



Mark David Mieras

August 22, 1964 - November 6, 2012

Age 48, passed away on Tuesday, November 6, 2012 at the University of Michigan Hospital in Ann Arbor, MI. Mark was born on August 22, 1964 in Jackson, MI, the son of David and Jill (Freeland) Mieras. He graduated from Saline High School in 1982 and was employed as a technician at R & B Machine Tool in Saline, Balance Technology in Ann Arbor and, most recently, at Chelsea Milling Company in Chelsea. Mark was an avid fisherman, deer and turkey hunter and loved boating and gourmet cooking. Survivors include a daughter, Jena Mieras of Clinton, his parents David and Jill Mieras of Ann Arbor, brother Dale Mieras of Senatobia, Mississippi, niece Rachael Mieras of Hudson, and fiancé, Luan Rzepka of Bronson, Michigan. Other survivors include uncles Denny (Linda) Mieras, Don Mieras, Kent (Lucille) Freeland, Joe (Madeline) Parker, Jim (Sharon) Parker, aunts, Judy (Malcolm) Hearl, Janet (Arthur Preston) Danklefsen, Betty Freeland, and many cousins. Mark was preceded in death by his paternal grandparents, Harry and Gladys Mieras, maternal grandparents, Glen Freeland, Dorothy and Lester Parker, uncle Alan Freeland, and cousins Dan, Linda, and Jeffrey Mieras. He will be remembered by his many friends for his humor, wit, and willingness to help others. Funeral Services will take place on Monday, November 12, 2012, at 11:00 A.M. at the First United Methodist Church in Saline with Rev. Dr. James E. Tuttle and Rev. Laura Speiran officiating. Cremation will take place following the service. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Matt Tergman Benefit Fund, Farmers State Bank, Grass Lake, MI 49240. Envelopes will be

available at the Church where friends may begin calling on Sunday, November 11, 2012, between the hours of 3:00 P.M. to 8:00 P.M. and at the Church on Monday, November 12, 2012, from 10:00 A.M. until the time of service at 11:00 A.M.

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV **11.** 3:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

First United Methodist Church of Saline
1200 North Ann Arbor Street
Saline, MI
<http://www.fumc-saline.org/>

Visitation

NOV **12.** 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

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Service

NOV **12.** 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Mark David Mieras*

October 23, 2023 at 01:07 PM

AF

“ For Mark, my friend and co-worker

*When I heard that you had left us
I was simply blown away.
How could that be possible?
We were laughing only yesterday.*

*Your special sense of humor.
Your devilish smile and grin.
We never knew what you'd do or say.
You had one unique style!*

*Oh how I'd anticipate you
coming in on second shift.
How I waited for your quips.
You had a truly special gift!*

*Always there for everyone!
So dependable, sincere,
Kind, gentle and caring.
Felt good to call you Friend.*

*Your last words to me
Will help my tears to dry!
You touched my arm and said,
"Hey, see ya tomorrow my friend!"*

*So, my dear departed friend
I will think of you each day!
Peace, rest and comfort
I hope you have found today!*

*See Ya Love Ya! Bye for now!
Your friend and co-worker from "Jiffy"*

A Friend - November 20, 2012 at 01:11 PM

CZ

“ I still can not believe you are gone amigo, it was indeed a privilege traveling with you to China in our very first time in life in Asia, got lost in Tokyo and we had the time of our life over there, and God gave us the chance to become more than friends, you became my Compadre, which is big for us Mexicans, I remeber last time we texted, and we both wrote "love ya man" to each other, and it was always sincere saying that from both of us.

Pleasant Lake will never be the same for me without you,

Te voy a extrañar mucho Compadre, y si , te quiero amigo mio

Carlos Zaragoza - November 19, 2012 at 11:12 PM

LM

“ I just heard about Mark, I'm very sorry for your lost. I will miss seeing him at my Diner. I'm feel blessed that I had the chance to know him. Your all in my prayers. Linda Minor. (Lindas Diner).

