



Robert Michael

July 17, 2014

Mr. Robert Daniel Michael, 73, of 17 Hathaway St., Adams, died on Thursday, July 17, 2014 at his home surrounded by his family.

He was born in Duluth, Minnesota on January 25, 1941, a son of the late Lambert and Marie (Weitzel) Michael. He attended schools in Minnesota.

Mr. Michael was a Veteran of the Vietnam War, having served with the United States Navy from 1959 until receiving his Honorable Discharge in 1962.

Mr. Michael worked in the Power Transformer Division of General Electric Co., Pittsfield until retiring after 26 years of service. He had also worked for the former North Adams Regional Hospital, Sprague Electric Co., and W.R. Grace, Adams.

He was a communicant of the Parish of St. John Paul, II, Adams. He enjoyed fishing, hunting, riding four wheelers with his son and grandsons, working on cars and traveling, especially to Tampa to visit his son. He loved spending time with his family and most of all his grandchildren.

He is survived by his wife of 51 years, the former Shirley M. Dimitropolis, whom he married on August 3, 1963;

1 Son – Robert J. Michael and his wife Clara of Tampa, FL;

3 Daughters - Annette Michael and her significant other Frank Ostrander of Lanesboro, and Cynthia Michael and Barbara Varno, both of Adams;

2 Brothers – Gerald Michael and his wife Raz of Taylor, MI and Daniel Michael of Duluth, MN;

3 Sisters – Rosemary Michael of Maryhurst, OR, Anna Mae Vercelline of

Anchorage, Alaska and Katherine Cooper and her husband Daniel of Duluth, MN;

8 Grandchildren – Corey, Tiffany, Robert, Jacob, Casey, Josh, Alex and Anthony;

2 Great Grandchildren – Olivia Madison and Colby and many nieces and nephews.

He was predeceased by 4 Brothers – Leo, Al, Joseph and Lambert Michael, Jr. and by 1 sister, Delores Tropiano.

The funeral will be on Monday, July 21, at 9:00AM from the PACIOREK FUNERAL HOME, 13 Hoosac St., Adams, followed by a Liturgy of Christian Burial at 10:00AM in the Parish Church of St. John Paul, II at Notre Dame des Sept Deloures, celebrated by Rev. Tomasz Gorny.

Burial will follow in Bellevue Cemetery, Adams.

Calling hours are Sunday from 5:00PM to 7:00PM at the funeral home.

Memorial donations may be made to the Moffitt Cancer Center Foundation, PO Box 23827, Tampa, FL 33623-3827 or to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, 501 St Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105.

Tribute Wall

JP

“ Barb and family,I am sorry to hear of your dad's passing. You were a very loving daughter and made sure everything was just as he wanted it.....My deepest sympathies at this difficult time.

Jerilyn Perry - June 07, 2018 at 12:18 PM

JM

“ My thoughts and prayers are with aunt shirley and my cousins

joe martin - June 07, 2018 at 12:18 PM

DP

“ Rob and Family, we are very sorry to hear about your Dad our thoughts and prayers are with you.Pat & Diane

Diane Phelps - June 07, 2018 at 12:18 PM

CL

“ My thoughts and prayers are with all of you. Sending my love, hugs, and kisses. I feel so blessed to have been close to such an amazing man. There was nothing more important to him than his family and I will cherish all of the memories!

Clara - June 07, 2018 at 12:18 PM

FD

“ With deepest sympathy and prayers to all my cousins and their families in this time of sorrow for your loss. God Blessall of you.

