



Michael "Mike" Chupek

June 12, 1983 - August 21, 2013

Michael "Mike" James Chupek, 30, of Greensboro, MD died on August 21, 2013 at home in Greensboro, MD. He was born in Fairfax, Virginia on May 12, 1983 to Edward Joseph Chupek and Tamara Lynn Ewing Welp. Mike was a joy to all that knew him. He was a wonderful single father, a good friend and an avid fisherman. He was employed by T.L. Fluharty Inc. of Easton, MD, where he was a House Painter. Besides his parents, he is survived by daughter, Natalie Danielle Chupek of Greensboro; two brothers, Hank Chupek of North Carolina and Evan Welp of Ft. Hood, Texas; and grandmother Diane Wojcik of Goldsboro, MD.

A Celebration of Mike's Life will be held on Sunday, August 25, 2013 at 3:00 Pm in the Fleegle and Helfenbein Funeral Home in Greensboro, MD and family and friends may visit one hour prior to the Celebration. In lieu of flowers, the family suggest contributions to the Natalie Chupek College Fund.

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG **25**. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

Fleegle and Helfenbein Funeral Home
106 W Sunset Ave
Greensboro, MD 21639
(410) 482-8914

Service

AUG **25**. 3:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Michael "Mike" Chupek*

October 08, 2023 at 03:21 PM



“ *Michael "Mike" Chupek*

October 06, 2023 at 10:39 AM



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Tamara Welp - October 15, 2013 at 11:58 PM



“ *mike was a really good dad to nat bug and he was a good friend to me I hope everyone keeps his memories in there hearts like i will*

Twila Mitchem - September 11, 2013 at 04:04 PM



“ *I will miss mike he was a really good dad to Natalie and a really good friend to me he will always be remembered in my Hart and i hope everyone gets through his death*



Twila Mitchem - September 11, 2013 at 04:01 PM

GC

“ We just found out about Mike today. We are in total shock and our hearts are heavy. We remember Mike coming in with Natalie "in tow". He was an awesome Dad. Natalie was always his first priority. He was very straight forward and sincere. Will always remember Natalie running to him when he came to pick her up in the afternoon. He will be missed by many but Natalie will miss him the most.

Generations Child Development Center - August 28, 2013 at 12:49 PM

 Jens
Thorsteins

“ ha ha sorry could not help laughing at my mistake.

Jens Thorsteinsson - August 28, 2013 at 01:19 AM

 Jens
Thorsteins

“ wow i did not know mike well. we met a few times. i know his brother hank well. his dad eddie is one of my closest friends. i can not imagine how hard this is. i have a son a month younger and it would destroy me to lose him. i love you eddie always and hank know that my heart goes out to you. hank is my other sons age and they have been on and off agaib friends for years too. i held natalie the last time i saw mike five years ago. mike i saw that girl and was amazed. i wish i could have spent more time getting to know you. but i know you your the guy who did his best to raise an awesome little girl. which is what i thought of the time when i held that little girl at your dads house. its my belief that anyone who is just doing their best is doing what i do. or i try to. cheers i hopa that teach her about your awesome love for living life.

Jens Thorsteinsson - August 28, 2013 at 01:16 AM

WE

“ Ed, our deepest sympathy to you and your family. I would love to talk to you.

William Emory & Linda Howard

William Emory - August 26, 2013 at 09:47 PM

SB

“ Betsy, my heart is heavy for you. You raised Michael with love and caring, which he apparently carried on to his daughter. I have been thinking of you and Hank, and sending supportive love your way. Thanks to all 3 of you for sharing Michael with us when he was a boy!

Susan Bennett - August 25, 2013 at 01:11 PM

SB

“ Eddie, no words can express my shock, and my sorrow for you and your family. I have been, and will continue to think about you with supportive hopes and feelings. I have so many loving memories of Michael as a young boy...

Susan Bennett - August 25, 2013 at 01:08 PM



“ Mike will be deeply missed by all of us at T.L. Fluharty, Inc.~Tony Fluharty

Tony Fluharty - August 25, 2013 at 07:33 AM



“ *Jeanie Ewing lit a candle in memory of Michael "Mike" Chupek*



Jeanie Ewing - August 25, 2013 at 06:42 AM



“ *Bobby Robertson lit a candle in memory of Michael "Mike" Chupek*



Bobby Robertson - August 24, 2013 at 04:01 PM



“ *Lynda And Gene Palmatary sent a virtual gift in memory of Michael "Mike" Chupek*



Lynda and Gene Palmatary - August 24, 2013 at 09:31 AM



“ *I loved mike and always will he gave me a beautiful and intelligent daughter I will deeply miss him and his outgoing personalitie he was a wonderful father to our daughters Natalie. He will be greatly missed*

Amanda Wooters - August 24, 2013 at 01:43 AM



“ *My dear Son was simply an amazing person. His ready wit and charm could make even the most morose person laugh. His personality filled our home with LIFE and gaiety. How proud we are of his seemingly effortless ability to raise his daughter. She was the apple of his eye.*

He lived his life with gusto. His enthusiasm was a nearly palpable thing! Mike's favorite saying was, "If you're gonna go, why not go all out?" LOL! It was awesome to behold. This force of nature who was our son brought such unusual and hilarious moments to Eddie's and my life. Nope, life with "Chupek" was never boring!

