



Michael Ray Jones

September 30, 1953 - April 23, 2023

Michael Ray Jones (Jonesy), 69, of Silex, passed away Sunday, April 23, 2023 at St. Louis University Hospital.

Cremation rites are under the direction of Bibb-Veach Funeral Homes and Crematory of Bowling Green and Silex, Missouri.

Mike was born September 30, 1953 in Cape Girardeau, Missouri to Bobby Ray and Alice "Leanna" (Limbaugh) Jones. His mother survives.

Also surviving are his loving wife, Debbie Jones; siblings: Eddie Jones of Sedgewickville, Missouri, Carol Yamnitz (Terry) of Patton, Missouri, Gary Jones (Cindy) of Perryville, Missouri, and Mark Jones of Patton, Missouri; mother-in-law, Lorraine Boschert-Schomaker (Danny); brothers-in-law, Larry Boschert (Kathy), Keith Boschert (Debbie), and Duane Boschert; nieces; nephews; a large extended family; and many close friends. He also leaves his beloved companions; his dogs, Whiskey, Tank, Sarge, and Tippy.

Mike was preceded in death by his father; grandparents; and a niece and a nephew.

Mike grew up in Patton, Missouri, moved to St. Charles where he worked as a mechanic and heavy equipment operator for many companies, the last being

Fred Weber. He was a member of the Local 513 Operators & Engineers. Mike and Debbie were united in marriage on May 10, 1980 in St. Charles. In 2001, Mike and Debbie moved to Silex.

Mike enjoyed crappie fishing and frying the fish for his family. He also enjoyed vegetable gardening and canning; along with hunting deer, rabbit, and turkey. He loved boating on Mark Twain Lake in his free time. Mike liked to travel and take cruises. He had been to the Caribbean, Lake of the Ozarks, Florida, elk hunting in Colorado, and California to visit family and friends. His most recent trip was a bus trip to the Northeast. Mike enjoyed spending his time sitting on the patio listening to his beagles bark and watch the birds. Most of all, Mike enjoyed being with his friends and family.

A Celebration of Life will be held Saturday, May 27th, 2023 at the Millwood Knights of Columbus Hall, 28 St. Alphonsus Rd., Millwood, Missouri from 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Tribute Wall

RW

“ *Debbie I just wanted you to know that I am so sorry for your loss and I will keep you and your family in my prayers*

Rose Wilson

Rose Wilson - May 25, 2023 at 11:12 PM

DK

“ *Debbie I am so sorry for your loss. Mike was such a great man. My Micheal takes after his God Father. Mike would be proud. Know I'm thinking and praying for you and the family*

Deborah Keller - April 27, 2023 at 06:51 PM

MW

“ *Dear Debbie.
So sorry to hear of your loss.
Mike was a great guy. I remember the first time we met. Always enjoyed his visits. But not enough visits through the years.
We are a phone call away.
Dave and Maureen*

Maureen Wommack - April 27, 2023 at 08:16 AM