



Andrew James Strayer

July 19, 1979 - January 28, 2026

Andrew James Strayer, age 46, of DeMotte, Indiana, passed away on Wednesday, January 28, 2026.

Andrew was born on July 19, 1979, in Hobart, Indiana, the son of James and Patricia (Miner) Strayer. He was a 1998 graduate of Hobart High School, where he excelled as an all-area football player. Andrew later completed his ironworking apprenticeship through Ivy Tech College and proudly worked as a member of the Local 395 Ironworkers Union.

A lifelong football fan, Andrew carried his love for the game well beyond his high school years and especially enjoyed cheering on the Chicago Bears.

Andrew is survived by his parents, James and Patricia Strayer; his brother, Doug (Melissa) Strayer; and his sister, Rebecca Strayer. He is also survived by his cherished nieces and nephews: Ann Marie, Steven, Emily, Ava, Colin, and Aubrey.

All services for Andrew will be private, with cremation to follow.

Tribute Wall

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“ Andy was one of a kind, had a heart of gold, loved his family & friends so very much. He made a possitive impact on sooo many people. His laugh was contagious, he would give the shirt off his back for anyone. Andy, you will be missed dearly 😊



Nicole - January 30 at 09:48 PM

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I Love You Andrew and you will always be in my Heart! I Just can't believe I won't see You again on this side!

Aunt "D" - March 06 at 11:25 AM



“ I'll never forget that chuckle of his. For such a big guy, he sure was a teddy bear. Love you, brother.



April Peek - January 29 at 08:59 PM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Andrew James Strayer.*



January 29 at 11:44 AM



“ *Brothers & Sisters Ironworkers Local 395 planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Andrew James Strayer.*

Brothers & Sisters Ironworkers Local 395 - January 29 at 11:44 AM