Linda Minor - November 13, 2012 at 12:24 PM

DL

“*Dave, Jill and Family,*
I can not begin to truly understand your pain, loss and sorrow. I can not express the since of loss I feel as I sit and reflect on what a wonderful and caring, son, father and friend Mark was, I can't help but smile. "Smile", that was Mark, regardless of the place, time or event Mark always had a smile and brought smiles to everyone's face. He brought pure and unconditional joy to so many people's lives. I always have and will forever treasure my friendship with Mark. He was that one secret crush we all have in our life. Mark was mine and we laughed about it at our 25th class reunion, a fun night spent with Mark just one of the many memories I will forever have and hold. I, as many will miss him, however as Mark would want , we must not shed a tear, but share a smile just as he always did. During this hard time, please remember and hold onto all the cherished memories and "smile" in Marks' honor and memory. My prayers are with all of you, and I hope your days are filled with beautiful memories of him and smiles just as he would have shared and wanted. God Bless and keep you all in his tender care and remember Mark is now our angel above, looking down on us all! Love and friends always.

Deanna Larivee

Deanna Larivee - November 12, 2012 at 01:10 PM

DJ

There couldn't have been a more thoughtful and insightful initial tribute to read on this posting, Deanna. As with his picture, you highlighted a very memorable quality of Mark's; his smile. Thank you for sharing in this way. Mr. Johnson (a former teacher of yours and Mark's).

David Johnson - November 12, 2012 at 03:21 PM

JB

“ *Uncle Dave and Aunt Jill - we are so very sorry to hear about Mark. Our thoughts are with you and your family, and we will be thinking of you often in the days to come. With love, Josey and Floyd*

Josey Brouwer - November 11, 2012 at 07:26 PM



“ *2 files added to the album June 2011*



Lynne - November 11, 2012 at 05:26 PM

LM

“ *1 file added to the album June 2011*



Lynne Meadow - November 11, 2012 at 05:22 PM

CL

“ *Deepest sympathy to Mark's family and friends. Cheryl and Bill Laimon*

Cheryl Laimon - November 11, 2012 at 02:28 PM

AA

“ *Jill and Dave,
So sorry to hear of the loss of your son Mark.
You will be in our thoughts and prayers.
With sympathy,
Gary and Anita Acree*

Anita Acree - November 11, 2012 at 01:41 PM

MM

“ *No doubt Mark is spreading his joy and smile with others still today!
As a classmate of Mark's I will always remember his ability to make
a tough school day fun. He had the ability to put a smile on
anyone's face. My sympathy to the entire Mieras family. May your
many fond memories bring you comfort and put a smile on your face
(that's what Mark would want) in the days ahead. God blessings to
all. Marlene Marion*

Marlene Marion - November 10, 2012 at 05:56 AM

CL

“ *Christine Lopez purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Mark David Mieras.*



Christine Lopez - November 09, 2012 at 08:35 AM

CR

“ *Our sympathy to the Mieras family during this difficult time. God's Blessings.*

Scott, Carlene, Ryan and Blake Rogers

Carlene Rogers - November 09, 2012 at 08:02 AM

RM

“ 4 files added to the album Rachael's photos



Rachael Mieras - November 09, 2012 at 07:45 AM

PB

“ *Patty Harris (was Baldwin) lit a candle in memory of Mark David Mieras*



Patty Harris (was Baldwin) - November 08, 2012 at 11:52 PM

PB

So sorry to hear of your loss! Thoughts & prayers with you all! Patty Harris (was Baldwin)

Patty Harris (was Baldwin) - November 08, 2012 at 11:54 PM

BP

“ *Pam and I are so sorry to hear of Mark's passing. I remember Mark from my first day of student teaching in Saline. He was in the trombone section in sixth grade orchestra. He started talking to me right away and was full of life and joy. He always had a big smile (like his mom) in MS and HS. He will be missed.*
Bob and Pam Phillips

Bob Phillips - November 08, 2012 at 05:20 PM

GG

“ 3 files added to the album *New Album Name*



Grace Greaves - November 08, 2012 at 02:05 PM

GG

“ *I am so saddened to hear of Mark's passing. He was so much fun to be around. We rode the bus together for years....lots of euchre games were played on that bus to pass the time! My prayers go out to the family and I also pray that God will give you peace during this time of loss and you can find comfort in your happy memories.*
Grace (Kohler) Greaves

Grace Greaves - November 08, 2012 at 01:56 PM