Daniel Lee Dale was born in Morris, MN on May 19, 1967, to Robert and Jan (Steadman) Dale. He grew up and went to school in Kensington, MN, where he wrestled and played football. Daniel graduated from Hoffman/Kensington High School in 1985. He attended the University of Minnesota Crookston for Natural Resources.

On April 5, 1992, Daniel married Tammy Ricord at Our Saviors Lutheran Church in Crookston, MN. The couple moved back to the Alexandria area. The couple divorced in 1999. He worked at Alexandria Industries and loved his job as a packing specialist.

If he wasn't out hunting or fishing, he could be found hanging out with his three sons and two beautiful grandchildren. Daniel will be remembered as a forgiving, whitty, and generous father that was always there.

Daniel died on Saturday, February 16, 2019, at Alomere Health in Alexandria at the age of 51 from congestive heart failure. He is survived by his sons, Joshua (fiancé, Kaitlyn Huset) Dale, Jacob (Karisa Krog) Dale both of Alexandria and their mother, Tammy (Corey) Drewes of Alexandria; son, Zach Dale and his mother, Heather Graffam of Melrose; two grandchildren, Kaleigh Jo Dale and Blake Lee Dale; his sister, Deb (Doug) Farm of Zimmerman; brother, John (Vic) Dale of Alexandria; aunt, Pamela (Pete) Trutnau of Bloomington; uncles, Bruce (Barb) Steadman of Excelsior and Jack (Carol) Dale of Richfield; and nieces, Melissa (Dirk) Newman, Kayla (Kyle) Jones, Rachel Dale, Ashley Farm and Lexi Farm. Daniel is preceded in death by father, Robert Dale; mother, Jan Steadman, maternal grandparents, Ralph and Haldis Steadman; paternal grandparents, Joel and Agnes Dale; uncle, Stephen Dale; and cousin, Joey Dale.

The Day God Called You Home

God looked around His garden and found an empty space.

Then He looked down upon the earth and saw your tired face.

He put his arms around you, lifted you to rest.

God's garden must be beautiful, for He only takes the best.

He knew that you were suffering.

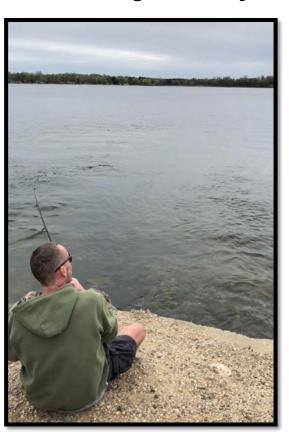
He knew you were in pain.

He saw the road was getting rough,
and the hills were hard to climb.

So He closed your weary eyes,
and whispered, "Peace be thine".

It broke our hearts to lose you, but you did not go alone. For part of us went with you, the day God called you home.

In Loving Memory



Daniel L. Dale 1967 - 2019

In Memory of

Daniel Lee Dale

February 16, 2019

Funeral Service

Shalom Lutheran Church Alexandria, Minnesota Friday, March 1, 2019 11:00 AM

Officiant

Reverend Dennis Preston

Organist

Ruth Blom

Soloist

Emily Erickson

Honorary Urn Bearers

(Dan's sons)

Josh Dale

Jake Dale

Zach Dale

(Dan's Grandchilden) Kaleigh Jo Dale Blake Lee Dale

