



Ryan Michael Salvator

March 16, 1990 - December 6, 2022

On Tuesday, December 6, 2022, Ryan Salvator passed away in a car accident. Ryan is survived by his mom, Robin Carrier; dad, John Salvator; sisters Jordan and Regan (Scott) Salvator; and bonus dad, Ken Fritz.

Ryan was born in Louisville, Kentucky on March 16, 1990, and grew up in Powell, Ohio. He attended and graduated from Olentangy Liberty High School in 2008 (an Olentangy school district lifer). As a young boy, Ryan played every sport he could; however, it didn't take him long to realize that soccer was his passion. Not only was he an exceptional player, but an exceptional and selfless teammate.

Following graduation, Ryan earned his life and health insurance license at the age of 18, working in the industry for eight years. In 2016, Ryan was hired at UPS and worked there for the past eight years. He is remembered by his fellow employees as having a major impact on all whom he encountered, whether he worked directly with them or not.

Some words from several close friends and coworkers:

- "They say friends are family we choose. Ryan was exactly that. He was a brother. Ryan would listen and talk to you. Care and support you. Follow and lead you. He liked you for who you are and would always care about your well-being. He joked around often, as we all did hanging out. He was funny, witty, and full of laughter. He also knew when to get serious, compassionate, and thoughtful when that time was needed. We all need that at times and

Ryan would be there. Ryan will forever be remembered in our hearts and minds. He had an unforgettable personality and way about him that you wouldn't forget. Very few people will leave a lasting impression, and he is certainly one. His memories will always live on. Until we meet again. Rest easy Sal." – Shayne

- "Ryan is a friend whose warmth and caring for you never changed, neither over time nor distance. He had a big heart as was there for you when you needed him, no matter the time or place. Ryan put his family and friends before himself, and always had their backs. He was great to be around, always laughing or making others laugh. As he did before, I know he is still watching out for the ones he cared so much for. There were many times where he went to bat for me, or stuck up for me when I did not - I will never forget that. He did not like to see his loved ones in pain or hurting - and he had a way of getting you out of it, whether it was him listening to you, or making you laugh - when you needed a friend he was there. Forever a friend, through the good and the bad - now we are here in the rough without him, he will be sorely missed." – Ahmad

- "Ryan was my first real friend growing up and definitely my longest-term friend. We said we were like brothers because no matter how long it had been since we had seen each other it felt like we had not missed a day. He was someone you could always laugh and joke with, but what made him a true friend is that he was someone you could count on when you needed it. Everyone that knew him knows he had a big heart. He cared deeply about his family and friends and would do anything for them. It's hard to imagine having grown up without a friend like that by my side. I will always be grateful for that. We love you Ryan and will always miss you." – Michael

- "Sal was there for people when they needed someone, something, and anything. Exteriorly, he had thick skin. Almost impenetrable. But internally, the biggest heart a human being can carry. Sal would give you the shoes off his feet and walk through glass himself as long as you had comfort. He was a prideful individual in mentoring the younger, inexperienced, and oblivious

individuals. Never backed down from a challenge, and if someone said it can't be done, he'd do it. Never a dull moment around him, from his humor to sarcasm to seriousness. If he was present in the room, you would know. Sal was integral in and out of the work environment." – Juan

- "Sal was my longest/first real friend at UPS. I'll never forget walking by him leaving work every day my first time working there having him hype me up, him telling me he's going to make me a monster. He was consistently the hardest working man at that place daily, I admire his work ethic, and will continue that in my life. Sal was always there for me regardless of how he was doing. He would drop anything going on to make sure I got the help I needed. He is one of the strongest people I've ever met and I will love and honor him forever. He was my boy through it all and I will always miss him. He was a great man the best of mans and he made our brotherhood strongest." – Paul

- "I can't even begin to thank you for everything you've done for me. The biggest reason I've stayed at UPS for so long is the people. You have been one of the most influential and important people that I've come to know in the past four years. You taught me how to care for my people, not only at work, but outside as well. You and I have been through all kinds of bullshit, but at the end of the day, I always knew I could count on you being there for me in more ways than anyone else. I wouldn't be the man I am today without the lessons that you've taught me, and I hope you know how big of an impact you've had on my life and my growth as a person. Thank you for always giving me shit and pushing me to be better. Thank you, thank you, thank you. I love you." – Bryce

Aside from Ryan's hard work and dedication, he was the most selfless, kindhearted, funny, intelligent person with a beautiful soul that was evident to all. Whenever somebody needed a lending hand, he was there; whenever somebody needed a shoulder to cry on, he was there; whenever somebody needed a good laugh, he was there (as long as he had his phone on!).

Ryan loved hanging out with his family (including the dogs, of course). He always had a way of making everybody laugh, even at times when it didn't seem appropriate. Like last Christmas when he brought up our dog Cooper that passed away a couple years ago, and when my mom asked him to not discuss that, he so graciously changed the subject to our other dog Gus that passed away a couple years after that. He always managed to turn a tough situation into something lighter, whether that meant getting a good laugh out of us or telling us that everything would be okay. Ryan had an infectious spirit, and there are no words to express how deeply he will be missed by so many, especially his family.

We are having a "Ryan Party" on Saturday, December 17th, at Liberty Station Sports Bar in Powell (4060 Presidential Pkwy, Powell, OH 43065) to commemorate Ryan in the best way we know how. Ryan's party will go from noon to midnight, to which we welcome anyone who knew Ryan or his family to attend. Please come prepared to share your memories of Ryan.

"I want you to believe deep in your heart that you're capable of achieving anything you put your mind to. That you will never lose, you either win or learn. Just go forth and aim for the skies. I promise to love you for the rest of my life." - Mom

Kisses from your girls

Previous Events

Memorial Gathering:

DEC 17. 12:00 PM - 11:59 PM (ET)

Liberty Station Sports Bar
4060 Presidential Parkway
Powell, OH 43065

Liberty Station Phone: 614-553-7038

Tribute Wall

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“ 2 years ago you left us. I miss you every second of every day. How does a person learn to live a different life without you? I'm still trying to figure that out. I know in my heart that you'd want us to be happy and live life the way you did. I strive for that every day. You will always be in my heart and my first greatest love. I love and miss you...always. Mom

Robin Carrier - December 07, 2024 at 02:14 AM



“ Ryan Michael Salvator

January 28, 2023 at 10:24 AM

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Ahmad Farag - January 16, 2023 at 05:45 PM

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“ 160 files added to the album Photos



Ahmad - January 15, 2023 at 10:05 PM