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Michael W. Lehman, 52, of Wilmington, Illinois, passed away on January 8, 2025. Born on April 1, 1972, Michael was a kind-hearted and devoted friend, uncle, and companion who left an indelible mark on those who knew him.

Michael was preceded in death by his loving parents, Donald and Shirley Lehman, and is survived by his sister, Michelle Schindlbeck, his nephew Dakota Schindlbeck, and his two nieces, Gabrielle and Danielle Schindlbeck. He is also survived by his lifelong best friend, Donna Jo Weigel, whom he lovingly referred to as his “best friend extraordinaire.” Michael held a special bond with Donna’s son, Austin Weigel, whom he cherished as an honorary son, and his beloved dog, Jasmine, who brought him endless joy and comfort.

A true movie enthusiast, Michael had a passion for horror films and could often be found at the movie theater, indulging in his love for cinema every week. His vibrant personality, humor, and kind spirit drew many friends into his life, all of whom will deeply miss his warmth and friendship.

Michael’s family and friends will hold a celebration of his life on January 25, 2025 @5pm @ Sam’s Pizza (his favorite spot) in Morris. In honor of his memory, the family invites everyone who knew him to continue spreading

kindness and joy, as he so effortlessly did.

Tribute Wall

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“ I had the great joy of working with Mike recently, and to say he was a kind hearted person was an understatement. Mike always greeted everyone with sincerity and kindness. I wish we could be with us longer Mike, but you are needed as an angel to watch over us more than we need you, so please keep your shining light upon us, I'll see you tomorrow sir!!!!

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