



Michael Chidester

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Michael Lyle Chidester departed this life unexpectedly in the early hours on Monday, September 16, 2024, at the age of 81. He was born on February 12, 1943, in Muskegon, Michigan and was a lifelong resident who retired from Sappi paper mill. He is survived by his beloved wife Joan Chidester of 60 years; 3 children, Michael (Christina), Lucy (Charles) and Luke; 6 grandchildren, Sabrina, Brad, Summer, Noah, Rhiannon and Samantha; 4 great-grandchildren, Savannah, Jayda, Jayla and Izayah. Michael was preceded in death by Lyle and Mary Chidester; sister, Beverly and brother-in-law, Dan DeLong. He will be remembered for his spirit that lives on in the kindness he showed, the love he shared and the wisdom he imparted. Mike cherished cooking out with the family he created. From sunrise to sunset, he enjoyed boating the Great Lakes on Sabrina's Summer Ray. Mike had a good time playing golf throughout the years with fellow friends. He also enjoyed playing softball and was an avid hunter. Per his wishes, he will be cremated and there will be no services. Memorial contributions can be made to the MS Society.

Shoreline Memorial Services of Muskegon Ph 231-722-5050



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LD

Lil Deyer posted:

My biggest remembrance that I will carry with me is that Mike ALWAYS loved you unconditionally and was always happy to see you no matter how much time had passed, no matter what you had been through, no matter who you are. He was a kind soul and he was "for real", and he lived his life with joy. Peace Mike.Cousin,Lillian (Lil) Deyer

September 19 at 8:00 PM

SJ

Steve Johnson posted:

My thoughts and prayers are with Joan , Mike Jr. , Lucy , Luke & the rest of Mikes family I have fond memories of Mike & his family since I was a kid & His smile & humor was contagious and he will be missed by many

September 18 at 8:00 PM

AC

A Memorial Tree Was Planted For Michael Chidester posted:

We are deeply sorry for your loss ~ Shoreline Memorial Services - Muskegon

September 17 at 8:00 PM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Michael by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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