



Drew Nibert

June 26, 1986 - June 12, 2025

Drew Anthony Ray Nibert, 38, of Salem, passed away at his home on June 12th, 2025. He was born June 26th, 1986, to Freda Nibert and Jerry Byers in Centralia, Illinois.

He worked as a forklift driver, a union laborer, and had his own handyman business. He enjoyed woodworking and fixing things, and he was good at both. His greatest loves were for his children and family.

Drew is survived by his mother: Freda Nibert of Salem; step-mother: Debbie Norman of Salem; three sons: Noah Nibert, Wyatt Nibert, and Liam Nibert; step-daughter: Avery Sauter; three brothers: Shane (Megan) Nibert of Vandalia, Shane (Angie) Byers of Mason, and Jeremy (Crystal) Byers of Farina; six sisters: Melissa (Mark) Pearson of Kinmundy, Bailee Lyday of Salem, Sarah (Stephen) Bryant of Centralia, Tayler Nibert (Cain) of Salem, Reagan Nibert (Cody) of Salem, and McKenzie Nibert (Bradley) of Iowa.

He was preceded in death by his father: Jerry Byers; and stepfathers: Lonnie Byers and John Norman.

A funeral service will be held on Monday June 16th, 2025, at 1:00 pm at the Sutherland-Rankin Funeral Home Chapel, with Pastor Don Wallace and Pastor Dallas Bear officiating. A time of public visitation will be from 11:00 am till the time of service. Interment will follow at the Iola Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to his stepmother, Debbie Norman, and will be accepted at Sutherland-Rankin Funeral Home, PO Box 97, Salem, Illinois 62881. Online condolences may be made by visiting www.sutherlandfuneralho

me.com or by going to Sutherland-Rankin Funeral Home Facebook Page.

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN **16**. 11:00 AM (CT)

Sutherland-Rankin Funeral Home and Cremation Services
310 North Broadway
Salem, IL 62801

Funeral Service

JUN **16**. 1:00 PM.

Sutherland-Rankin Funeral Home Chapel

Tribute Wall

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“ *He loved his kids. He was so sweet and funny and talented. I really cared for him.
He will be so very missed*

Leea - June 13, 2025 at 11:12 PM

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“ *Drew took me fishing out in Farina. He had a fish net, and we went around the pond casting the net. I enjoyed watching what we had brought out of the water with the net. I thought this was one efficient way to fish...
Later, we hit the road, and I witnessed Uncle Drew in action as he expertly switched his tires to 4WD! To keep us from getting stuck in the mud on the way out and back home.*

Peter pearson - June 13, 2025 at 10:09 PM

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“ *2 files added to the tribute wall*



Shane Nibert - June 13, 2025 at 09:51 PM

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“ Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of Drew Nibert.



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“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Drew Nibert.

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