at 05:08 PM



Thanks, girl. We had some great times and he adored you. Loved you a lot.

Kymerly Traczyk - August 22, 2014 at 02:55 PM

GH

“ *To Hans's family,
Our deepest sympathy to you and our prayers for God's loving
comfort in your loss.
George and Janet Hanusa*

George Hanusa - August 21, 2014 at 03:28 PM



Thank you so much.

Kymberly Traczyk - August 21, 2014 at 03:30 PM

AB

“ *Just know we are lifting you all up in prayers during this
time.....may you feel the LORDs presence of comfort and peace
in the midst of all the sorrow!
Bob and Alyce Burnett*

Alyce Burnett - August 21, 2014 at 03:13 PM



Thank you. I have been, it helps.

Kymberly Traczyk - August 21, 2014 at 03:31 PM

JK

“ *I'm so sorry to hear of this. I knew Hans for a short period of time
and always enjoyed his company. Thoughts with him and his loved
ones.*

Jennifer Kramme - August 21, 2014 at 02:29 PM

TR

“ I am so sorry for your loss. For the short amount of time we were blessed to work with Hans, he always brought such smiles to our faces with his comments. He was such a great person to work with.

Tiffany Rogers - August 21, 2014 at 09:34 AM

PW

“ Will always remember the "really big fish" he caught at lake with Blake. And cleaning it in the dark!

Pam and Ron Wood - August 20, 2014 at 10:46 PM



It was a good fish! I love you both

KyMBERly Traczyk - August 21, 2014 at 03:31 PM