



Thomas Randal Nipple

July 2, 1960 - June 18, 2019

Obituary

Thomas R. Nipple is now “safe” at “home” in the arms of Jesus. He was born on July 2, 1960 in Monroe, WI, and died at home on June 18, 2019. Tom was the son of Lawrence and Joyce (Zimmerman) Nipple. He married the love of his life, Andi Vogel, in 1997.

Tom graduated from Brodhead High School in 1978 and from the U.W.-Platteville in 1982. He had worked for the Brodhead Power & Light Co. for 27 years before retiring. He had a sincere love of baseball. Tom pursued his dream of being a minor league umpire and succeeded. He loved coaching baseball and enjoyed coaching his own kids along with many other teams through the years, including Brodhead-Juda high school teams. Refereeing basketball was another passion of his. He was chosen to referee at the Wisconsin High School State Tournament. Tom was a member of the Stateline Officials Association. He was also an active member of St. Peter Evangelical Lutheran Church, Brodhead, serving as a council member and groundskeeper.

Tom will be forever remembered by his loving wife Andi; his children, Alex and Luke; mother Joyce Nipple; brother, Dennis (JoAnne) Nipple; sisters, Janelle Sugars and Lorri (Kirk) Pinnow; along with many nieces, nephews and grand-nephews. Tom was preceded in death by his father, Lawrence Nipple, a daughter, Ellen, and brother-in-law, Jeff Vogel.

Services will be held at noon on Monday, June 24, 2019, at St. Peter

Lutheran Church, Brodhead. Visitation will be held from 10 a.m. until the time of services at the church. Burial will be in Greenwood Cemetery, Brodhead, WI. A memorial fund will be established.

To send flowers to the family or plant a tree in memory of Thomas Randal Nipple, please visit our floral store.

Tribute Wall

LH

“ Sincere sympathy to Tom's entire family. I'm sorry for your loss.

LouAnn Harmel - June 23, 2019 at 01:18 PM

ES

“ A Croton Plant was ordered on June 23, 2019

Expression of Sympathy - June 23, 2019 at 12:35 PM

DN

“ My Prayers are with the Family. I am glad I got to meet you a few times Thomas. My Condolences to all the Family, David Nipple.

David A Nipple - June 22, 2019 at 02:04 PM

WH

“ My condolences to the entire Nipple family. Tom was the pesky little brother when Janelle and I were growing up, but he grew into a fine man.

Wendy Pinnow Heise and Jonathan Heise - June 21, 2019 at 07:44 PM

TL

“ Sending our prayers to your family.

Teri and Mike LaBorde - June 21, 2019 at 04:04 PM

ES

“ A SENTIMENTAL THOUGHTS was ordered on June 21, 2019

Expression of Sympathy - June 21, 2019 at 10:42 AM

GC

“ Our deepest condolences to all of the family! Tom contributed so much to the community. —Glenn and Kathy Condon

Glenn and Kathy Condon - June 21, 2019 at 10:40 AM

CN

“ Tom was always a very kind and thoughtful person to work with. He will be missed.

Cory Neeley - June 21, 2019 at 10:15 AM

AO

“ With condolences.

Allen and Donna Olson - June 20, 2019 at 08:24 PM

TC

“ A candle was lit in remembrance

Tammy Reed and Dave Cook - June 20, 2019 at 05:04 PM

LL

“ Linda and I are so deeply saddened to learn of Tom's passing. Tom was so kind to me during our high school years. He was truly a humble and loving servant to his family, friends and community. Our heartfelt prayers go out to the whole family.

Linda and John LaBarre - June 20, 2019 at 04:41 PM

ES

“ A Ceramic Dish Garden was sent by BTC Radiography Program faculty and students. on June 20, 2019

Expression of Sympathy - June 20, 2019 at 01:31 PM

GV

“ Our condolences to the Nipple family. As did many others, we first met Tom through the ball programs. His love of the sport was obvious to all. But I know he loved his family much, much more. He will be missed by the whole town.

Gail and Denny Vondra - June 20, 2019 at 11:01 AM

WN

“ So very, very sorry for your loss. Prayers to help your family get through this difficult time.

Warren and Penny Nipple - June 20, 2019 at 08:36 AM

ES

“ An European Basket Garden was ordered on June 20, 2019

Expression of Sympathy - June 20, 2019 at 08:35 AM

ES

“ A Ceramic Dish Garden was ordered on June 20, 2019

Expression of Sympathy - June 20, 2019 at 08:21 AM

JF

“ My deepest sympathies to Andi and family and Joyce and all who love Tom. You are all in my thoughts and prayers.

Janet Luby and family - June 19, 2019 at 09:53 PM

RJ

“ Andi and family, our hearts and prayers are with you during this difficult time and the weeks ahead as you process your loss. May God be with you.

Rodney and Betty Johnson - June 19, 2019 at 05:24 PM

BG

“ My sympathies to Tom's family and friends. I remember Tom well. I first met him on the BHS football field where Tom was a member of an outstanding freshman class. A few weeks later I met him in the classes I taught. Although I helped coach Tom as a freshman, as a sophomore he was pulled up to the varsity where his skills were needed. Tom was a good student, a great athlete but he was an outstanding person. We're all better for having known Tom. Rest in Peace Thomas Nipple.

Bruce "Go-Go" Gunderson - June 19, 2019 at 02:16 PM

DS

“ So sorry for your loss.

Denise (Cooley) Sacker - June 19, 2019 at 01:52 PM

SK

“ We are so sorry for your loss. May Tom's name be written in the Book of Life.

Shelley Weiner & Peter Kaplan - June 19, 2019 at 01:36 PM

DO

“ Friday Night Football has not been the same since Tom had to stop. What a great example of how to be a great member of a small community.

David and Connie Olsen - June 19, 2019 at 01:00 PM

CC

“ Janelle and all the Nipple family, I'm so sorry for your loss and praying for you to be comforted by Jesus.

Colet Markham Cook - June 19, 2019 at 12:42 PM

BM

“ So sorry for your loss you are in my prayers.

Barb Olson Menehan - June 19, 2019 at 11:32 AM

TB

“ We were so sad to hear this news today. He was such a great man and we were lucky to get to know him through sports. He was an excellent coach and wonderful person!

Todd, Elaine, Brennan and Brooke Bescup - June 19, 2019 at 11:25 AM

JH

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with all of you. So sorry for your loss.

Jim and Carol Heffner - June 19, 2019 at 10:17 AM

LM

“ Our thoughts & prayers go out to Andi & Joyce and all Tom's family during this sad time.

Larry and Mary Malcook - June 19, 2019 at 09:40 AM