Frank Dube - June 07, 2018 at 12:18 PM

MK

“ thank you for the fun times in ma. MR. BUBBLES in the pool and CAPTAIN CRUNCH cereal-and of course THE ROCK-----also being able to climb to the top--have a blast in heaven catch allot of fish-- tell mom I LOVE AND MISS HER----thanks for the memories

marie karazim - June 07, 2018 at 12:18 PM

RM

“ Bob,you were not only my little brother,but also my Best Friend. Hug Mom and Dad for me Also my BROS and Sister and the little one we never knew. Rest Well love SRosie srrmm

RoseMary Michael - June 07, 2018 at 12:18 PM

LP

“ To the Michael family: May The Lord bless you and bring you peace during these difficult days, weeks and months ahead. My deepest sympathies,

Linda Caesar, PT - June 07, 2018 at 12:18 PM



“ My Thoughts and Prayers are with you .

June 07, 2018 at 12:18 PM

PL

“ My Thoughts and Prayers are with your Family.

Paul Lemoine - June 07, 2018 at 12:18 PM

PC

“ Barb, Casey, & Colby and Family, Our thoughts and prayers are with you. May your memories give you strength and guidance through such a difficult time. Casey, I know how close you are with your Grampa, please stop by anytime--we were always here for you & Colby! We are truly sorry for your loss & love ya--may he rest in peace

Paul & Stacey Cote - June 07, 2018 at 12:18 PM



“ my thoughts and prayers are with the family i thank you barb and bj for taking good care of mike my best brother in law

June 07, 2018 at 12:18 PM

JR

“ I am so very sorry to hear of Mike's passing. May you find comfort and peace in those around you as you look back on his memory and life.

Julie Ryan - June 07, 2018 at 12:18 PM

CI

“ Mom, Annette, Frank, Bobby, Clara, Robey, Uncle Steve and Barb. As we were all closest to dad and took care of him in his time of sickness we all are now experiencing a tremendous loss. Life is not the same for anyone of us and never will be. Dad had a big heart and loved all of us equally and that was one of his greatest qualities. This is hard on us all, I find peace in knowing that dad is at peace in heaven with God, Jesus, Mary, and Joseph all the angels and saints his parents and siblings and all his friends that may have passed. He is not alone nor suffering. the loss is truly ours but he has gained the love, light and honor of being in heaven.

Cindy - June 07, 2018 at 12:18 PM

HS

“ *What a terrific man,he gave so much love*

harold stiles - June 07, 2018 at 12:18 PM

AM

“ *6 months ago and very sadley missed by all of us*

Annette Michael - June 07, 2018 at 12:18 PM

RM

“ *I miss you every dam Gramp!! Not a moment goes by that I do not think of all the time we shared together, you live threw me every day, everything I am is thanks to you!!! I hope you share tomorrow with those you love and missed for so long, for down here it is your date of death but up there it is your birth into heaven!!!! Keep the ants out of the boat and the deer jumping high!!!*

Robert michael - June 07, 2018 at 12:18 PM



“ *BoB, you are still with me.....I believe that you walk among us every day even we do not see you. You were faithful to the family all you life with us on earth and though we miss you...we know you are here.love smmm*

June 07, 2018 at 12:18 PM

RM

“ Hope your looking down Gramp, Life is moving fast!! Business has taken off and life has been good. I always sit back and think about the reason's I am where I am today and Hope you are able to see that everything I have is thanks to you, The person I am is because of you and the decisions I make in life are based on the lessons learned from you, Every day I give thanks to you for all you have done for me!!! I hope your looking down Gramp, Because I am looking up to you!!

Robertq Michael - June 07, 2018 at 12:18 PM

CI

“ Robert Michael

cindy - June 07, 2018 at 12:18 PM



“ Bob, I wonder when will we meet again. It is getting lonely here without you and your kind care and advice. You should be able to answer some of my prayers I send your way. love srmm

June 07, 2018 at 12:18 PM



“ In everything I do there is a memory of you. Always in my heart thoughts and prayers. But you already know that.

July 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM



“ Prayers to you and your family.

July 20, 2014 at 12:00 AM

PM

“ *Rest in peace with our Lord and Savior, Bob. Prayers for peace, comfort and strength going out for Shirley and the children. Fond memories remain.*

Pat Michael - January 19, 2014 at 12:00 AM