



Ryan Douglas Chambers

January 17, 1987 - April 20, 2021

Ryan Douglas Chambers, 34, of Louisville, passed away Tuesday, April 20, 2021.

He was a veteran of the US Army-having served in Afghanistan. Ryan was a hilarious, talented and modest person who enjoyed country music, loved to cook, was a proficient woodworker and adoring father.

He was preceded in death by his mother, Kris Robinson; grandfather, Bruce Robinson; grandparents, Nelson and Betty Chambers; cousin, Josh Sears and grandmother, Nova Sturgeon.

Ryan is survived by his children, Alexis and Preston Chambers, and their mother, Heather Chambers; fiancée, Stephanie Butner; step-children, Sienna, Dominic and Jude; father and step-mother, Doug and Star Chambers; step-father, Donny Poor (Kristin); grandmother, Diane Robinson; grandfather, Lee Sturgeon; uncle Steve and aunt Tami Robinson; and was loved by many uncles, aunts and cousins.

Funeral services will be 1:00pm Sunday, April 25, 2021 at Owen Funeral Home-Jeffersontown, 9318 Taylorsville Road. Visitation will be Saturday from 3:00pm to 5:00pm and Sunday from 11:00am until time of service.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests that donations be made to Pups 4 Patriots at: www.americanhumane.org

Previous Events

Visitation

APR **24**. 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

Owen Funeral Homes - Jeffersontown
9318 Taylorsville Road
Louisville, KY 40299
(502) 266-9655
<https://owenfuneralhome.com>

Visitation

APR **25**. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

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Service

APR **25**. 1:00 PM - 1:30 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

HC

“ Here are a few memories to keep alive for our kiddos and family to have forever.



Heather Chambers - December 07, 2025 at 12:24 PM

HE

“ I have waited a long time to say anything. The kiddos have been my main focus. They have been hurting for a long time. We were married for 9 years and together for 12 years before we divorced in 2019. We had our up and downs throughout the years. Every family and relationship does. This time of year is crazy, but the best time of year. The one thing that's missing is you being here to make the kiddos laugh uncontrollably. They are growing up so fast. I know before you died you called me and asked, if we could talk about some things that weren't supposed to be spoken about. I told you that it wasn't a good idea. I had my own relationship and you had yours. It wasn't right. We always had conversations that, if something happened and we couldn't work things out, we would try our best to work them out. We also said maybe there would be a chance to come back to each other, if things weren't right. I was happy being where I was. I'm not sure about everything that you had going on, but some of it wasn't good for you. The kiddos on both sides made you happy, but you were missing something more than that. Usually, around that time of year, it was hard because of losing your mom at a difficult time. You were in the military and that in itself was hard. I'm sorry you couldn't handle that even talking to people about her. She is with you now forever. I hope you are happy and have your angel wings now. I saw you in a dream one night recently and you told me you were ok. I'll always love you, no matter how things ended. You were a big part of my life. Thank you for giving me our kiddos. We live and miss you very much. Always and forever

Heather - December 07, 2025 at 12:05 PM

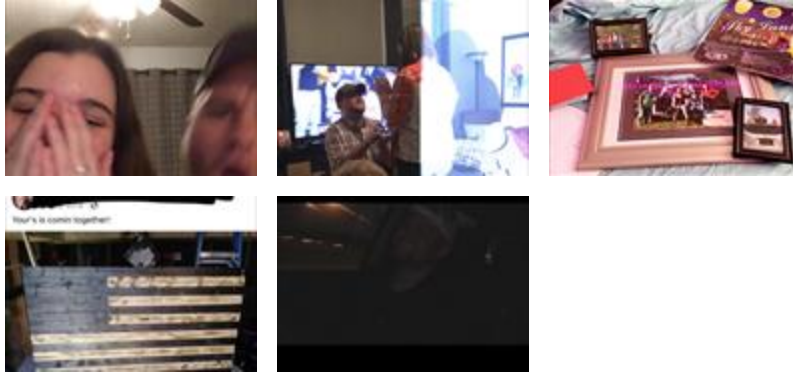
HC

We love and miss you very much...❤️

Heather Chambers - December 07, 2025 at 12:09 PM

SV

“ your memory will never die, i will spread awareness with your story. i love you ry.



