# Joseph Cencula

January 25, 1963 - January 4, 2017

Joseph Cencula, age 53, of Lake Villa, IL passed away unexpectedly at home on Wednesday, January 4, 2017.

He was born January 25, 1963, the son of the late Arthur and Helen Cencula. He was an owner and operator of Cencula and Sons Builders and will be remembered as a man who helped those around him.

He is survived by his brothers Arthur (late Kim) Cencula Jr., Michael (Debbie) Cencula, John Cencula, and Bill Cencula; nieces Morgan Cencula and Kayla Cencula; and nephews Brandon Cencula and Jeffery Bunkelman.

Visitation and viewing will be 4 - 8:30 p.m. on Tuesday, January 10, 2017 at Ringa Funeral Home, 122 S. Milwaukee Ave. Lake Villa, IL 60046. Prayers will begin at 10:30 a.m. on Wednesday, January 11, 2017 at the funeral home followed by a procession to Prince of Peace Catholic Church for a 11 a.m. funeral Mass. Cremation will take place privately after the funeral. In lieu of flowers, please consider making a memorial contribution to Joey's family at https://www.gofundme.com/joe-cenculas-funeral-arrangements

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN **10**. 4:00 PM - 8:30 PM (CT)

Ringa Funeral Home
122 S. Milwaukee Ave.
Lake Villa, IL 60046
info@ringafuneralhome.com
http://www.ringafuneralhome.com

## Prayers

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## Mass

JAN **11**. 11:00 AM (CT)

Prince of Peace Catholic Church
135 S. Milwaukee Ave
Lake Villa, IL 60046
(847) 356-7915

# Tribute Wall

*Joseph Cencula*

October 04, 2023 at 02:13 PM

*Joseph Cencula*

December 31, 2022 at 11:36 AM

RW

*So sorry for your loss. my prayers are with your family.*

**Ruth Wachowiak** - January 25, 2017 at 09:27 AM

AK

*To a kind, loving, compassionate man. I am pleased to know that he loved God and now he is with him. He was taken to soon but I will see him again.*

**Althea Diamandis Kreisl** - January 14, 2017 at 10:51 AM

VV

*Vicki (Weber) Vettese lit a candle in memory of Joseph Cencula*

**Vicki (Weber) Vettese** - January 13, 2017 at 09:00 AM

AK

*Althea Diamandis Kreisl lit a candle in memory of Joseph Cencula*

**Althea Diamandis Kreisl** - January 11, 2017 at 09:27 PM

RP

*Joe always had a smile and a hello. I'm going too miss him. R.I.P. Joe.*

**Ron Paglia** - January 11, 2017 at 09:06 PM

TS

*I will miss Joe's ever present kindness.*

**Tim Stack** - January 11, 2017 at 01:59 PM

LW

*So very sorry about Joey.... Thoughts and prayers are with you all....Very hard to lose a sibling but you guys already know that. Thinking of you all.... Lynn and Joe Wells*

**Lynn and Joe Wells** - January 10, 2017 at 08:23 PM

CC

*Please know that our thoughts and prayers are with you all. Death is not the end; it is just the beginning. The beginning of everything that's beautiful and wonderful. So, please accept our heavy hearts, but celebrate that he is with GOD! Love Always, Laura and Chuck*

**Chuck and Laura Chapman** - January 10, 2017 at 06:16 PM

NJ

*Deepest Sympathies for your loss. Joey will be remembered and missed. My prayers and thoughts are with the Cencula family.*

*JC (Nancy) Johnson*

**Nancy Johnson** - January 10, 2017 at 05:59 PM

KK

*My thoughts and prayers are with the Cencula Family. I am so sorry for your loss.*
*Joey was a cool guy and I know he was deeply loved by his parents and family. It was great having the whole family and watching them grow up as Sand Lake neighbors.*
*Kathy Kuroski (Sand Lake)*

**Katherine Kuroski** - January 10, 2017 at 03:53 PM

MC

*Joe was so warm and kindhearted to everyone. He always was cheerful and made me feel welcomed. He really enjoyed seeing my Grandson when I brought him to the club, and gave him a little stuffed monkey, which to this day, Bennett still plays with, and brings to bed at nap time.*

