



## Steven Burko Jr

April 30, 1956 - August 8, 2014

Steven Burko Jr., age 58, a Mentor resident for the past 28 years and formerly a resident of Lakewood, died Friday, August 8, 2014 at TriPoint Medical Center.

Steven was born on April 30, 1956, in Parma and was a graduate of Lakewood High School, class of 1974.

He was a business partner at Great Lakes Auto Recycling in Perry. Steven was also an avid fisherman and hunter and he delighted in those adventures with his family and friends.

Steven is survived by his wife of 33 years, Christine Lambert; and son, Steven J. Burko, of Mentor. He is also survived by his sisters, Marilyn (Dennis) Butler of Lakewood and Elizabeth Burko of Bodega Bay, California and brother Michael (Barb) Burko of Perry. Steven was a special uncle to Denny, Elizabeth, Margaret, Patrick, Matthew, Ryan, Cassie and Christine. Steven was preceded in death by his parents, Steven Sr. and Elizabeth Burko.

A Memorial Mass will be held at 11 a.m. on Thursday, August 14, 2014, at St. John Vianney Catholic Church, 7575 Bellflower Road, Mentor.

In lieu of flowers contributions may be made to a charity of your choice .

Arrangements entrusted to Brunner Sanden Deitrick Funeral Home &  
Cremation Center, 8466 Mentor Avenue, Mentor, Ohio. Offer condolences at  
[www.brunners.com](http://www.brunners.com).

# Previous Events

## Memorial Service

AUG **14**. 11:00 AM (ET)

St. John Vianney Catholic Church  
7575 Bellflower Road  
Mentor, OH 44060  
(440) 255-0600

# Tribute Wall

JO

“ This is Joshua Aaron Lambert...Steve was my uncle. It is 2017 and I am just finding out by coming across this...after a divorce in my immediate family, I was never able nor blessed to have a relationship with my family from my father's side. Although never having a deep relationship with that side of the family I remember my uncle Steve 100%...wonderful man and truly loved his family...My heart absolutely breaks for my aunt Linda and my little cousin Steven. How my heart and prayers go out to you guys. I love you guys and really wish we could have some sort of a relationship! Life is way too short to go about it not spending every moment of it loving the wonderful things, such as family, that we have been given by God. I currently live in Tampa, Florida and am 30 yrs old, married, and no children as of yet. It would be wonderful getting in contact with you guys...I would never normally do this on an open page or anything being that im not too fond of msm anyways but my phone number is (813) 703-5913....I love you guys and hope you see this....my uncle Steve was a wonderful man and his memory will be with me forever!

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**Joshua** - September 28, 2017 at 11:52 AM

TK

“ I remember spending time with Steven and his family growing up in Cleveland, Ohio in the 60's. My mom and his mom were terrific friends. I miss his mother Betty and I'm sad to find out Steven has passed.

*Ted Korzep*

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**ted korzep** - August 22, 2014 at 09:49 PM

JL

“ Chris and Steven, we will always cherish the times we spent with Steve when we gathered at your home. He was always so welcoming and always made us feel part of your family. We can never thank you enough for all the many generous acts of kindness you did for Jeanne and I know how fond she was of all of you. We are so saddened by Steve's sudden passing and wish to share our deepest condolences with you. You both will be in our prayers. Love Jeff & Jolene

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**Jeff LeRoy** - August 13, 2014 at 03:34 PM

RJ

“ Chris and Steven;

We are so sorry to learn about Steve, our thoughts are with you both.

Ray & Karen

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**raymond jorz** - August 11, 2014 at 08:08 PM

FG

“ Chris and Junior, words can't express the profound shock at this weeks terrible news. Steve will be so sorely missed by so many. Our memories of how he brightened up every room he entered will remain with us always. I'll always cherish the various projects we did together during the years I worked for him. May you somehow find comfort in the days ahead remembering what a truly loved and respected individual Steve was to so many. Bless you folks always. Fred and Jeanne Grace

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**Fred Grace** - August 11, 2014 at 05:05 PM

TR

*Chris my deepest sympathy.  
Terry romeo*

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**terry romeo** - August 12, 2014 at 07:06 AM

GN

*To Steve's family, so very sorry to learn of his passing. He was a wonderful person who made those he knew better for the experience.  
Guy Nerren.*

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**guy nerren** - August 12, 2014 at 01:24 PM