



Mark V. Hogan

April 16, 1953 - June 29, 2012

Mark Hogan was born April 16, 1953, in Ithaca, New York, to Joseph and Jean Hogan, who now live in Melbourne Beach, Florida. He grew up in Flushing, New York, and graduated from Bayside High School in 1971. After high school, Mark worked various jobs in the construction industry while attending Farmingdale College. He later attended Parks College, a college in the St. Louis University system, where he earned his Bachelor of Science degree in Aviation. After college, he joined the United States Air Force. He became an F-111 fighter pilot based at RAF Lakenheath in England. While he was in England he earned Top Gun honors in 1984. He finished his Air Force career at Sheppard Air Force base in Wichita Falls, Texas, as a T-37 and T-38 test pilot and instructor. In 1988 he became a commercial airline pilot for Northwest Airlines (now Delta Airlines), where he worked for the rest of his flying career. In 1989, Mark married Laura Dobberstein. Mark and Laura have spent almost 23 happy and busy years together raising and loving their two children, Pierce V Hogan, who was born in 1991, and Jera Elise Hogan, who was born in 1994. Mark is survived by his wife, Laura; his children, Pierce and Jera; his mother and father, Jean and Joe Hogan; his sister, Lisa Lutz; his sister, Michelle Hogan-Reeder; his father-in-law, Dale Dobberstein; his brothers-in-law, Barry Lutz and John Dobberstein; his sisters-in-law, Maryanne Hogan, Sandra Palmeiro, and Lori Dobberstein; his nephews, Justin Reeder, Manuel Palmeiro, and Ethan Dobberstein; his nieces, Chloe Lutz, Chelsea Reeder, and Emily Dobberstein; his Aunt Barbara Cappeller, and his cousins

Susan Molloy (Cappeller), Eric Cappeller, Gerald Cappeller, Allison Cappeller, and their families. Mark's family and friends will remember him for his many personal achievements, his hard work ethic, his dedication to his family, and the remarkable determination and attitude that he used to overcome the symptoms of Multiple System Atrophy. A viewing will be held at the Robison-Bahnmler Funeral Home in Saline, Michigan, on Saturday, July 7, 2012, from 2:00 p.m. until 5:00 p.m. A memorial service at the same location will be held at 4:30 p.m. In lieu of flowers and gifts, please consider making a donation in the name of Mark Hogan to the University of Michigan Multiple System Atrophy Research (MSA) Fund – #317830. Checks may be mailed to The University of Michigan Office of Development, 3003 South State Street, Suite 8000, Ann Arbor, MI 48109.

Previous Events

Celebration of Life Service

JUL 7. 4:30 PM (ET)

Robison-Bahnmler Funeral Home & Cremation Services
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Visitation

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Tribute Wall



“ *Mark V. Hogan*

October 23, 2023 at 01:07 PM



“ *Laura, Pierce and Jera*

I just found out about Mark's passing. Mark was a wonderful person. We were in the same Air Force Officer Training School Flight. He was a friend and trusted respected leader that is missed. Major Christine J. Queen, USAF ('98 Retired)

CJ Queen - November 07, 2013 at 10:35 PM



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chloe - January 24, 2013 at 11:15 PM



“ *Happy Thanksgiving Uncle Mark. I miss you <3*

Chloe - November 22, 2012 at 08:41 AM

AK

“ Laura, Pierce and Jera,
You are in our thoughts and hearts.

I agree with David Crouse; Mark's help in building the dock at the AA Rowing Club is appreciated daily by those who use the facilities and enjoy the river.

In reading his friends comments posted and knowing Pierce, I see Mark's traits of positivity, helpfulness and kindness living through Pierce - a lasting testament of his love of and influence with his family.

Amy and Dave Kohrman - July 07, 2012 at 09:18 AM

JJ

“ I'm grateful to have known Mark and learned from his positive outlook, determination, and kindness. I remember going on a tour of Mark's squadron building in England where his enthusiasm had a whole group of elementary school students planning to be pilots. More recently, when I came to Michigan for graduate school, Mark helped me find a place to live, and I remember his fun ideas for how to build a few small additions to the porch to make it the place to be. My thoughts and prayers to Mark's family.

James Inman - July 05, 2012 at 01:16 PM

DC

“ I knew Mark through the Ann Arbor Rowing Club where he was a wonderfully supportive member until his illness did not allow him to participate any longer. One of my best memories of him was during the construction of our dock which he played a vital role in completing. Yesterday on the 4th of July there must have been over 50 kids swimming off the dock that Mark helped build and I think it would have made him happy to see. We will miss him on this earth.

David Crouse - July 05, 2012 at 10:08 AM

KH

“ We would like to extend our deepest sympathies and prayers to Laura, Pierce, and Jera in this sad and difficult time. Mark was a friend and great neighbor over the last 15 years. He loved helping other people and was ALWAYS there to help us when we needed it. Although his time came far too early for his family and friends, Mark's positive impact and life accomplishments will never be forgotten by any of us.
Kurt and Liz Hagemeister

Kurt Hagemeister - July 04, 2012 at 10:31 AM

RI

“ It has been my privilege to have known Mark for 32 years. I flew with Mark at Holloman AFB in New Mexico and at RAF Lakenheath, England. I know that he will be missed by all those in the USAF who knew him. I am proud to say that he was my friend.
Rude Inman

Ralph R. Inman - July 03, 2012 at 03:30 PM