*I know he will be missed by everyone who had the pleasure of his company.*

*Rest in Peace, Joe, the world was a better place with you.*

*Maureen Combs*

**Maureen Combs** - January 10, 2017 at 01:51 PM

TH

*So, so sorry. Holding you all close in thoughts and prayers. We love you ❤️*

*Tammy and Dave Hubeler and Family*

**tammy h** - January 11, 2017 at 08:00 PM

*Basket Full of Wishes was purchased for the family of Joseph Cencula.*

January 09, 2017 at 05:12 PM

RW

*I am deeply saddend by the loss of my friend Joe. His cheerful demeanor and smile could light up the room. He was always positive and friendly. A really nice guy! He will be missed by all who knew him.*

*Rest in peace brother. God has called you home.*

**Rod Williams** - January 09, 2017 at 09:15 AM

LR

*I'll never forget that smile! RIP Joey! Forever Young ~ My thoughts and prayers go out to his family and friends.*

**Lori Ross-Rosenbaum** - January 08, 2017 at 05:19 PM

LN

*Joey's contagious smile and laughter will be missed but not forgotten.*

**Lynn (Safranek) Nicolai** - January 08, 2017 at 04:23 PM

*Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Joseph Cencula.*

January 08, 2017 at 03:51 PM

WS

*I remember Joey's pranks, jokes and fun when visiting him and his family. Joey's free spirit was present throughout his life. Rest In Peace. Uncle Wayne*

**Wayne Snyder** - January 08, 2017 at 03:29 PM

CC

*Cathy Cooney-Millar lit a candle in memory of Joseph Cencula*

**Cathy Cooney-Millar** - January 08, 2017 at 10:13 AM

JH

*Jonn Halek lit a candle in memory of Joseph Cencula*

**Jonn Halek** - January 07, 2017 at 08:43 PM

HP

*Joey, as I knew him, loved his mustang!! I can see him driving down Engle Dr. in "The Village" while we that didn't have a license yet were walking. He would cruise past a couple times and then stop and ask if we wanted a ride and there wasn't a girl around that wouldn't jump at the chance to get in a car with a Cencula boy. Until we meet again Joey..... RIP*

**Holly Persson-Ridgway** - January 07, 2017 at 06:22 PM

SD

*We went to school together. He will be missed greatly. My condolences to the family.*

**Susan Davis`** - January 07, 2017 at 06:11 PM

RT

*The Cencula Family are in our thoughts and prayers !! RIP My Friend !!*

**Rob , Lesa Tolbert** - January 07, 2017 at 01:48 PM

JO

*Aw, Joe; you may be gone but you won't be forgotten--your laugh, your pranks--you had a fast life so you had to fit a lot in. You're with God now in Whom you had great faith.*

**joan** - January 07, 2017 at 12:32 PM

*Your gonna be missed Joey. It was hard seeing you struggle the last few years. No more suffering for you.*

**Kevin Phares** - January 09, 2017 at 09:21 PM

RH

*Ronald Hildinger lit a candle in memory of Joseph Cencula*

**Ronald Hildinger** - January 07, 2017 at 09:41 AM

LS

*Joey as we all called him-- a man with the beautiful cars-- always loved your Mustangs babe ❤️. Your smile and good looks were mesmerizing!! May you RIP and "....until we meet again" keep watch over us down here.*

**laurie stockland straub** - January 06, 2017 at 08:54 PM

DA

*I remember Joey in his Red Mustang Gt cruising down Engle Dr with his t-tops off and music 🎶 blaring. Always with a smile and a zest for life. RIP my friend.*

**Dennis Armstrong** - January 06, 2017 at 08:53 PM

CO

*One of our memories....Having lunch with him at our house and watching him and Dan talk, and laugh together. "Mr. Joey" was always so good with all our boys. Very generous, hard working and a good-hearted man. You and your smile will be missed Joe. Christine*

**Christine O'Neil** - January 06, 2017 at 08:34 PM

PB

*I will never forget you, Joey, the little boy sitting on our front steps along with his brothers, Art and Mike, waiting for my husband, the late Kerm Radke, to come home and toss the football around. You will be greatly missed by all. You came from a wonderful family with so much love. God Bless the Cencula Family and you Joey. Love, Penny (Radke) Bailitz.*

**Penny Bailitz** - January 07, 2017 at 01:50 PM

PB

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**Penny Bailitz** - January 08, 2017 at 08:46 PM

JN

*I remember Joey's Zest for life. R.I.P Joey*

**John Nichols** - January 09, 2017 at 12:25 AM

KD

*Our deepest sympathies to the Cencula family! We will always have fond memories of Joey! We were friends all throughout our school years and graduated together. He was ambitious, loved going fast (he even walked fast) and was a fun and kind person. He will be missed! RIP our friend!*
*Wayne & Karen (Stockland) Dahl*

**Karen Dahl** - January 09, 2017 at 04:00 PM