



## Thomas O. Stryker

November 29, 1968 - January 8, 2020

Thomas O. Stryker, 51 of Chapman died Wednesday, January 8, 2020 at CHI Health-St. Francis.

Visitation will be from 4-6 PM Monday at All Faiths Funeral Home. Celebration of life service will begin at 6 PM Monday with Pastor Ron Zacharias officiating. Military honors will be rendered by the US Marine Corp and United Veterans Honor Guard.

Cremation will take place following the service. Memorials are suggested to the family for future designations.

Thomas was born on November 29, 1968 at Grand Island the son of Ray Thomas and Lila Jean (Sorahan) Stryker. He was raised in Grand Island graduating from Grand Island Central Catholic High School class of 1987. He proudly served in the US Marine Corp from 1988-92. On September 9, 1995 he was united in marriage to Mary Sowl. Thomas worked for McCain Food as a forklift operator for 26 years. He served on the Chapman Volunteer Fire Department for 17 years.

Some of his enjoyments included collecting Coca-Cola items and shot glasses, fishing and camping. He loved spending time with family and was a wonderful cook.

Those left to cherish his memory include his wife, Mary; children, Violet and Thomas; his siblings, Lori (John) Hiser, Janet (Joel Leetch) Stryker, Kelly (Roy) Patterson, Kevin Stryker, Nikki Stryker and Trevor (Lindsay) Stryker; nieces and nephews and his four-legged companion, Diesel.

He is preceded in death by his parents.

# Previous Events

## Celebration of Life Service

JAN 13. 6:00 PM (CT)

All Faiths Funeral Home  
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Grand Island, NE 68801  
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<https://www.giallfaiths.com/>

# Tribute Wall



“ *Thomas O. Stryker*

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“ *Tom you were a great father to your kids. You were a great firefighter and chief. The department will miss your face at fundraiser with a smile. Our family will miss you at the family holiday.*

*Your Cousin and Chapman Fire Chief  
Francis McCulla*

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**Francis Warren McCulla** - January 14, 2020 at 11:59 AM