



Timothy Allen Sole

August 20, 1957 - August 23, 2018

Timothy Allen Sole, 61, of Onsted, MI passed away peacefully on Thursday, August 23, 2018 with his wife and daughters by his side. Tim was born August 20, 1957 to the late Hughie M. Sole and Anna "Virginia" (Millhouse) Sole in Ypsilanti, MI. Tim is survived by his wife of 38 years, Leora Alette (Joesel) Sole; two daughters, Deedra M. Sole-Cravens (Jim Cravens) of Saline, MI and Virginia A. Sole (John Burnett) of Milan, MI; four grandchildren, Logan Sole, Kaden Cravens, TJ Burnett and Kaitlyn (Eric) Stevens; and one great-grandchild, Kaylani Burnett. He is also survived by siblings, Eileen (late Arnold) Pope, Norman Sole, and Mary Anna (Todd) Beck and many nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his brother, Hughie "Wayne" Sole. Tim lived for a time in Fort Worth, TX, Redondo Beach, CA and Stockbridge, MI. He was a graduate of Belleville High School in Belleville, MI and spent 4 years in the United States Marine Corps. He married his bride at New River Air Station, NC. He spent the majority of his working life as a Controls Engineer. He coached girls varsity soccer and was assistant coach for boys varsity soccer at Stockbridge High School from 1996-2000. He enjoyed golf, bowling, the outdoors, and his beloved friends - who he thought of and raised his children to know as family. The family would like to thank the VA Ann Arbor Hospital and Great Lakes Caring Hospice. Family will receive friends at the Robison-Bahnmler Funeral Home in Saline, MI on Friday, September 7, 2018 from 11:00 A.M. until 1:00 P.M. for visitation, with a memorial service at 1:00 P.M. Pastor Dan Sharpe will officiate. All are invited to his Celebration of Life at 1621 W. Textile Rd., Ann Arbor, MI immediately following the memorial service until 7:00 P.M. Please consider a Hawaiian shirt at Tim's request. In lieu of flowers, please consider donating or volunteering to the VA Ann Arbor Hospital. Envelopes will be available at the funeral home. To leave a memory, to sign Tim's guestbook, or for directions please visit www.rbfhsaline.com.

Previous Events

Memorial Gathering

SEP 7. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Robison-Bahnmler Funeral Home & Cremation Services
301 East Michigan Ave.
Saline, MI 48176
rbfhsaline@hotmail.com
<https://www.rbfhsaline.com>

Memorial Service

SEP 7. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

MH

“ I met Tim when he was plant maintenance and engineering manager at the Siemens plant in Redondo. He was a man's man and a true marine. I loved his honesty, his character, his love of family, and a good time. He worked hard, played hard, and loved life. I was a great beneficiary of his wisdom and his stories. Our work relationship turned into a friendship I truly value. I admired his love for his wife, Leora, and his 'kids' both blood and those he adopted and found along the way. His generosity to those he loved was inspirational. I'll miss him

Matt H - October 13, 2018 at 07:10 AM

SH

“ Shanna purchased the Florist Choice Bouquet for the family of Timothy Allen Sole.



Shanna - September 07, 2018 at 06:33 AM

MC

“ I have fond memories working with Tim while he and Leora lived in Redondo Beach. He introduced me to the game of golf because the “guys” wanted to have a golf tournament and wanted some girls to play. I enjoyed our golf outings, poker nights and just working with Tim. His no nonsense manner always made me smile. He will be missed. My condolences to Leora, his daughters and grandkids. I know how much he loved his family as he spoke of them often. May he Rest In Peace.

Michelle C - September 06, 2018 at 10:45 PM



“ Cheryl's Classic Gift Tin Tower was purchased for the family of Timothy Allen Sole.



September 06, 2018 at 08:39 PM

CH

“ *Tim was a one-of-a-kind guy! He always made us feel like family and would do anything to help out. He "adopted" our daughter, Stephanie, and treated her just like his own. We will never forget his kindness. Some of the best memories are hanging out at the house, having a good time, and cheering on the Purple Poison soccer team (no matter how many times they lost!). We also thank and honor Tim for his service to our country. Lori, Deedra, and Ginny, we are so sorry for your loss but know that his memory lives on in your amazing family. We love you!*
Cheryl & Wayne

Cheryl Hanewicz - September 06, 2018 at 08:33 PM

CH

“ *Cheryl Hanewicz sent a virtual gift in memory of Timothy Allen Sole*



Cheryl Hanewicz - September 06, 2018 at 08:14 PM

PB

“ *Lori, Deedra, Ginny and family--*

We know that words are inadequate at a time like this but we wanted you to know how very sorry we are for your loss.

Tim was simply a fantastic human being and it is so hard to fathom that we must now live in a world without the physical presence of such a wonderful man. But live on he will....in each and every one of you.

The Bible reminds us that "Blessed are those that mourn for they shall be comforted." The mourning will come and go as time goes by but the blessing of having shared a life with such a strong, loving and kind person will provide comfort in the days, months and years to come.

Our love, thoughts and prayers are with all of you...
Patty and Tom Bosch and Family

Patty & Tom Bosch - September 03, 2018 at 09:14 AM

SS

“ 2 files added to the album New Album Name



Scott Sullivan - August 31, 2018 at 11:45 AM

MA

“ Deedra, We were so sorry to hear of your Dad's passing. Know that you and your family are in our thoughts and prayers. Mary & Elmer

Mary - August 30, 2018 at 10:41 AM

NB

“ Tim and Lori and I have been friends for over 25 years. So many memories to try and even sort over. We always laughed a lot, we were never afraid to cry in front of each other. We were always real with each other. We always had each others back. He will forever be missed and loved.

nicole bergren - August 28, 2018 at 04:33 PM

NB

“ Nicole Bergren lit a candle in memory of Timothy Allen Sole



nicole bergren - August 28, 2018 at 04:25 PM



“ Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Timothy Allen Sole.



August 27, 2018 at 08:51 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Timothy Allen Sole.*



August 27, 2018 at 04:53 PM

SB

“ *Years ago we were at our Aunt and Uncle's house in WV and he was talking to me like he knew me all his life. I hadn't seen him since he was very much younger. Finally I said I'm sorry but I don't know you. He laughed and said I am your cousin, Tim. I was so surprised. Sorry to hear about him being so young. Shauna (Millhouse) Blery.*

Shauna Biery - August 27, 2018 at 03:07 PM

BF

“ *1 file added to the album*



Buddy Fendler - August 27, 2018 at 01:11 PM