



Michael Robert Grasso

March 17, 1947 - November 29, 2020

Michael Robert Grasso, age 73 of Bad Axe passed away peacefully Sunday, November 29, 2020 at home surrounded by those he loved most.

Mike was born on March 17, 1947 in Ironwood, MI to the late Joseph and Sophie Grasso. He married his wife JoAnne Schenk on June 8, 1991 in Bad Axe, MI.

Mike was a devoted husband, amazing father and grandfather. He was a proud member of Operating Engineers Local 324 and heavy equipment operator for over 35 years. Even though Mike's job took him out of the area to work he never missed a single game or meet that his daughter played in high school and loved watching his grandkids play sports and their recitals. He was an avid outdoorsman that enjoyed fishing and hunting. Mike made many lifelong, fond memories with his wife, daughter, family and friends on fishing trips aboard his beloved boat the Sweet Adeline and on bear and deer hunting trips to their cabin and land in Bessemer, MI in the U.P. On Saturday evenings he would be seated in the last pew at Sacred Heart Catholic Church for mass. Mike was also a die hard Green Bay Packers fan, loved to play cards with his friends and could strike up a conversation with anyone he met.

He is survived by his wife JoAnne Grasso, daughter Danielle McKimmy (special friend Corey Smith) grandchildren Rayleigh, Delaney, and Aiden all of

Bad Axe, brother Richard (Barbara) Grasso of Milwaukee, WI, sisters Mary Strelchek of Bessemer, MI and Lucie Dovichi of Jackson, WI, brother-in-laws Dick (Kathy) Schenk, Bob (Pat) Schenk, Ron (Pat) Schenk, Joe (Ardis) Schenk all of Bad Axe, and many nephews, nieces, great nephews and great nieces.

He was preceded in death by his parents, brother Joe Grasso, nephews David (Chooch) Grasso and Glenn Grasso, mother-in-law Gertrude Schenk and brother-in-laws Alfred (Nino) Dovichi, Bill Strelchek and Dennis Schenk.

A private viewing and funeral service with Fr. T.J. Fleming officiating will take place at Kaufman funeral home on December 3, 2020.

“May each tear and each fond memory be a note of love rising to meet you.”
– Jennifer Williamson

Tribute Wall



“ *Michael Robert Grasso*

January 28, 2023 at 01:32 PM



“ *JoAnn and family sorry for your loss! Your in my Prayers 🙏
Sincerely Connie*

Connie L. Graham - December 03, 2020 at 09:54 AM



“ *JoAnne and Dani please know that I am so very sorry for your loss.
May God wrap His arms around you and your families now and in
the days to come for comfort. Love to you both at this time from
Lansing. Joanne (MacDonald) Horton*

Joanne Horton - December 02, 2020 at 08:13 PM



“ *I will miss seeing my neighbor Mikey, but I am
so relieved he is no longer in pain.*

*May God wrap his arms around you Joann,
Dani & girls and give you peace, support and
love in the days ahead.*

Nadine

Nadine janik - December 02, 2020 at 07:40 PM



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“ *Lu Toner lit a candle in memory of Michael Robert Grasso*



Lu Toner - December 02, 2020 at 04:19 PM

LT

Dear Cousins JoAnne, Dani and Family,

I am so sad to hear of Cousin Mike's passing. May your memories of him be a comfort to you. My prayers are with you all.

Love, Lu

Lu Toner - December 02, 2020 at 04:22 PM

RM

“ *Dear Joanne and Dani and family,
We are so very sorry for your loss. Deepest sympathy to all of you.
God bless and take care of each other.
Rhonda, Greg and Amanda*

Rhonda Matelski - December 02, 2020 at 03:47 PM

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“ *Joann and all of Mike's family. We are very sorry for your loss. Mike will be remembered as one of the many Davita warriors. May he finally enjoy his eternal rest.*



Ron and Mary Beth Nimtz

Mary Beth Nimtz - December 02, 2020 at 11:32 AM