



Walter J. "Joe" Lewis Jr.

July 30, 1968 - September 14, 2019

Walter J. "Joe" Lewis Jr., 51 of Willowick, formerly of Madison, died Saturday, September 14, 2019, at University Hospital, Cleveland. He was born July 30, 1968, in Latrobe, PA.

Mr. Lewis worked in construction.

Joe always liked to sit down next to the water and drop a line when he was growing up. Around 1990, Joe found a new passion in auto racing at the Painesville Speedway. He raced when he could and was always happy behind the wheel, no matter what happened. Joe was always a fan of many recreational activities, but everything took a backseat to taking care of his family. He was always surrounded by the love of his family, which is what meant the most to him.

Survivors include his children: Heather (Craig Skufca) Troglin, Jennifer (David) Stoer, Samantha Windland and Joe Lewis; step-children: Melissa and David Hotchkiss, loved and adored grandchildren: Danial Joseph Foltz Jr., Nicole Desoto, Aidan Troglin, Arden Skufca, Elizabeth, Brooklynn and Preston Vance, mother: Audrey (Andy) Molnar, siblings: Leanne Shook, Madelyn "Mickey" Phillips, William "Billie" Harris and Randy "Scott" Harris and former wife: Paula (John) Gillen.

Joe is preceded in death by his beloved wife of 9 years: Linda Ellen (Barber) Lewis, father: Walter J. Lewis Sr. and granddaughter: Raylee Troglin.

A celebration of life will be held from 2-4 pm on Saturday, October 12, 2019, at Freedom Assembly Church, 5420 W Heisley Rd, Mentor, OH 44060. The family will receive friends for a reception following the service, at the church.

A private family inurnment will be held at Mentor Cemetery, Mentor, Ohio at a later date.

Arrangements entrusted to Brunner Sanden Deitrick Funeral Home & Cremation Center, Mentor, OH. Offer condolences at www.brunners.com.

Cemetery Details

Mentor Cemetery

6881 Hopkins Rd.
Mentor, OH 44060
(440) 974-5733

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

OCT **12**. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Freedom Assembly Of God
5420 W. Heisley Rd
Mentor, OH 44060
(440) 350-4703

Tribute Wall

JT

“ It was a tremendous gift to get to know Joe. I consider it an honor to share the day tomorrow with this amazing family. You're all in my prayers.

Jason Tatterson - October 11, 2019 at 10:31 PM

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“ It was a pleasure to have you in my life joe you was a good person



Tina Totten - September 19, 2019 at 08:04 PM

MD

“ Mdolyn lit a candle in memory of Walter J. "Joe" Lewis Jr.



Mdolyn - September 19, 2019 at 12:24 PM

EV

“ Walter was my grandfather. I am 11 years old and I lived with him my whole life. But he was a great man and and awesome father and grandfather. My favorite memory of my papa is he was so happy on my mother's wedding and I will never forget his daily outfit would be a pair of pajama pants and a t shirt.



Elizabeth Vance - September 18, 2019 at 09:38 PM



Dad there are no words but we were so blessed to have you! You were an incredible man! We love you so much 💕💕💕💕

Jennifer Stoer - September 19, 2019 at 06:17 AM