



## Joseph W. Mitchell

April 5, 1947 - December 14, 2024

Joseph W. Mitchell, 77, of Antioch, IL passed away on December 14, 2024.

Joseph was born in Chicago on April 5, 1947, the son of the late Joseph and Mary Mitchell (Tedesco). Joseph grew up in Chicago where he attended Steinmetz High School. He joined the Marine Corps and was stationed in San Diego, CA, and earned an award in Marksmanship. Joseph graduated from Wilbur Wright College. He worked most of his life in Information Management and was more recently in business with his son Joe. Joseph moved to Mt. Prospect, and then years later to Arlington Heights, where he lived until he retired when he then moved to Antioch. He enjoyed golfing (including two holes-in-one), boating, fishing, traveling, riding his motorcycle, and spending time with his family. He will be remembered for his willingness to always help, generosity, love of his family, strength, knowledge, and his love of good food.

Joe is survived by his loving wife Louise Rose Mitchell (Meck) daughter of Jeanette (Jerry) and Roy Meck. Father of Kimberly (Chris) Molinaro, Jennifer (Clint) Vogler, Joseph Mitchell & Jessica Mitchell. He was the very proud and adoring grandfather of Jake, Ryan, Gabrielle, Jason, Grace, Luke, Isabella & Joseph. He is the brother of Mary (Joseph) and Betty (Sandy) and brother-in-law to Rose (Tom), Janet, Roy, Debra (Bob), and John (Kim) along with many nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends.

A visitation will be held from 4-8 pm on Friday, December 20, 2024, at Ringa Funeral Home, 122 S. Milwaukee Ave (Rte. 83) Lake Villa, IL, 60046. Prayers will begin at 9:30 am on December 21, 2024, at the funeral home followed by a procession to Prince of Peace Church for an 11 am Mass. The burial will be at Ascension Cemetery in Libertyville, IL.

In lieu of flowers, please consider a donation to Alexander Leigh Center for Autism - <https://alcacenter.org/>.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC **20**. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Ringa Funeral Home  
122 S. Milwaukee Ave.  
Lake Villa, IL 60046  
(847) 356-2146  
info@ringafuneralhome.com  
<https://www.ringafuneralhome.com>

## Visitation

DEC **21**. 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM (CT)

Ringa Funeral Home  
122 S. Milwaukee Ave.  
Lake Villa, IL 60046  
(847) 356-2146  
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## Funeral Mass

DEC **21**. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

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

## Burial

DEC **21** (CT)

Ascension Catholic Cemetery  
IL Route 137 and Saint Mary's Road  
Libertyville, IL 60048

# Tribute Wall

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“ Our deepest sympathy to the Mitchell Family. Joe was a regular at Lake Villa Restaurant and loved his Ham Skillet. He loved talking to us about how much he loved his kids and always had a story or something positive to say. He will be missed at the diner. Our deepest sympathy goes out to his family and friends. Rest in peace!

Lake Villa Restaurant - December 24, 2024 at 09:19 PM

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“ Our deepest condolences on your family’s loss. May the love of family and friends surround and support you during this difficult time. Love,  
Charisse, Jon, Colin and Lita Aguilar



The Aguilar Family - December 21, 2024 at 11:17 AM

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“ The Handschiegel family purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Joseph W. Mitchell.



The Handschiegel family - December 20, 2024 at 11:45 PM

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“ The Handschiegel family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Joseph W. Mitchell.

The Handschiegel family - December 20, 2024 at 11:45 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Joseph W. Mitchell.*



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December 20, 2024 at 09:23 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Joseph W. Mitchell.

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December 20, 2024 at 09:23 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Joseph W. Mitchell.*



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December 19, 2024 at 06:32 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Joseph W. Mitchell.

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December 19, 2024 at 06:32 PM

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“ *The Fulmer and Hayden families purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Joseph W. Mitchell.*



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**The Fulmer and Hayden families** - December 19, 2024 at 04:11 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Joseph W. Mitchell.*



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December 19, 2024 at 12:46 PM

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“ *Mitchell Family,  
I am so very sorry to hear about Mr. Mitchell. We were neighbors back in the 70's/80's in Mount Prospect. I used to babysit Kim, Jenny, and Joey, it was my first paying job. Both Louise and Joe were so nice and worked so hard to provide for their beautiful family. Please accept my condolences. I hope all of the cherished memories bring you solace and peace. Sincerely, Colleen Powell*

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**Colleen Powell** - December 18, 2024 at 09:19 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Joseph W. Mitchell.*



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December 17, 2024 at 10:59 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Joseph W. Mitchell.

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December 17, 2024 at 10:59 PM



“ Your harbor Families purchased the Lavender Reflections Spray for the family of Joseph W. Mitchell.



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**Your harbor Families** - December 17, 2024 at 06:46 PM