



Michael Joseph Metzger, Sr.

December 3, 1945 - October 8, 2024

Michael Joseph Metzger, Sr.

78, died suddenly October 8, 2024 at his residence in Lawrenceville, Georgia. He was born December 3, 1945 to the late Beatrice Ann (Grothouse) Metzger and Cletus Victor "Vic" Metzger in Fort Wayne, Indiana. Mike was a 1963 graduate of Scecina Memorial High School. He proudly served his country in the U. S. Army in the Vietnam War and came back after deployment to live and start his family in Indianapolis. He married Sue P. Jones January 1, 1980 and was employed in the manufacturing division of Seven Up for many years. Mike was a wonderful person, husband, father, and loved spending quality time with his grandkids, and was a friend to many.

Visitation will be Tuesday, October 15, 2024 from 12 noon until 8:00 p.m. at Shirley Brothers Washington Memorial Chapel. A Mass of Christian Burial will be held Wednesday, October 16, 2024 at 10:00 a.m. at St. Michael Catholic Church, 519 Jefferson Boulevard, Greenfield, IN 46140.

Mike is survived by his loving wife of 44 years, Sue P. Metzger; daughter, Angela Kellar (Matthew); sons, Michael Joseph Metzger, Jr., Rodney Wayne Burke, and Jeffrey Brooks; five grandchildren, Ava, Taylor, Devlin, Rhys and Rodney; five great-grandchildren; and siblings, Fred Metzger, Ralph Metzger, James Metzger, Karen Weiss, Marilyn Glenn (Robert), and Joan Hunter (Chris). He was preceded in death by his brother, Robert Metzger; and two sisters, Barbara Sparrendahl and Lois Salzmann.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Alzheimer's

Association.

Cemetery Details

Washington Park East

10612 E. Washington St.
Indianapolis, IN 46229

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **15**. 12:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Shirley Brothers Washington Memorial Chapel
9606 E. Washington Street
Indianapolis, IN 46229
(317) 897-9606
<https://shirleybrothers.com/>

Mass of Christian Burial

OCT **16**. 10:00 AM (ET)

St. Michael Catholic Church
519 Jefferson Boulevard
Greenfield, IN 46140

Tribute Wall

NP

“ Nannie Phillippes lit a candle in memory of Michael Joseph Metzger, Sr.



Nannie Phillippes - October 15, 2024 at 10:10 AM

JB

“ Mike was a awesome stepfather to me for44 years and and he good hearted person from. Jeffrey Lynn brooks



Jeffrey Lynn Brooks - October 14, 2024 at 09:02 PM

AA

Mike was a kind caring man,And a father to all,Over the 13yrs I was blessed to have known him,He was a great father figure and mentor to me.

Mike seemed to have met no stranger and loved all.

I know heaven issued another set of wings and gained a angel.

He lead a full life of great adventures and lived rich and full in

spirit,Hope to see you when we get there,Love Jeffrey Lynn Brooks

And Alisa Adams 🕊️🌹

Alisa Adams - October 14, 2024 at 09:28 PM