Sienna V - September 04, 2024 at 01:47 AM

SV

“ When my mom started dating ryan I wasn't sure if I was ever gonna be a fan of him because I was a very stubborn girl. If I had known then he was gonna be my bestfriend I wouldve been so excited to spend moments with him, and my step siblings. He had such a bright smile, infectious laugh and the best at home comedian, cook, and artist anyone could ask for. He may not be with me physically but he is carried in my heart and is the reason for my determination to make him and everyone proud. I miss you bud, always and forever 🕊️.

Sienna V - September 04, 2024 at 01:45 AM

SH

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



shelby - August 03, 2021 at 07:07 PM

SH

“ *He treated me like I was his real daughter and that was my last weekend with him and if I knew that I would have made it even more special with him*



shelby - August 03, 2021 at 07:06 PM

BS

❤️❤️🕊️ *This is a beautiful tribute to Ryan, Shelby. You and the boys were his kids, too. He loved and will always love you kids, and your mom beyond explanation. I hope you guys are doing well. Love you all, Aunt Becky*

Becky Sears - October 12, 2021 at 02:14 PM

SH



shelby - April 19, 2022 at 10:53 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Ryan Douglas Chambers.*



April 24, 2021 at 08:59 PM

DS

“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



diane stanley - April 24, 2021 at 01:47 PM

DS

Ryan was such a sweet and special person. I'm so sorry for your loss.

diane stanley - April 24, 2021 at 01:53 PM

BS

I just saw this picture. What a beautiful memory. Thank you so much for your continual love and support!!! You mean the world to us!!!❤️❤️

Becky Sears - October 12, 2021 at 02:19 PM

CF

“*Ryan and I worked together and also went through the Leadership program together at work. Ryan brought an American Flag that he made from wood to my desk and said that he wanted to donate it to the Crusade for Children Auction. It was beautiful and The Crusade for Children and CBWRA were very grateful for his donation. Ryan had a great heart and will truly be missed.*

Christy Frazier - April 23, 2021 at 11:45 PM

BS

Thank you for the kind tribute. We miss Ryan very much. God Bless You, Aunt Becky

Becky Sears - October 12, 2021 at 02:22 PM

DL

“ Ryan was a great friend and co-worker. He cared so much for his family and his friends at work. We have to remember we have the memories of him, whether at work, at get-togethers or just talking to him, which will help us get through the tough days. He made a police flag for me to give to the Jeffersonville Police Department which they have hanging up in the police department. Which they truly loved. He was so loved by many. I have lost a good friend and co-worker. May God give us strength to remember the good times. Love you Ryan, you are at peace now, until we meet again



Donna LaLonde - April 23, 2021 at 08:04 PM

RS

I'm one of Ryan's many aunts. He was a beautiful, incredibly kind and giving man. Thank you for your lovely tribute. 🙏🙏🙏🙏🙏🙏

Rebecca Sears - April 24, 2021 at 06:21 AM

TV

“ Ryan was a hard working, fun young man! I am fortunate to have had the opportunity to have had him in my life. Although it was a short time. We had some good days coaching him at Northwest.
Tim Viox

Tim Viox - April 23, 2021 at 09:32 AM

DU

“ Doug, Star, and family.
Ryan was an amazing young man. We are so grateful for the chances to get to know him as an extended family member. You raised a great son. We hope the memories of his happy, fun filled life carry you through this sad time.
Steve and Doni Uphus

DONI UPHUS - April 23, 2021 at 08:27 AM

SH

“ I got so close to him he was like another dad to me I love him so much I wish he wasn't gone 😞



shelby - April 22, 2021 at 07:44 PM

MR

“ Ryan was a great co-worker to me. Always there to help when i asked. He was a very shy / quiet person (I thought) until I saw him at a party singing a country song outloud to Stephanie while they slow danced. He had a different side to him that i never expected. He was great artist with his wood making... All around great guy. He will be missed. Let flights of angels guide thee to thy rest.

Michele Romic - April 22, 2021 at 05:16 PM