



Michael Joseph Pastula

March 15, 1942 - August 2, 2009

Pastula, Michael Joseph Michael was called to the Heavenly Father's house on August 2, 2009 at age 67. Beloved husband of Janice for 45 years. Loving father of Margaret Stawizky, Carol, Michael (Colleen), Mary Campbell, Catherine (Robert) Hardesty and Jennifer. Dear grandfather of Charles, Christopher, Camerin, Michael, Alana and Brett. Brother of Joseph and Anna and the late John and Mary Jane. Born in Detroit on March 15, 1942 to Michael and Veronica (Biegas). Retired in 1999 with 37 years of service at General Motors (first he worked at Fisher Body in Livonia and then Romulus Power Train) as an Electrician. Michael was a quiet man except when he was trying to make his point, and then he would get very boisterous and animated. He had a big heart and there wasn't anything that he wouldn't do for anyone. Many times he gave up his car to let someone borrow it when theirs was under the weather. He loved cooking and was always concocting a new spin on a recipe. His home-made Polish sausage was beyond words. Talking about his love of cooking: he had a bigger passion for collecting cookbooks and had many bookshelves filled with new ones he acquired. He liked pheasants and had been collecting anything pheasant to display. He also loved the Lockhorns cartoon strip and would sometimes laugh uncontrollable after reading them. He was loved and will be missed by everyone who knew him, especially his retired work friends who he joined once a month for their breakfast discussions. The family will receive guests on Thursday, August 6th from 2:00 PM - 9:00 PM with a funeral service on Friday August 7th at 10:00

AM. Both will be held at the Vermeulen Funeral Home, located at 980 North Newburgh Road (at Marquette between Ford and Cherry Hill) Their phone number is 734-326-1300. In lieu of flowers, the family prefers that Memorial Contributions be made to The American Diabetes or American Heart Associations. To leave a message of condolence please click on the view and share condolences link to the left on this page.

Tribute Wall



“ *Michael Joseph Pastula*

December 07, 2023 at 05:11 AM



“ *My thoughts are with all of you who loved Michael. I share your loss. He was a very special, loving man and will be sorely missed.*

James Christian - December 12, 2014 at 10:17 AM



“ *My heart, thoughts, and prayers are with your family during this very difficult time. Growing up with Carol as one of my very best friends, I got to know her dad. He was very loved and will be sorely missed. I will miss his sense of humor, that's for sure!*

Kimberly Osler - December 12, 2014 at 10:17 AM



“ *Although I never met you Michael, I think I know how much your wife loved you. Deeply would be putting it mildly. She will be so lost without you. And although she will NEVER get over the loss of you, she will learn to live without you until our heavenly father calls her home to be with you for eternity. May you rest in peace, and may God Bless your family, Michael.*

Linda Swinford - December 12, 2014 at 10:17 AM



“ *Carol and the Pastula family, I am so sorry for your loss. May the love of those around you help you through the days ahead.*

Laurie Vargo Wilke - December 12, 2014 at 10:17 AM

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“ *Our prayers go out to you and your family, Carol. While he will be missed upon this earth, your father will live in your hearts and spirits for your lifetime. He'll be watching over you all and saving a place in heaven when you reunite. Take care.*

Jimmy & Sammi DiTomaso - December 12, 2014 at 10:17 AM