



Michael "Mike" E. Altman

January 16, 1950 - February 2, 2023

Obituary for Michael (Mike) E. Altman originally from Wolcott and recently residing in Rensselaer.

It is with heavy hearts that we announce the passing of Michael E Altman, 73. Mike was a loving husband, father, grandfather, brother, and friend who will be deeply missed by all who knew him.

Mike lived a full and meaningful life, always putting others before himself and making a positive impact on all who knew him. He proudly served in the United States Air Force where he received an accommodation Medal of Honor for his efforts in the clean up of hurricane Camille while stationed at Kessler Air Force Base.

He had a passion for golfing, fishing, watching sports (especially the Purdue Boilermakers and Chicago Cubs), hanging at the fire pit, having a perfect lawn along with the garden, and was always eager to be with friends and family. He's also well known (inside the family) for his delicious breakfast and magical popcorn that no one can seem to replicate.

Mike was a true friend to many and always had a smile on his face. He will be greatly missed by his family and friends, but his memory will live on through the many lives he touched.

Mike is survived by his wife Peggy, 4 children Jay Altman (wife Kelly) and their children Haley, Emma, Jameson and Taylor; Michele Good (husband Brian) and their children Kristen and Zach; Jon Altman (wife Bo) and their children Keyli, Caydan and Callen; Ashley LeBeau (husband Jeff) and their children Hadley and Brodie; sister Mary Inez Misch, (husband William); sister Barb Schultz; and sister Kathy Altman.

Mike is preceded in death by his parents Frank and Mildred Altman of Wolcott and his two brothers Robert (Bob) and Sam Altman of Wolcott.

A celebration of life will be held in honor of Mike on Sunday February 12th from 12-4 cst. at Fenwick Farms Brewing Company located at 219 W Washington Street, Rensselaer, IN 47978, United States. Jackson Funeral Chapel of Rensselaer has been entrusted with the arrangements.

We invite all who knew and loved him to come together to celebrate his life, share stories and memories, pay their respects and have a beer on Mike.

In lieu of flowers, please make a donation to Tri-County schools or a charity of your choice.

Rest in peace, Mike (Dad). You will be deeply missed.

To share memories and/or condolences, please visit www.jacksonfuneral.com

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

FEB 12. 12:00 PM - 4:00 PM (CT)

Fenwick Farms Brewing Company
219 W. Washington Street
Rensselaer, IN 47978

Tribute Wall

WF

“ Ashley and family, I am so sorry for your loss. Prayers to you all. Mr. Altman was a great man that would do anything for anyone. Even was willing to teach me how to keep softball book. Hugs and love to you all

Whitcomb Family - February 11, 2023 at 07:14 PM



“ Sweet Tenderness was purchased for the family of Michael "Mike" E. Altman.



February 10, 2023 at 04:29 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Michael "Mike" E. Altman.



February 08, 2023 at 09:29 PM

DY

“ Peggy and Families, My thoughts and prayers are with you all. Mike was a super husband and father. My heart goes out to you, Peggy, and the whole families. ❤️ I will have a beer to celebrate and honor Mike on Super Bowl Sunday, the 12th, and light some candles. We all had some great memories back in the day. Rest in Peace, Mike. - Diana Young, Heather Wingerter and R.L.

Diana Young - February 08, 2023 at 10:04 AM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Michael "Mike" E. Altman.*



February 08, 2023 at 09:13 AM



“ *Diana, Steve Gaines lit a candle in memory of Michael "Mike" E. Altman*



Diana, Steve Gaines - February 07, 2023 at 06:21 PM



“ *Janice HopkinsMalchow lit a candle in memory of Michael "Mike" E. Altman*



Janice HopkinsMalchow - February 05, 2023 at 08:18 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Michael "Mike" E. Altman.*



February 05, 2023 at 02:54 PM

RS

“Peggy and family, we are so sorry to hear about Mike's passing. Our thoughts and prayers are with you at this time! May God comfort your hearts and give you many precious memories. Roger & Vicki

Roger & Vicki Steffen - February 05, 2023 at 02:14 PM

LI

“Deepest condolences to Peg and Family!! Mike was a great guy always a smile on his face! He will be missed dearly!!



