



Michael Layne Ogden

May 6, 1959 - December 3, 2021

Michael Layne Ogden - Cardinal fan, Civil Engineer, fisherman, hunter, and Democrat - passed away on December 3, 2021. He was 62 at the time of his passing, living in Lake St. Louis. Mike attended Bowling Green High School, graduating in 1977. He attended Hannibal LaGrange College and then University of Missouri – Rolla, graduating from there in 1982 with a degree in Civil Engineering.

Mike began his professional life in Conrow, Tx working for the Texas Highway Department. He moved to Houston in 1984 to work for McCarthy Brothers Construction Company, then to Great Falls, MT in 1991 where he took a position with Tamietti Construction. Mike came back to Missouri in 1998 and began working for James Becker Consulting Engineers. When Mr. Becker was ready to retire, Mike bought the company, leaving the name the same. Mike loved his job, loved his family, and loved his life.

That life changed drastically in 2002 when he had a medical emergency while driving. The resulting injuries left Mike unable to resume his engineering career. After a lengthy medical convalescence, he began filling some of his time assisting at Ranken-Jordan Pediatric Hospital. Mike was then diagnosed with throat cancer, which took another lengthy period for recovery.

He was eventually able to re-enter the workforce, taking a job with a large

area retailer. In 2019 Mike returned to his engineering roots, taking a job with FEMA in Anchorage, AK as a Disaster Zone Recovery Contractor. He enjoyed Alaska very much and was happy to be putting his knowledge to use again. Due to Covid, Mike was waiting for FEMA to begin sending recovery teams out again. He was looking forward to the next assignment.

Mike was also an avid reader and enjoyed witty conversation and political debate whenever the opportunity arose. And to those friends who sparred with Mike on Facebook, just know – he wasn't done yet, he still thinks you're wrong, and when you meet again he will be ready to take up where you left off.

Mike is survived by his daughter, Jennifer, of St. Louis; parents, Ray and Emily Ogden of Bowling Green; brothers, Alan (Marge) of Salisbury, MO and Jeff (Tammy) of Jefferson City, MO; sister, Janice (Art) Flynn of Bowling Green; and several much-loved nieces and one nephew.

Please join the family for visitation on Saturday, December 11, 2021 from 10:00 to 12:00 at Bibb-Veach Funeral Home in Bowling Green, MO. The family requests that masks be worn by all who attend. Burial services will be private. In lieu of flowers the family requests donations to either the Bowling Green Alumni Association or the Epilepsy Foundation.

Online condolences may be left at www.bibbveach.com.

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 11. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

Bibb-Veach Funeral Home's & Crematory LLC - Bowling Green

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Tribute Wall

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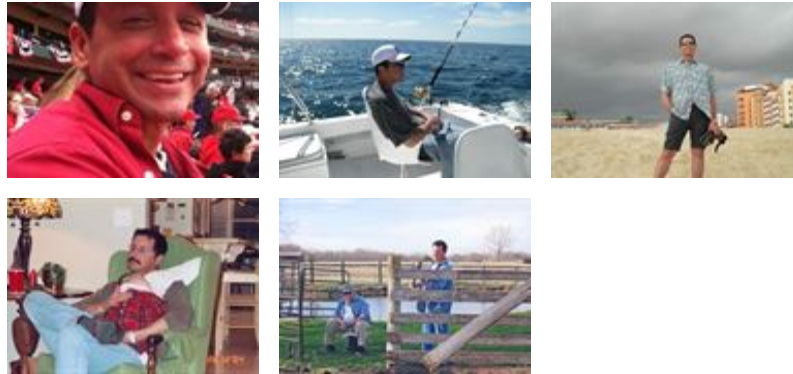
“ *Peggy Howse lit a candle in memory of Michael Layne Ogden*



Peggy Howse - December 11, 2021 at 10:14 AM



“ *46 files added to the album Life Tributes*



Bibb-Veach Funeral Home's, LLC. - December 10, 2021 at 10:37 AM

LK

This is such a tragedy. I've been cutting Mike's hair in Lake St Louis when he was home. He even came to my house during COVID shutdown. He was an amazing man and loved coming home to Bowling Green. I haven't seen him in several months but that's not unusual due to traveling. My heart is broken as I'm sure everyone who knew is. Prayers for his family in these hard times ahead. Lori Kottwitz

Lori Kottwitz - December 10, 2021 at 02:09 PM

LK

Sending prayers

Lori Kottwitz - December 10, 2021 at 02:10 PM

PM

I am so sorry for your loss. Mike was a good guy and I will miss his smiling face and strong (correct 🙄) opinions. Rest in power Mike!!

Patty Salois Marshall - December 27, 2021 at 03:27 PM

RS

“ *So sorry for your loss.*



Renee Sevier - December 10, 2021 at 09:36 AM

PC

“ *Pam Cole lit a candle in memory of Michael Layne Ogden*



Pam Cole - December 09, 2021 at 12:31 PM

TN

“ *I'm so sorry to hear of Mike's passing. May your special memories help you through this difficult time. Thinking of all of you and wishing you peace and comfort.*



Tina Helton Noennig

Tina Noennig - December 09, 2021 at 12:24 PM

GL

“ *God Bless you, John & Stacey Laurent purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Michael Layne Ogden.*



God Bless you, John & Stacey Laurent - December 08, 2021
at 05:16 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Michael Layne Ogden.*



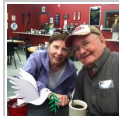
December 07, 2021 at 12:06 PM



“ *Linda Harmon lit a candle in memory of Michael Layne Ogden*



Linda Harmon - December 07, 2021 at 11:02 AM



So very sorry for the family's loss.

Linda Harmon - December 07, 2021 at 11:04 AM

PP

“ *Peggy Perkins lit a candle in memory of Michael Layne Ogden*



Peggy Perkins - December 07, 2021 at 09:30 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Michael Layne Ogden.*



December 07, 2021 at 08:08 AM

EL

“ *Elenora Lobb lit a candle in memory of Michael Layne Ogden*



Elenora Lobb - December 07, 2021 at 07:59 AM

DR

“ *Mike was a great guy. Alot of good memories. So very sorry for the family's loss.*

Diane Ross Rees - December 07, 2021 at 07:02 AM

JM

“ So very sorry to hear of your loss of Mike!

Ed and Jane McGeorge

Jane McGeorge - December 07, 2021 at 01:01 AM

KO

“ *Kathy Orf lit a candle in memory of Michael Layne Ogden*



Kathy Orf - December 06, 2021 at 09:07 PM

AC

“ *So sorry to hear about Mike's passing. Prayer's to all!*



Ann Cannon - December 06, 2021 at 07:25 PM