My dear son would come back to my room and spend hours with me talking about anything that was going on in his life. No subject was taboo. Heck, sometimes we'd discuss things in my life, and he would give me advice. He was so intelligent and insightful, quick and always ready to lend a helping hand.

Words could never express what is in my heart for that man. Life will surely be much more boring without his presence.

In closing I would just like to add, that we are looking at the proceedings on Sunday not to dwell on bereavement, but rather to celebrate a life lived exactly as he wanted to live it.....and lived with more ardor than most are lucky enough to realize even fleetingly.

Mike left joy in his wake. His laughter will ring in my heart forever!

Tamara Welp - August 24, 2013 at 12:28 AM



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Tamara Welp - August 23, 2013 at 11:47 PM



“ *Teresa Hickman lit a candle in memory of Michael "Mike" Chupek*



Teresa Hickman - August 23, 2013 at 06:55 PM



“ *Donna Elliott lit a candle in memory of Michael "Mike" Chupek*



Donna Elliott - August 23, 2013 at 01:28 PM



“ *TJ Farms lit a candle in memory of Michael "Mike" Chupek*



TJ Farms - August 23, 2013 at 12:26 PM

LN

“ Will never forget all of the great memories and great amounts of trouble that we used to get into together as kids!! May he rest in peace and hopefully be reunited with my brother, Donnie in Heaven!

Lisa Nagel - August 23, 2013 at 11:30 AM

LF

“ Lisa Nagel & Family lit a candle in memory of Michael "Mike" Chupek



Lisa Nagel & Family - August 23, 2013 at 11:29 AM

AR

“ Eddie, My deepest condolences on the loss of your son. Please know that you and your family are in my thoughts and prayers during this difficult time.

Annie Robling

Annie Robling - August 23, 2013 at 10:59 AM

NA

“ Nancy Adams lit a candle in memory of Michael "Mike" Chupek



Nancy Adams - August 23, 2013 at 10:57 AM

NA

I met Michael when he was 3 and 1/2 years old. He was a happy, sunshine boy and I loved watching him grow up. Mike was always interested in learning about our planet, the universe, and adored fishing wherever he could drop a line. He had a carefree, happy childhood growing up with his Dad, Stepmother Betsy and brother Hank. Fly free, Michael, I love you. Nan

Nancy Adams - August 23, 2013 at 11:03 AM

KH

“ *Kitty Hanson lit a candle in memory of Michael "Mike" Chupek*



Kitty Hanson - August 23, 2013 at 12:12 AM

KA

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with you all. Let your loving memories of Mike always shine in your hearts.*

Kathy Austin

Kathy Austin - August 22, 2013 at 10:07 PM



“ *Anita Coronado lit a candle in memory of Michael "Mike" Chupek*



Anita Coronado - August 22, 2013 at 09:23 PM



Tammy and Eddie so sorry for your loss. My condolences to the whole family.

Anita Coronado - August 22, 2013 at 09:24 PM



Thank you, Anita. That's so kind of you.

Tamara Welp - August 23, 2013 at 11:49 PM

BM

*“ Mike was our next door neighbor. We had told him just recently that he was the best neighbor that we had ever had. Always had a smile and willing to stop and talk and ask how you were doing. Always willing to lend a helping hand, even dug a small vegetable garden for us in the spring and gave us plants to put in it. We will really miss him and will be keeping his family in our prayers.
Barb & Brice Milligan*

Barb & Brice Milligan - August 22, 2013 at 09:57 AM



Thank you so much for this wonderful memory. The day he did this, I took a special moment with him to tell him what a lovely person he was and how proud I was of his generosity.

Tamara Welp - August 23, 2013 at 11:51 PM

TM

I will miss Mike soo much

Twila Mitchem - September 11, 2013 at 03:58 PM

PS

“ We love you Mike. I will miss your big smile and your hugs. Thank you for taking good care of our great granddaughter Natalie. She will always have a memory of her loving daddy. RIP Mike.

Patricia Stevenson - August 22, 2013 at 09:00 AM

RM

“ Mike was a great kid. I remember taking "Chupek" as we all called him to Pee Wee football practice with Luke and C.R. Coming over and spending the night with us. Showing up at dinner time, stuff that typical kids do. He was always laughing and seemed to enjoy life! He at times would be a part of the family.Or an occasional drop in to say Hello. We just saw him over the July 4th weekend with Natalie and girlfriend while my son , Luke was visiting. I will miss his laughter, "Hey Mrs. Murph" and his big bear hugs.
In loving memory, Robin Murphy

Robin Murphy - August 22, 2013 at 07:45 AM

TW

“ Tina Wooters lit a candle in memory of
Michael "Mike" Chupek



Tina Wooters - August 22, 2013 at 01:59 AM