



Benjamin Dale Nyhoff

January 4, 1988 - February 10, 2024

Benjamin Dale Nyhoff, age 36, of Zeeland, passed away Saturday, February 10, 2024 after a four year battle with osteosarcoma. Ben is survived by his wife of 12 years Kristen, his sons Lucas and Jackson; his parents Dave and Cindy Nyhoff; his siblings and their children: Sarah and Chad Kraai (Lincoln and Quincy), and Adam Nyhoff; his mother-in-law: Lisa Beukers; his brother-in-law and sister-in-law: Dave and Laura Beukers, and brother-in-law: Ethan Beukers; his grandparents-in-law: John and Ruth Beukers, and Sharon Kelley; and many aunts, uncles, cousins, and friends. He was deeply loved and will be dearly missed.

Ben was preceded in death by his father-in-law: Daniel Beukers; his grandparents: Robert and Lorraine Nyhoff, John and Tressa Yonker and grandfather-in-law Russell Kelley.

Ben graduated from Zeeland East High School in 2006 and Grand Valley State University in 2010 with a degree in Nonprofit Administration. He worked for a number of nonprofit organizations, most recently as Philanthropy Director at Kids' Food Basket, fulfilling his lifelong passion of providing food security for everyone.

Ben was devoted to his family and had a deep and inspiring faith. He loved leading worship at various churches and worship music ministered to him throughout his life and especially during his difficult cancer journey.

Visitation will be 2-4pm and 6-8pm Friday, March 8, 2024, in Ren's Café at Ridge Point Community Church (please use door E), 340 104th Ave, Holland.

A celebration of Ben's life and faith will be held at 11am Saturday, March 9, 2024, in the Auditorium at Ridge Point Community Church (please use drive 3 and door F). The service will be livestreamed at <https://vimeo.com/event/4107473>.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions in Ben's honor may be given to Kids' Food Basket at Kids Food Basket - Ben Nyhoff memorials (http://kfb.convio.net/site/Donation2?df_id=2908&2908.donation=form1&mfc_pref=T).

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 8. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Ridge Point Community Church
340 104th Ave.
Holland, MI 49423

Visitation

MAR 8. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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Celebration of Life

MAR 9. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

LE

“ *Laurence & Amanda Ealy purchased the Beautiful Dreams for the family of Benjamin Dale Nyhoff.* ”



Laurence & Amanda Ealy - March 06, 2024 at 08:54 AM

LF

“ *Love, The Jerry Yonker Family purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Benjamin Dale Nyhoff.* ”



Love, The Jerry Yonker Family - March 05, 2024 at 10:31 PM



“ *We are so sorry we will miss Ben's service. We are out of state until next Monday. We were so inspired by him, his dedication to family and his career and his sense of humor throughout everything. We won't think of Ben without smiling at his personality. We are better people since we experienced his hugs and friendship!* ”

Steve Davis - March 05, 2024 at 09:48 PM

JK

“ *Josh K. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Benjamin Dale Nyhoff.* ”

Josh K. - February 23, 2024 at 08:57 PM

LM

“ I just learned about Ben's passing. My heart is broken. Ben was last in a coaching class last summer I believe and had shared that his cancer had returned but his spirits were still good. I could see the struggle on his face but I know it was the love of his family that kept him strong. I had in several of my classes over the last few years and always enjoyed his presence and gentleness. Praying for peace and immeasurable strength for your family during this challenging and transitional time.

Lorraine Medici - February 23, 2024 at 04:52 PM

RE

“ Robert E. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Benjamin Dale Nyhoff.

Robert E. - February 23, 2024 at 04:30 PM

SC

“ From the entire Care and Share Food Bank family, our condolences to the Nyhoff family. Ben was a remarkable light in this world.

Shannon Coker - February 23, 2024 at 02:50 PM



“ Sweet Tenderness was purchased for the family of Benjamin Dale Nyhoff.



February 22, 2024 at 09:27 PM

JW

“ Dave and Cindy,

My sister informed me of your incredible loss. I am so very sorry for you and your family. His life focused on helping others is certainly a testament to the loving nature he was raised in. Know you have made the world a better place with the gift of your son and his memory will live on in the lives of the people he helped.

May God comfort you in your loss.

Jeanne (Schutte) Wagenfeld - Yes, it has been a long time!

Jeanne Wagenfeld - February 22, 2024 at 08:27 PM

CN

Jeanne, How wonderful to hear from you. Thank you for your kind words. Ben's last instructions to his two young boys was to always "Be Kind"-it was a way of life for him, and I learned from him probably more than he learned from me. I remember times when I was less than kind, and I know I strive to follow Ben's example in my life. Thank you again for your words of comfort. Much love, Cindy Nyhoff

Cindy Nyhoff - February 23, 2024 at 11:38 AM