



William "Sling Blade" Toth, Jr.

October 16, 1943 - July 28, 2016

Toth, William Jr., July 28, 2016, age 72 of Ypsilanti. Beloved husband of Nancy for 52 years. Loving father of Bill (Jeannette) Toth and Tina (Tom) Eichner . Dear grandfather of Samantha, Chelsea and Nichole Toth. Proud great-grandfather of Eli Bunting. Bill was an employee of Ford Motor Company for 43 years. 25 Year volunteer of the Superior Twp. Fire Dept. Proud member of Wart Hogs M.C. Long time participant in the Ypsilanti Volunteer Police Force. Plymouth-Canton Bus Monitor. Visitation Sunday 3 - 9 PM at Vermeulen-Sajewski Funeral Home, 46401 W. Ann Arbor Road (between Sheldon and Beck) Plymouth. Funeral Service will take place Monday 1 PM at the funeral home. Memorials may be made to Donor's Choice, envelopes available at the funeral home. To share memories, please visit vermeulenfuneralhome.com

Cemetery Details

Knollwood Memorial Park

1299 North Ridge Road
Canton, MI

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 31. 3:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

Vermeulen-Sajewski Funeral Home Plymouth
46401 Ann Arbor Road West
Plymouth, MI 48170
(734) 459-2250
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Funeral Service

AUG 1. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *William "Sling Blade" Toth, Jr.*

December 07, 2023 at 05:11 AM



“ *Bill was a consummate volunteer of the Ypsilanti Police Department's Volunteer Service Corps. He would consistently assist us when it came to the many festivals and special events that our city oversees. He never complained, and would do whatever needed to be done, and did so with a smile, in the face of extreme weather or rowdy crowds. The men and women of the Ypsilanti Police Department wish to extend our condolences to the family and friends of Mr. Toth, he will surely be missed.*

*Sincerely,
Lt. Deric Gress*

Deric Gress - August 01, 2016 at 07:03 AM

AJ

“ I remember Bill as one of the nicest , friendliest, positive attitude, and talented good guys that I was ever fortunate to have the opportunity to work with at the Design Center. He was certainly the man that could always be counted on to "get er done" whenever there was a panic situation.

One of my best memories of Bill was way back in the late summer of '75, when Bill, on his then pretty new Gold Wing, Bob Barns on his "Water Buffalo" and Jim McBain, (I don't remember what he was riding) and me on my Yamaha 750,,,,heading out of Motown for a trip around Georgian Bay. The first nite we crossed over into Canada and when we got tired we stopped to pitch tents and rest. We didn't know where we were, but in the morning we found out why it was so quiet and peaceful,,,,we were in a Cemetery, somewhere in western Ontario. Bill was a good friend and I'm happy to have had the good luck to have worked and ridden with him....God Speed Bill !!

Andy Jacobson

Andrew Jacobson - July 31, 2016 at 09:05 PM

RT

“ I am the old guy who got Bill the Job clay modelling at Ford. We got to know each other with our mutual friend Tom Baird through out interest in motorcycling. We had a few good trips up north, Bill on his Norton. He recognized my Honda's reliability and switched to a Gold Wing for years. Bill was always the guy who saw humor in every situation and kept us going with his wit. Good times, Good memories, One of the Good guys! Our sympathy to Nancy and his family. Bob & Sylvia Thacker

Robert Thacker - July 31, 2016 at 05:32 PM

TW

“ I worked closely with Bill on the Superior Twp. Fire Department for many years. Bill was always up beat and cheerful, always willing to help anyone with anything and always applied himself 110% , every day . he was genuinely a caring individual and always looked for the best in everyone he met ! We had many situations that we dealt with professionally but always tried to include a certain amount of humor into it as well !!!

His professional artistic help with making our Fire Prevention programs a rousing success was something that he thoroughly enjoyed ! His creation of the "Sparky The Fire Dog" costume to entertain children and adults alike was enjoyed by many people over many years in a variety of programs and parades!!

The middle of the night detail while babysitting an abandoned vehicle in the middle of the road, waiting for a wrecker on new Years eve. and he found as much humor as possible to make the situation brighter and better!! A new Years eve that I will never forget !!! In any situation that we encountered Bill was always willing to do "whatever" it took to get the job done !! He was someone you could always depend on to "have your back" without any hesitation !! I will miss Bill's smiling face and unmistakable laughter along with his wonderful sense of Humor !!! He was definitely a genuine person in so many ways and I feel blessed to have known him and called him my friend !!! Thank You Bill just for "being You" !!!

Tim Winters - July 30, 2016 at 08:04 PM

LS

“ I met Bill back in high school from Nancy later on our family's went camping in oscoda together those were the days then our kids bike raced together Bill was a great man and a hard worker. My family and I will have those memories Lynda and Don Sell family

Lynda Sell - July 30, 2016 at 07:45 AM

LG

“ I remember Bill from Willow Run High School, he always carried a note book and often times was drawing custom cars and hot rods, some times during class. I never heard him have a cross word with anyone. He was quiet and quick to smile. You will be missed Bill.

Lynn Grenier

Lynn D. Grenier - July 30, 2016 at 06:11 AM