Liz - February 04, 2023 at 03:25 PM

MR

“Peg, there are no words to comfort your sorrow. Mike was one in a million & I know that he is still trying to teach Steve how to fish.



Margo Roberts - February 04, 2023 at 02:15 PM

DE

“I'm so sorry for your families loss.



Deb (Rose) Ellis - February 04, 2023 at 12:15 PM

GB

“ Gloria Baier lit a candle in memory of Michael "Mike" E. Altman



Gloria Baier - February 04, 2023 at 10:55 AM

NN

“ So sorry to hear about Mike, great guy, enjoyed visiting with him at Roundgrove Fertilizer, sorry I'll be out of town during COL. Prayers to Peggy & family❤️❤️

Nancy Nagel - February 04, 2023 at 08:54 AM

LD

“ So many many years since I remember seeing Mike...but I can imagine the great loss to his wife, kids & grandkids....sincere sympathies from afar.

Linda Mills Dawson - February 03, 2023 at 10:58 PM

DW

“ Doug & Kathy Wilcox lit a candle in memory of Michael "Mike" E. Altman



Doug & Kathy Wilcox - February 03, 2023 at 09:14 PM

DB

“ So very sorry for your loss, Peggy. Prayers to you and your family 🙏



David and Kim Berenda - February 03, 2023 at 07:21 PM

CG

“ There was no one like Mike. He will be greatly missed. My heart and soul are with Peg and Jay, Michele, Jon and Ashley and all their spouses and all the grandchildren, who are also my nieces and nephews. God's peace to all of you. Love you ALL.



Carol Grubbs - February 03, 2023 at 04:56 PM

CM

“ Craig and Sandy—(Dad and Mom) purchased the Garden Accent Stone - "Our Family Chain Is Broken" for the family of Michael "Mike" E. Altman.



Craig and Sandy—(Dad and Mom) - February 03, 2023 at 02:41 PM

PT

“ I’m so sorry to hear of Mikes passing. I didn’t know Mike for a lot of years but the short time I did he was a very caring man, I loved working with him and was always treated so nice by him, he was a great boss. He loved his family so much and we talked about that often. I’m sure they will miss him fiercely as will many. Thoughts and prayers for Peg and all of his family. 💔
Peg Tiede

Peg Tiede - February 03, 2023 at 01:30 PM

CO

Our very sincerest sympathy to all of Mike’s family. Such a wonderful guy and great classmate. He will be sorely missed by many.

Craig/Theresa Oberlander - February 03, 2023 at 02:56 PM

JC

My heart is breaking for Peggy and family. So glad that Mike and Lou bonded again later in life before Lou passed and we all had so many good times together. Mike was a great guy and friend to so many. He will be greatly missed. Thoughts and prayers to his family and friends.
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Juli Cain - February 03, 2023 at 03:55 PM

HD

Our condolences, thoughts and prayers for Peg and family.

Hubert Doughty - February 03, 2023 at 04:55 PM

MD

There are no words to express our sadness. Denny and Mike have been friends since forever and once Denny and I started dating, Mike became a very dear friend to me also. I could share many, many stories about Denny and Mike! Our sincere sympathy to Peggy, Jason and Kelly, Michelle and Brian, Jon and Bo and Ashley and Jeff He loved all of you and your children so very much. And he was SO PROUD of all of you. His untimely death leaves a huge hole in all of our hearts. RIP Mike. 😭

Millie and Denny - February 03, 2023 at 05:07 PM

SM

So very sorry to hear of Mike's passing. Condolences to his family and sisters. 🥹🌸

Susie Minniear - February 03, 2023 at 06:00 PM

SC

Peggy & family: We're sorry to hear about Mike's passing. Our prayers are with all of you.

Sandra Culp - February 04, 2023 at 01:31 PM

BD

We are missing Mike along with you. With heartfelt sympathy

Bill & Deb - February 04, 2023 at 03:22 PM

CV

I have known Mike for over 60 years. My heart is heavy as I extend condolences to Peggy Altman and Mike's family. His story ended way too soon. Mike will be missed as a husband, father, grandfather, brother & friend. God be with all of you. Carolyn (Mathew, Altman Vogel)

Carolyn Vogel - February 09, 2023 at 06:27 PM