



## Michael L. Krzyzewski

April 15, 1949 - April 22, 2016

KOONTZ LAKE-Michael L. "Mikey Polack" Krzyzewski, 67, passed away April 22, 2016 at St. Joseph Regional Medical Center, Mishawaka, Ind.

Mike was born April 15, 1949 in Gary, Ind. to Stefan and Blanche (Miksa) Krzyzewski and lived at Koontz Lake for 22 years, coming from Portage. He was a retired employee of Gary Hobart Water and a U.S. Marine Corps veteran. He was a member of the American Legion Post #27 of Plymouth and the American Legion Post #502 of South Haven. He was a board member of the Koontz Lake Association and a member of the Koontz Lake Lions Club, serving as secretary for many years.

Survivors include one sister, Frances (Jerry) Michelesen of Tinley Park, Ill. and one nephew, Daniel Lilley of Phoenix, Ariz. He was preceded in death by brother, Steven Krzyzewski and sister, Patricia Lilley.

A memorial service will be held Monday, May 2, 2016 at 6:00 p.m. CST at Rannells Funeral Home, Koontz Lake Chapel. Friends may call Monday at the funeral home from 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. Cremation has taken place. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be given to the Koontz Lake Lions Club.

# Tribute Wall

PK

“ You were a good friend to me, Mikey. I will miss your jokes and our sometimes serious talks. R.I.P.

Pam Krulik - June 18, 2018 at 10:35 AM

RF

“ You can stand down and rest easy Marine..Well done..Semper Fi brother..

Randy Fish - June 18, 2018 at 10:35 AM

FF

“ Mikey was a good man had a lot of laughs with him sorry to hear of his passing and I just loved his homemade sausage RIP mikey

Fred Fleischman - June 18, 2018 at 10:35 AM



“ rest in peace mike pastor chester jones and the new macedonia baptist church family bow in humble submission to the will of God.

June 18, 2018 at 10:35 AM

MW

“ Sorry to hear of the loss, Mikey's humor will always be remembered, we had good times at work, back in the "Gary-Hobart Water" days.

Mike Wilson - April 29, 2018 at 06:48 PM

BL

“ Semper Fi!! From a fellow Marine. Rest in peace.

Bill Lile - April 29, 2018 at 06:48 PM

PK

“ will miss you and your joking. we worked with you better than 25yrs. at ghw. you will be missed by all.

Phil Kowal - April 29, 2018 at 06:48 PM

MF

“ Will always remember Mikey's great humor & smile, I worked with him at Gary-Hobart Water for many years. A good man, he will be missed.

Marlyce Farabaugh - April 29, 2018 at 06:48 PM

BD

“ Rip my friend until we meet again will be missed greatly.

Becky Ditch - April 29, 2018 at 06:48 PM

MN

“ I smile as I remember Mikey. I had the pleasure of knowing him for over 30 years and No one was as dedicated to our youth bowlers as he was. Even though he would display that sometimes rough exterior, he was one of the most compassionate person that I ever knew. I will remember him with a smile and for the great person he was. RIP my friend!

Marilyn Nelson - April 29, 2018 at 06:48 PM

TN

“ Our family has known Mike since he moved to Koontz Lake 22 years ago. We lived 2 doors away from him and we always enjoyed our visits with him and seeing him out fishing. We prayed he would get better but God had other plans. We will miss seeing him at Koontz. We are unable to attend the services. Our condolences to friends and family.

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**Tom and Pat Needham Needham** - April 29, 2018 at 06:48 PM

NA

“ Just want to say that Mike was a very nice guy who everyone at Bingo K of C liked. He was well known for his baked goods at bingo and never knew a stranger there. You are missed Mikey. RIP

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**Nancy Ames** - April 29, 2018 at 06:48 PM

KS

“ I have lots of memories of Mikey he was a great man and will be missed by many. He did so much for the youth bowling and he had a great impact on several people. RIP Mikey

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**Kathy Sims** - April 29, 2018 at 06:48 PM

CH

“ Until we meet again my friend.

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**Caroline Holt** - April 29, 2018 at 06:48 PM