



## Josef A Strahammer

March 23, 1954 - October 19, 2018

Josef A. Strahammer, 64, of Monroe, Indiana passed away on Friday afternoon, October 19, 2018, at his residence in Monroe, surrounded by his family.

Joe loved anything to do with flying. He always had a Zest for Life that was contagious to anyone around him!

He will be fondly remembered by his family; wife Cynthia (Rich) Strahammer of Monroe, three daughters; and six grandchildren that were the love of his life! Sarah Strahammer of Sweden, Caroline (Rick) Aschliman and grandchildren, Kavya, Noah and Maggie of Monroe, Elizabeth (Lane) Davis and grandchildren, Graham, Claire and Emily of LaGrange, along with a son-in-law, Thomas Callahan of Fort Wayne and a brother, John (Ella) Strahammer of Arlington Heights, IL.

A service to Celebrate Joe's life will be held at 11 A.M. on Thursday (October 25th) at Pleasant Dale Church. Pastor Jay Carter will officiate. There will be a reception immediately following the service at the church.

Memorials may be made to Pleasant Dale Church or Jayden James Scholarship Fund through the Adams County Community Foundation.

Funeral arrangements have been entrusted to the care of the Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home in Bluffton. Friends can send online condolences to the Strahammer family at [www.thomarich.com](http://www.thomarich.com).

# Previous Events

## Celebration of Life Service

OCT **25**. 11:00 AM (ET)

Pleasant Dale Church  
4504 West 300 North  
Decatur, IN 46733

# Tribute Wall



“ *Josef A Strahammer*

September 08, 2022 at 08:26 PM

PV

*Joe, or brother Rollo as he was known as a brother with Alpha ETA RHO International Aviation Fraternity at Northrop Institute of Technology (no longer in existence).*

*Joe was a happy fellow as his pictures always show him with a smile. Some things in life are best to be remembered and his smile, laughter and light heartedness are those things. I and my brothers from AHP are better people for having known him.*

*I am so sorry that it took me so long to find out the loss of Brother Joe. While trying to set up fraternity reunion in 2024, I came upon this most sad new. I have, this day, passed it on to those brothers who knew him and who are still with us.*

*May those who knew him as family realize how blessed they were to know known him.*

*Paul Vukeles  
Mesa Arizona*

Paul Vukeles - September 30, 2023 at 03:46 PM

WL

“ *1 file added to the album Memories Album*



Warren W Lacina - January 23, 2019 at 12:04 AM

WL

“ To Josef's Family --

*I've know Josef professionally for the past dozen years and can confidently say that Josef was my friend. We met while we were both working for Goodrich, but remained in touch up until recently despite a divergence in our careers and respective employers. It was always a pleasure to be in Josef's company and he remained upbeat and cheerful every time we spoke, even well into his diagnosis of ALS. I miss the times when we worked together because we shared a mutual love of good food, especially sushi.*

*I'll remember Josef as among the nicest, friendliest and sincerest people I've ever met. His concern and love for others was apparent whether you knew him as a life-long companion, father, grandfather or friend.*

*I was so sorry when I learned the sad news of Josef's passing. Know that our thoughts and prayers are with you in these difficult times. Memories are special and time heals the hurt. I consider myself lucky to have known Josef and (by proxy) his family throughout these past years. Please accept my sincere condolences.*

*Warren Lacina  
Burnsville, Minnesota*

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**Warren W Lacina** - November 05, 2018 at 06:49 PM

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“ 1 file added to the album *Memories Album*



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**Warren W Lacina** - November 05, 2018 at 05:28 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Josef A Strahammer.



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October 25, 2018 at 09:09 AM

SG

“ 1 file added to the *tribute wall*



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**Sibylle Geister-Mähner** - October 25, 2018 at 01:53 AM

SG

“ Dear Cynthia, I remember with great gratitude my stay with your family in 1983. It began when Josef took me in a small plane from Indiana to Wisconsin. So I had a wonderful view of Chicago. Sorry I haven't found a photo of Josef but I also remember how he went with me to an oldtimer show. The photo I chose was taken a short time before with my sisters Gabriele and Susanne who would be glad to play something to Josef's honor if we could be with you now. I wish you God's blessings for your grief, nice greetings from Innsbruck/Austria, Sibylle Geister-Mähner



Sibylle Geister-Mähner - October 24, 2018 at 01:30 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Josef A Strahammer.



October 24, 2018 at 12:21 PM

MD

“ I remember Joe's love for his wife Cindy and his three girls that he showed to them when I worked at their Daily Grind Shop. Joe always had a smile on his face whenever he was around his Family.

Mitzie Dederling - October 23, 2018 at 06:49 PM



“ *Rainbow Reflections Basket was purchased for the family of Josef A Strahammer.*



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October 23, 2018 at 04:29 PM



“ *Kathryn Pope lit a candle in memory of Josef A Strahammer*



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**Kathryn Pope** - October 23, 2018 at 09:04 AM



“ *So sorry to hear of Joe's passing. I worked him at Air Wisconsin. Joe always had a smile on his face.*

*Mary Collins Zeis*

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**Mary Collins Zeis** - October 22, 2018 at 07:08 PM



“ *Mary Collins Zeis lit a candle in memory of Josef A Strahammer*



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**Mary Collins Zeis** - October 21, 2018 at 08:03 AM