

Michael Macdonald, 56

Aug. 29, 1957 - Sept. 8, 2013

HARLAN — Michael John Macdonald was born on August 29, 1957 to John and Ardes (Clay) Macdonald in Van Nuys, CA. Mike spent the majority of his childhood on farms in Canby, OR and Galesville, WI. He also spent his childhood working at businesses owned by his mother and father; most notably Papa John's restaurant in Holmen, WI. Mike graduated from Gale-Etrick-Trempealeau High School in 1975 and from the University of Wisconsin-Platteville in 1980 with a degree in Engineering.



During college Mike met Agnes "Aggie" Fogel. After college, Mike married Aggie on June 14, 1980 and moved to Janesville, WI where he was employed at Gilman in Janesville for over twenty years. Most recently Mike and Aggie have resided in Harlan, where he worked for Conductix Wampfler as the Manager of Engineering. Mike's most recent passion was becoming a grandparent by welcoming in a grandson and granddaughter, but also included golfing, curling, cheering for the Wisconsin Badgers and Green Bay Packers, and spending time with his family and friends. Mike died unexpectedly on September 8, 2013 at Myrtle Medical Center, just ten days after his fifty-sixth birthday.

Mike was preceded in death by his parents. He is survived by his wife Agnes Macdonald of Harlan; sons Jonathan and his wife Tracy (Brewer); granddaughter Emmalyn of Iwakuni, Japan and Marcus and his wife Monika (Astarti); grandson Wesley of Janesville, WI; four brothers: Mark Macdonald and his wife Donna of Manhattan Beach, CA, David Macdonald and his wife Jane of North Bend, WI, Matthew Macdonald and his wife Rita of Madison, WI, and Joseph Macdonald and his wife Kimberly of North Bend, WI; two sisters: Sandy and her husband Tim Tranberg of Black River Falls, WI; and Marlene and her husband Rod Vaningan of North Bend, WI; father-in-law and mother-in-law Henry and Dolores Fogel of Mazomanie, WI; nine brothers-in-law: Tom and Carol Fogel of Lake Villa, IL, Leo and Diana Fogel of Chandler, AZ, Ray and Val Fogel of Mazomanie, WI, Cletus and Sue Fogel of Mukwonago, WI, James Fogel of Athens, TN, Hal and Sara Fogel of Madison, WI, Paul and Judy Fogel of Cross Plains, WI, Allen and Jen Fogel of Oregon, WI, and Steve and Lisa Fogel of Mazomanie, WI; one sister-in-law Therese and Jim McKenzie of Whitewater, WI; nieces and nephews; other family members and many friends.

Pastor Jeff Erlmeier officiated the 1:00 p.m. funeral service on Friday,



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September 13, 2013 at Adornant Life Church in Harlan. A public visitation was held on Monday, September 16, 2013 from 4:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. at the Schneider Funeral Home in Wisconsin. Funeral services were held at 11:00 a.m. on Tuesday, September 17, 2013 at the Cross Point Community Church in Milton, WI.

