



Nickolas Dale Bubak

December 12, 1986 - January 19, 2026

He “fought the good fight, he finished the race...he kept the faith”.

On January 19, 2026, Nickolas Dale Bubak left this world surrounded by love at the age of 39. A devoted husband, father, son, and brother, Nick will be missed for his unending optimism and loving heart. Throughout his eight-month battle with cancer, Nick exhibited an unwavering faith in his God.

Mass of Christian Burial will be at 10:30 AM Friday, January 23rd at St. Leo's Catholic Church. Celebrating Mass will be Father Don Buhrman. The family will host a reception following the Mass.

Visitation will be on Thursday from 4-6 PM with a Christian Wake Service beginning at 6 PM, at St. Leo's Catholic Church. All Faiths Funeral Home is entrusted with the arrangements.

Nick was born in North Platte to Ron and Theresa Bubak on December 12, 1986. He attended schools in Arapahoe and Louisville, graduating from Cozad High School in 2005. In 2008, he graduated from Central Community College studying Golf Course Management, Horticulture, and HVAC. He spent his professional life working for Grand Island Nebraska Veterans Home, Heritage at Sagewood, and, most recently, Grand Island Regional Medical Center. He was a member of the Knights of Columbus and St. Leo's Catholic Church.

In 2014, Nick and Nichole Blake married and made their home in Grand Island. They were blessed with three precious daughters: Nora, Nellie, and Navy. Nick was the ultimate girl dad: painting nails, braiding hair, decorating birthday cakes, and building playhouses. He was so proud of the incredible people his young daughters are becoming, and he knew they would be his legacy.

Sports were a big part of his life. He enjoyed coaching his girls in softball and volunteering with his dad at the Nebraska State Track Meet for the past 20 years. He carried on the Bubak family tradition of cheering for the Huskers and Yankees. He was also an innovative thinker and took pleasure in using his talents to build and repair anything he put his mind to.

Nick loved people and accepted everyone, making friends easily and bringing joy to those around him. Everyone who knew him delighted in his bear hugs and entertaining stories, laughing at his sense of humor and fun-loving antics. He was always trying to make things better for others, sharing his love of amazing food, good music, random trivia, and, of course, quoting movie one-liners.

Nick is survived by his wife Nichole and his three cherished daughters Nora, Nellie, and Navy; his parents Ron and Theresa Bubak; sister and brother Andee (Clint) Felber, Nathan (Regan) Bubak and nephews, Kason and Kallan and niece Vivian; in-laws Angie and Brad Blake; sisters-in-law Deidre “Danielle” Blake and Kaylen Bilotto; paternal grandmother Bonnie Bubak; maternal grandmother Marilyn Anderjaska; and many aunts, uncles, cousins, and valued friends. Nick is preceded in death by his grandfathers, Roland Anderjaska and Dale Bubak; brother-in-law, Lynn Bilotto; sister-in-law, Missy Blake; and aunt, Karen Bubak.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to a memorial being established in support of the girls' education and the Grace Foundation.

If you would like to donate to the Bubak Girls' Education Fund, please make your check out to 'Nichole Bubak' and send your memorials to "All Faiths Funeral Home - Bubak Memorial" at 2929 South Locust Street, Grand Island, Nebraska 68801. The funeral home will collect any memorials that come in and pass them along to the family to be put into the education fund.

For donations to the Grace Foundation, you may send memorials to the funeral home at the address listed above or donate directly on their website, <https://www.gracefoundationgi.org>

Cemetery Details

Grand Island Cemetery

3168 W Stolley Park Rd
Grand Island, NE 68801-7203

Previous Events

Mass of Christian Burial

JAN 23. 10:30 AM (CT)

St. Leo's Catholic Church
2410 S Blaine St
Grand Island, NE 68801
(308) 382-4753

Family will be greeting friends from 4-6 PM Thursday with a 6 PM Christian Wake Service at St. Leo's.

Tribute Wall

EB

“ I never met Bubak in person, but we were internet/baseball pals through our early Jomboy Media fandom. I will always remember his openness, kindness, sense of humor and decency--and our bond about having the same middle name. Much love to his family. May his memory be a blessing.
-Erica Dale Block

Erica Block - January 30 at 12:12 PM

NF

“ Nate and Erika Kappel family purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Nickolas Dale Bubak.



