



Joseph Wendzinski

October 27, 1940 - January 30, 2015

Joseph Wendzinski, born October 27, 1940 in Detroit, Michigan, passed away on January 30, 2015 in Sterling Heights, Michigan at the age of 74.

Loving husband of the late Diane. Loving father of Timothy and Kimberly (Chad) Chmiel. Brother of Elizabeth (Neil) Maclean and the late Gaston (Ramona) Wendzinski. Loving papa to Nolan and Rachel.

Instate Saturday 9 a.m. until time of Funeral Mass 9:30 a.m. at St. Martin de Porres Church, 31555 Hoover Rd (North of 13 Mile) Warren. Expressions of sympathy may be shared with the family at www.wasikfuneralhome.com

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 7. 9:00 AM - 9:30 AM (ET)

St. Martin de Porres
31555 Hoover
Warren, Mi

Funeral Mass

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Tribute Wall

DL

“ Joe has been my FRIEND for over 60 years. I sealed our lifetime friendship nearly 60 years ago when I introduced him to his future bride, my best friend Diane. The rest is history. Theirs is an incredible love affair that amazed and inspired others around them. They faced innumerable challenges but always faced them with LOVE for one another. They raised two wonderful children Tim and Kimberly. I am so proud to call them my friends. Joe always had a special and a deep love for GOD. I remember with great fondness the many years he served as an altar boy at St. Leo's in Detroit. He loved God, Diane, his children and his friends. He loved Detroit and the Detroit Tigers. He faced challenges that most of us never knew about or can imagine, but I never heard him complain. He was a Good man, honest, loving and brave.
Dorothy Stebbins Landoll

Dorothy Stebbins Landoll - February 09, 2015 at 09:56 AM

JL

“ I remember Joe & Diane visiting us in Washington DC shortly after they were married (many years ago). They really enjoyed the sights. Joe was always cheerful and giving never complained about his illness always a joy to visit with him. What a courageous and thoughtful man. Go in peace Joe, we will miss you.
Jim Landoll

Jim Landoll - February 08, 2015 at 03:45 PM

DS

“ My father, Jerry Sutton, worked with Joe at Willens. Joe and his wife Diane were an extension of our family and welcome guest at major family events. Never have I met more dynamic couple. Joe could absolutely light up a room with his charisma and playful banter. Watching him play cards with my father and listening to the jokes and laughter is one of my fondest memories as a child. He was a remarkably resilient man who is now in a better place. I don't know how many lives he enriched over the years, but I know he touched me and my entire family over the years.
Dave Sutton

Dave Sutton - February 06, 2015 at 07:20 AM

TW

“ so sad to learn of Joe's passing. Being a co-worker with Joe at George Willens for so for many years and like many of the 'ol Willens workforce lost contact over the years. My name is Thomas Wilder and was an artist in the Headliners Dept as Joe in the camera dept. I know that Joe has MS and had to leave the willens crew in the early '70's. I always wondered how he managed his situation over the years. Also surprised that his wife, Diane passed away! We've lost quite a few Willens people that I learned from news obituaries & a few contacts. A number of fond memories to reflect on with JOE.

Thomas Wilder - February 05, 2015 at 11:16 AM