



Richard "Pooch" Pruchniewski

July 16, 1935 - April 3, 2011

Pruchniewski, Richard "Pooch" age 75 April 4, 2011 Dear brother of Chris (Robert) Ames. Loving uncle to his nieces & nephews. Beloved nephew to Josephine Kawecki. Visitation Wed 2-9 PM at Vermeulen Funeral Home, 980 N Newburgh Rd. (btwn Ford & Cherry Hill) Westland. In state Thurs 10:30 AM until 11 AM Funeral Mass at St. Dunstan Catholic Church, 1515 Belton Rd off Inkster (btwn Ford & Cherry Hill) Garden City. Interment Great Lakes National Cemetery, Holly, MI Memorials to the Police Officer's Association would be appreciated. To share a memory, please use the View & Send Condolences tab on this web page.

Tribute Wall



“ *Richard "Pooch" Pruchniewski*

December 07, 2023 at 05:11 AM



“ *Im truly sorry to hear about your lost. Richard will definitely be missed by so many. One thing that helps me deal or cope with loosing a loved one is the scripture John 5:28,29. It stats " Do not marvel at this, because the hour is coming in which all those in the memorial tombs will hear his voice and come out, those who did good things to a resurrection of life....." Soon we will be able to see Richard again because God (Jehovah) promises a resurrection hope. Also if you notice that it uses the term "memorial tomb" and not [Grave] which means Gods memory. Richard seemed like a really nice guy, a person that God will definitely remember. I hope this gives some comfort. Dion R (Truth.1914@yahoo.com)*

Dion - December 12, 2014 at 10:15 AM



“ *To the family of Richard please except my Condolences. I worked with Pooch for a lot of years at the Clinton Twp Police Dept. He would do anything asked of him both on and off duty.He was liked by so many because of his willingness to help others. I will say a prayer for him and never forget him along with the others from the Clinton Twp. Police dept. who have gone before him. MARTY*

Marty Mileski - December 12, 2014 at 10:15 AM

VP

“ *Richard was my cousin and he was all around good person. I remember when he was a cop on the Mt Clemens police force and used to tell me about his work. He had a wonderful mother, my aunt. Rest with God, cousin Richard!*

Victor Pruchniewski - December 12, 2014 at 10:15 AM

TS

“ *Uncle Richie, As sad as it is that you are no longer with us, it is a true blessing that you are no longer suffering. You are now home with God, your Father and Mother, your Brother and the many Aunts and Uncles that have been waiting for you in Heaven. May you and everyone rejoice together for your coming home. I will not be selfish and say that I alone am going to miss you because you have touched some many people's lives in your time here, that you are going to be missed dearly by many. Thank you for being my Godfather & Uncle and a Great Uncle to my kids. I am able to keep with me all the childhood memories I have with you and the family. Until we are all together again as one, I will always love you and miss you. Give Big Grandpa, Big Grandma and Uncle Bobby a hug and kiss for me. Xoxox*

Tina (Ames) Schroeder - December 12, 2014 at 10:15 AM

BN

“ *I am so sorry to hear about your great loss! I pray that you may find some comfort in the scripture at Revelation 21:4 where Jehovah God promises a time when "he will wipe out every tear from their eyes, and death will be no more, neither will mourning nor outcry nor pain be anymore." We are also promised a time when "all those in the memorial tombs...will come out!" (John 5:28). What a joyous time we have to look forward to in the future when we will be able to see our dear loved ones again!*

Beth Nolf - December 12, 2014 at 10:15 AM

DL

“ Uncle Richie: When I was in town and visited you at the home, you reminded me so much of your dad. This truly is an end of an era as the Pruchniewski name will no longer live on. I remember how much you loved working for the police department. I even remember a story about you pulling over a priest. You called headquarters to see if it was o.k. to give him a ticket. You lived for that job! Remember when you came to Amanda's communion party? Well...you knew I lived in Chicago, so you got in your car and drove to Chicago. P.S. you didn't even have my address! You just figured if I get to Chicago, she'll tell me how to get to her house! Meanwhile, I lived 45 minutes from the City. We all had a good chuckle when you finally made it here!! I truly am going to miss you! You are in a better place now. Please say hi to Grandma and Grandpa, Uncle Bobby and Uncle Joe! I miss all of them too! Love, Debbie Ames-Lang

Debbie Lang - December 12, 2014 at 10:15 AM

MO

“ Richard, You gently entered our world and immediately befriended all of us at Roy O'Brien Ford, over fifteen years ago. Be it an employee or a customer, you always had a smile and a warm greeting for them. You personally adopted a mission to make our place better than it was when you arrived on the scene. Planting trees, installing sinks and water fountains throughout the shop, answering to all 120 of your "bosses"-all in the name of pleasing us-are but a few of the many legacies you've left us and our dealership. You will be honored and memorialized forever at Roy O'Brien Ford through the continuation of "The Pooch Award", named in your honor and given annually to the employee who most exemplifies the spirit, love and dedication exhibited by YOU! Thank you for blessing our world with your kindness, generosity and friendship. Farewell good friend. Until we meet again.... Your friends at Roy O'Brien Ford

Mark O'Brien - December 12, 2014 at 10:15 AM

TW

“ Pooch, it's an honor to have known you. Among other things, I want to thank you for helping me with my first boat.....and not laughing at me for not knowing the difference between the bow and the stern! You were a good man, and would do anything for others. God bless.

Terry Waldoch - December 12, 2014 at 10:15 AM

DM

“ Rest in peace, Pooch. Thanks for serving our Nation in the military and the Township of Clinton on the Police Department. Thanks for all the laughs, I still smile when I think of you. You were a generous and kind man I know you have earned your place in heaven.

Doug Mills - December 12, 2014 at 10:15 AM