Nate and Erika Kappel family - January 23 at 12:11 AM

NF

“ Nate and Erika Kappel family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Nickolas Dale Bubak.

Nate and Erika Kappel family - January 23 at 12:11 AM

NM

“ Nelly and Mariana purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Nickolas Dale Bubak.



Nelly and Mariana - January 22 at 10:31 PM

PT

“ I have such fond memories of working with Nick at Sagewood, he always had the best stories about being a “ girl dad”. Prayers to all!

Pamela Taylor - January 22 at 09:10 PM

BF

“ Very sorry for your loss of Nick. It was a pleasure to have worked with him and known him. My thoughts are with you all.

Brad Lee Fried - January 22 at 06:16 PM

FF

“ Fayetteville Friends purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Nickolas Dale Bubak.



Fayetteville Friends - January 22 at 05:08 PM

TF

“ The Posey Family purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Nickolas Dale Bubak.



The Posey Family - January 22 at 04:23 PM

DK

“ Dan and Leah Kennedy planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Nickolas Dale Bubak.

Dan and Leah Kennedy - January 22 at 03:11 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Nickolas Dale Bubak.*



January 22 at 03:11 PM



“ *So sorry for your loss of Nick thinking of you love you all*

Charles - January 22 at 03:06 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Nickolas Dale Bubak.*



January 22 at 01:44 PM



“ *Theresa and Ron, we send loving prayers to you and all your families. Saddened to know you lost your son Nick. May God hold you close as you are grieving. Your friends, Bob & Trudy Sutton*

Trudy Sutton - January 22 at 10:04 AM



“ *Michelle F. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Nickolas Dale Bubak.*

Michelle F. - January 22 at 09:59 AM



“ *Beautiful Dreams* was purchased for the family of *Nickolas Dale Bubak*.



January 22 at 09:59 AM



“ *Rebecca Moreno* purchased the *Forever Our Angel Bouquet* for the family of *Nickolas Dale Bubak*.



Rebecca Moreno - January 22 at 09:33 AM



“ *Arrive in Style* was purchased for the family of *Nickolas Dale Bubak*.



January 22 at 07:23 AM



“ *Russell & Reon Benson & Family* planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of *Nickolas Dale Bubak*.

Russell & Reon Benson & Family - January 22 at 02:57 AM

RF

“ Russell & Reon Benson & Family purchased the *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* for the family of *Nickolas Dale Bubak*.



Russell & Reon Benson & Family - January 22 at 02:57 AM

TH

“ Dear Nichole and Nick’s family,
Our hearts and prayers go out to you all as you travel this path God has set for you. He and Nick will be keeping watch together from Heaven.
Angie Blake’s Cabela’s coworker,
Terri (& Tom) Hongsermeier

Terri Hongsermeier - January 21 at 11:14 PM

GF

“ GRACE Cancer Foundation purchased the *Blue Caribbean Bouquet* for the family of *Nickolas Dale Bubak*.



GRACE Cancer Foundation - January 21 at 10:18 PM

KF

“ Kerrie Asche and family purchased the *Beautiful in Blue* for the family of *Nickolas Dale Bubak*.



Kerrie Asche and family - January 21 at 07:05 PM

TT

“ *The Doniphan-Trumbull Volleyball Team purchased the Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet for the family of Nickolas Dale Bubak.*



The Doniphan-Trumbull Volleyball Team - January 21 at 05:49 PM

TT

“ *The Doniphan-Trumbull Volleyball Team planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Nickolas Dale Bubak.*

The Doniphan-Trumbull Volleyball Team - January 21 at 05:49 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Nickolas Dale Bubak.*



January 21 at 04:50 PM



“ *Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of Nickolas Dale Bubak.*



January 21 at 02:35 PM

C2

“ *Class of 2014 purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of Nickolas Dale Bubak.*



Class of 2014 - January 21 at 01:48 PM

YF

“ *Your Birth Tissue Donor Services Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Nickolas Dale Bubak.*

Your Birth Tissue Donor Services Family - January 21 at 01:06 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Nickolas Dale Bubak.*



January 21 at 01:06 PM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Nickolas Dale Bubak.*



January 21 at 12:09 PM