



Michael Frank Pawluk

July 25, 1963 - October 28, 2021

Michael Frank Pawluk, 58 years old, passed away on October 28, 2021.

Mike was born in Chicago on July 25, 1963, the son of the late Nikolaus and Angela Pawluk. He was an Army Veteran and served in Germany and Honduras. He graduated from Reavis High School in 1981 and Western Illinois University in 1987. He met his wife Suzette Juneman, in college, and they married on his birthday in 1993. They had a son, Matthew, that he loved with all his heart. Mike always told Matthew, that he was very proud of him. He loved teaching Matthew about computers and video games. In fact, Mike helped him build a computer last year.

He worked for Homeland Security since 2004 and retired July, 2021.

Surviving are his wife, Suzette and son Matthew of Round Lake Beach, IL, brothers Charles (Nancy) Pawluk, Frankfort, IL and Robert (Debbie) Pawluk, New Lenox, IL, and many nieces and nephews.

A Celebration of Life will be held at a later date.

To send flowers or a memorial gift to the family of Michael Pawluk, please visit our [Sympathy Store](#).

Tribute Wall



“ *Michael Frank Pawluk*

October 04, 2023 at 02:13 PM



“ *Michael Frank Pawluk*

December 31, 2022 at 11:36 AM



“ *So sad & sorry to hear the passing of Mike. We were Angie & Nicks neighbors. We were blessed with them. We were able to watch 3 boys grow up to be fabulous & great men. They are all so respectful & kind. Thoughts & hugs to all of you. Tom & Joanne Bertram*

Joanne Bertram - November 04, 2021 at 01:26 PM



Thanks Joanne & Tom, that was very nice.

Chuck Pawluk - November 05, 2021 at 04:43 PM



Thank you, Tom and Joannie!! I appreciate your kind words.

Suzette Pawluk - November 06, 2021 at 03:05 PM



“ *Saddened to hear of Mikes passing. I was privileged to serve with him in Germany. He will be remembered as always having a smile and a joke to share. Thoughts and prayers go out to his family.*

Greg - November 04, 2021 at 01:06 PM



Thank you, Greg,

Suzette Pawluk - November 06, 2021 at 03:06 PM

CP

“ Growing up, I remember that Mike was my mother & dad's favorite son. My dad liked that Mike had "a lot of schooling" which is a little ironic because we both graduated from Western Illinois University. LOL! He was very lucky to have had a loving wife in Suzette and a great son in Matt, both whom he loved very much. As my brother Rob & I have no sons, we are very pleased Matt will be carrying on the family name. Mike I know is very proud of him. He left us way too early and as we know, life isn't always fair. One of my favorite songs is from Sandy Denny & Fairport Convention called "Who Knows Where The Time Goes" . It's the truth!

Chuck Pawluk - November 03, 2021 at 07:07 PM

SP

Chuck, Mike loved you and the family, so much.

Suzette Pawluk - November 06, 2021 at 03:08 PM

JW

“ Jim and Karen Wasser purchased the Mrs. Fields Signature Heritage Pail for the family of Michael Frank Pawluk.



Jim and Karen Wasser - November 03, 2021 at 05:59 PM

TP

“ We are shocked and deeply saddened to learn of Mike passing. He was a kind and sweet gut who was always ready to make you smile and laugh. The last time I saw Mike was with Bob and Jim and we had a great time catching up and telling stories and laughing about our past antics. We will cherish those times even more. Jenny and I offer our deepest condolences to you, Mathew and your entire family during this very sad and difficult time. We pray you can find comfort knowing how much Mike loves you all. Jenny and Tom Pruim

Tom Pruim - November 03, 2021 at 12:40 PM

SP

Tom and Jenny, Thank you! He loved his outings with you guys.

Suzette Pawluk - November 06, 2021 at 03:09 PM

JP

“ *Jenny and Tom Pruim purchased the Sweet Sampler Basket for the family of Michael Frank Pawluk.*



Jenny and Tom Pruim - November 03, 2021 at 12:25 PM

JW

“ *Suzette and Matthew, I am so sorry for your lose. Mike was a very dear friend of mine for 40 years. I considered him a brother. He and I had classes at MVCC and we started a friendship that stretched over 40 years. I saw the world through Mike's experiences while he was in the Army. He was a friend who gave you unconditional support and friendship. Mike was there through some very difficult times in my life and was there at some of the most fun of my life. I don't have many pictures from those days since Mike was the one who always seemed to have a camera - before the days of the cell phone. I could tell you so many funny stories involving Mike, Bob, Tom, and me, but that will have to wait until we are all together and toasting our dear friend/brother. Our thoughts and prayers are with you both. May God bless Mike with eternal peace and may he grant you strength during this most difficult time. Jim and Karen Wasser*

Jim Wasser - November 03, 2021 at 08:45 AM

SP

Jim and Karen, He always had a great time with you and the guys. Lots of laughs.

Suzette Pawluk - November 06, 2021 at 03:09 PM

AD

“ *Suzette and Matthew and family, So sorry for your loss. Our hearts ache for you. We are thinking about you and your family. Many hugs and love.*

*Bob and Alice Douglas
Bushnell, IL*

Alice (Hornbaker) Douglas - November 02, 2021 at 11:20 PM

SP

Bob and Alice, Thank you for your kinds words. Love you!

Suzette Pawluk - November 06, 2021 at 03:10 PM