



Michael Fike

February 28, 1961 - January 22, 2022

Michael Fike, 60, of Limestone Township, passed away Saturday, January 22, 2022 after a long battle with small cell lung cancer and lung disease. He passed away surrounded by the love and care of his wife and children.

He was born February 28, 1961 in Evergreen Park, IL. Michael grew up in Midlothian, IL and was a truck driver for many years. He enjoyed traveling and was a great navigator. Outside of work Michael used his free time to fish, scuba dive and watch SciFi movies. He was hardworking, caring and loved making friends and family laugh. He was extremely selfless with a heart of gold and a passion for making the people around him smile. He was a wonderful father, brother, uncle, son, cousin, husband and friend to many people with the patience of a saint.

Mike is survived by his wife Linda Fike of Limestone Township; children Pamela Grierson (Donovan) of Chandler, AZ, Timothy Fike of Limestone Township, and Ashley Fike of Limestone Township; sister Suzanne Fike of Vero Beach, FL; grandsons Andrew Grierson, Zaccary Grierson, and Lincoln Grierson; nieces Krystal Skirvin and Kimberly Avery (Kyle)
Michael was preceded in death by his mother Wanda Fike.

There will be a celebration of life on Saturday, April 9th, 2022 at Jensen Funeral Home in Kankakee, IL from 1-4pm. Those wishing to honor Mike's

memory are encouraged to wear cowboy boots and casual attire.

Our hearts are broken by the loss of someone who made such a positive impact on so many of our lives. Mike was a jokester with the goal of making the people around him happy. He cared deeply for everyone around him and will genuinely be missed by all. In lieu of flowers, donations in Mike's memory can be made to the PAN Foundation to support those diagnosed with small cell lung cancer. <https://www.panfoundation.org/disease-funds/small-cell-lung-cancer/>

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Previous Events

Celebration of Life

APR 9. 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM (CT)

Jensen Funeral Home

3639 E IL-17

Kankakee, IL 60901

(815) 932-4001

<https://www.jensenmemorialchapel.com>

Tribute Wall



“ *Michael Fike*

October 08, 2023 at 04:39 PM



“ *Leonard And Gale Boudreau lit a candle in memory of Michael Fike*



Leonard and Gale Boudreau - April 06, 2022 at 10:22 AM



“ *I have so many memories of my Best Friend and everyone of them are my favorite! I can't just pick one to share cause Mike made every encounter special. I will miss my friend very much. Susie and I send our love and prayers to Linda, Tim, and Ashley.*

Archie and Susie Parks - January 27, 2022 at 04:59 PM



“ *Linda and family. You are all in our thoughts and prayers as you go through this difficult time.
Love and virtual hugs, Wayne, Rochelle and Tim Simpson*



Rochelle Simpson - January 26, 2022 at 05:38 PM

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“ *Sandy, Todd And Michael Dion lit a candle in memory of Michael Fike*



Sandy, Todd and Michael Dion - January 26, 2022 at 02:03 PM

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“ *He planned to tie a snow shovel to the roof of the car and drive south until folks didn't know what a snow shovel was for and, there, he would retire. He always joked with me on the phone when I called for Linda. I can see the smirk on his face when he made a wisecrack. Ruthie, Mike and hotdogs... He was always on my mind when the weather was bad and I knew he was out driving the gas tanker. Our card party on New Years Eve 2019/2020 is a cherished memory. He was so kind to his aging father-in-law who lived with them years ago. There was never a doubt that he loved Linda, Pam, Tim and Ashley. Rest In Peace, Mike and I know you will keep harrassing Linda, even from the other side. I would expect no less from you. (Pillows and light bulbs are a good start ;)) Until we meet again....*

Sandy Dion - January 26, 2022 at 02:00 PM