



Nick DeNapoli

July 7, 1943 - April 5, 2022

Nick DeNapoli, 78, of Concord Twp., passed away Tuesday, April 5, 2022 at the David Simpson Hospice House, Cleveland. He was born July 7, 1943 in Cleveland, OH, to the late Camillo and Carol DeNapoli.

Music was a huge part of Nick's life. He was an amazing musician and was able to play multiple instruments, compose his own original music, and played in various bands over the years. He was also a favorite music teacher and band director at Perry Middle School for over thirty years. Photography, reading, gardening and writing were some of Nick's favorite hobbies. He loved taking pictures of nature and spending time at the beach and outdoors. Nick reminisced often about trips to Italy and Florida, which were two of his favorite places. He was well-loved by family and friends and he will be truly missed.

Survivors include his wife of 53 years, Jan DeNapoli (nee: Kost); daughters, Kelly (Dave) Bromeier of Parker, CO. and Shannon (Michael) Como of Chandler, AZ.; grandchildren, Grace and Ava Bromeier and Ryan Como; sisters, Teresa (Matt) Lallo and Faith (Ken) DiPippo and many nieces, nephews and other loving family members.

The family will receive friends from 2:00 – 4:00 p.m., Sunday, April 24, 2022 at the Brunner Sanden Deitrick Funeral Home and Cremation Center, 8466 Mentor Ave., Mentor, Ohio 44060. A funeral mass will be held 10:00 a.m.,

Monday, April 25, 2022 at St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Church, 6850 Mayfield Rd., Gates Mills, OH 44040. Please meet at the church. Burial in All Souls Cemetery to follow.

In lieu of flowers contributions may be made in memory of Nick to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105 donate online at www.stjude.org or to Hospice of the Western Reserve, P.O. Box 72101, Cleveland 44192, donate online at www.hospicewr.org

Offer Condolences at www.brunners.com

Cemetery Details

All Souls Cemetery

10366 Chardon Rd.
Chardon, OH 44024
(800) 582-6850

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 24. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Brunner Sanden Deitrick Funeral Home & Cremation Center
8466 Mentor Avenue
Mentor, OH 44060
(440) 255-3401
ajs@brunners.com
<https://www.brunners.com/>

Funeral Mass

APR 25. 10:00 AM (ET)

St. Francis of Assisi
6850 Mayfield Rd.
Gates Mills, OH 44040
(440) 442-7450

Tribute Wall



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Nick DeNapoli.*



April 23, 2022 at 12:44 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Nick DeNapoli.*



April 22, 2022 at 04:43 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Nick DeNapoli.*



April 21, 2022 at 09:42 PM



“ *I'll miss our talks about the dogs and such; and our evening fire pit chats.
I'll think of you every time I stoke a campfire.
Rest in peace my friend..
Dan*

Dan - April 16, 2022 at 05:15 PM

DS

“ I'm so sorry to hear this, Nick was a friend and class mate from Mayfield H.S he was a fellow musician, we had many conversations about great songs and great musicians, it was nice to see him at our last class reunion. He will be missed.

dennis slifko - April 10, 2022 at 06:56 PM

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“ I had Mr. D as a music teacher at perry when I was in middle school. My mom had him as a teacher too when she was in school. He was the most caring man and genuinely cared about each of us. Im 30 now, and I can still remember the tab music he taught me of In the end by Linkin Park. I play in on every guitar I pick up. We were actually just talking about him a few weeks ago when my husband bought a new electric guitar and started to take guitar lessons. Rest easy Mr.D your knowledge will live on in each and every one of us. And to Mrs. D, I am so very sorry for your loss.
Kristen McCann (White)



Kristen McCann (White) - April 10, 2022 at 09:25 AM

CM

“ One of my most favorite teachers, and certainly the coolest! Rest easy Mr D, and prayers up for the family for their loss.

Chris Meredith - April 10, 2022 at 07:50 AM

TB

“ I will miss Nick. I have fond memories of Nick squirting me with his garden hose when I would ride my bike past his house in the summer to cool me down. We would laugh And it was our standing joke ! Rest In Peace !

Toni Banis - April 09, 2022 at 07:02 PM

KK

“ It was so nice to be able to spend time with Nick at our Class of 61 mini reunion last fall. He was a long time friend to many of us and he will be missed. Rest In Peace 🙏

Kathy Krupar Kolar - April 09, 2022 at 06:33 PM