



Michael Sokoley

July 28, 1951 - January 2, 2019

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Of the Tonawandas, Unexpectedly, January 2, 2019

Devoted loving husband of Linda (nee Schlee) Sokoley; dearest loving father of Amanda (Philip) Merrilees; loving grampy of Benjamin and Emerson Merrilees; dearest brother of Nancy Sokoley; brother in law of Roger and Linda Schlee; son of the late Frank and Norma Sokoley ; also survived by several nieces and nephews. Visitation Saturday (January 5th) from 1 to 5 PM in the WATTENGEL FUNERAL HOME, 533 Meadow Drive North Tonawanda where Services will be held at 5 PM.

Private Burial, North Ridge Cemetery

In lieu of flowers memorials to, Fraternal Order of Eagles Veterans Fund, Aerie 1411, 7269 Ward Road N. Tonawanda NY 14120. Online guest registry at www.wattengel.com

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 5. 1:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

Wattengel Funeral Home (Meadow Drive)
533 Meadow Drive
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Memorial Services

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Tribute Wall

BP

“ *My dear friend, Linda. I am so very sorry for your loss of Mike. Please know I hold you close in my thoughts and prayers. My deepest sympathies for you and Amanda and your family.* ”

Beth Patterson - January 05, 2019 at 03:24 PM

PY

“ *Mike, one of the stars and “Cornerstones” of “Muddy Creek”. One of the Voices and Partners. He was a great person and a Special Friend. He’s doing a Solo now and He will do it well. He will always be remembered and missed. Until our reunion, Mike. Just one more time!! Love ya. Peg.* ”

Peggy Young - January 05, 2019 at 09:29 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Michael Sokoley.* ”



January 04, 2019 at 11:44 PM

MP

“ *God bless Mike, our hearts go out to your family in this time of sadness. You were a great friend and fellow musician, you'll be sadly missed my friend, God speed, see you again on the great stage brother, Popeye and Christy!* ”



Mike Popeye - January 04, 2019 at 07:29 PM


Charles
J. Priore

“ 1 file added to the album *Memories Album*



Charles J. Priore - January 03, 2019 at 03:18 PM

LP

“ *Linda Pierce lit a candle in memory of Michael Sokoley*



Linda Pierce - January 03, 2019 at 02:43 PM

LP

To Linda, Amanda and grandchildren and families Our Deepest sympathies to you all at this difficult time.

Linda Pierce - January 03, 2019 at 02:47 PM


Charles
J.

So sorry for your loss Linda, Amanda, and family. Mike was a true gentleman, a talent, and joy to be around,

Charley & Cathy Priore

Charles J. Priore - January 03, 2019 at 04:15 PM

LO

Mike.. We knew you for a short time and we had an immediate connection with you. You were a true gentleman and a great person! We will miss you and yes we will have that "concert" this summer! Linda.. All our love to you and your family. Love Mike and Lori

Lori - January 03, 2019 at 08:32 PM

MP

Prayers for you as your grieve the loss of your soulmate!

marsha phillips - January 04, 2019 at 06:57 AM

CR

I can't imagine the feeling of loss. Mike was kind, gentle & quiet but we loved his sense of humor. We truly appreciated his friendship and feel a heavy heart today. Thinking of you all with hugs, prayers & love. Rob & Carol

Carol & Rob - January 04, 2019 at 09:27 AM



I got to know Mike over the past 20+ years through playing in the golf league. He was a very soft spoken, great guy, and would always catch you off guard with his humor. He was always fun to be around and I always enjoyed our conversations. My condolences to his family. He will be greatly missed.

Joe Kaltenbacher

Joe Kaltenbacher - January 04, 2019 at 01:01 PM

DT

Was looking forward to seeing Mike at the reunion. Prayers to his family...RIP Mike

Dave Tiebor

Dave Tiebor - January 04, 2019 at 03:50 PM

CD

Linda and Mandy I am stunned and crying as I read this, you are in my heart and prayers at this difficult time. Remember all the good times that you had. He may not be with you in person but he will always remain in your heart. Hugs and Prayers.

Christine Dowling - January 04, 2019 at 06:14 PM

SJ

Dear Linda and Mandy..prayers and love sent to you at this most difficult time. Mike was such a wonderful kind and gentle fun loving soul. May Good bless.

Stan + Joanne - January 05, 2019 at 02:07 PM