



Mark E. McConnehey

April 7, 1955 - November 3, 2020

Mark E. McConnehey, 65, of Fort Wayne and formerly of Bluffton passed away on Tuesday afternoon, November 3, 2020, at Lutheran Hospital in Fort Wayne. Mark was born April 7, 1955 in Bluffton to the late David Carlyle McConnehey and Elenor Jean (Rauner) McConnehey.

Mark was a 1973 graduate of Bluffton High School.

Mark enjoyed woodworking. He was a member of First Assembly of God in Fort Wayne, IN and a former member of the Bluffton First Church of the Nazarene. He loved his church and volunteered in any way possible.

On June 29, 1974 in Broadview, IL Mark married Rene Weddington.

Survivors include his wife Rene McConnehey, three sons; David C. McConnehey II of Bluffton, IN, Scott D. (Deb) McConnehey of Bluffton, IN and J. Alex (Teresa) McConnehey of Avilla, IN, thirteen grandchildren and three great-grandchildren, along with a sister Michelle (Harold) Hughes of San Antonio, TX.

Mark is preceded in death by his parents and a brother Dennis McConnehey.

Visitation will be held from 12 p.m. – 2 p.m. on Friday, November 13, 2020 at the Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home in Bluffton. A celebration of Mark's life will take place at 2 p.m. also on Friday, at the Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home in Bluffton with Pastor Rob Haslett officiating. Burial will follow at Fairview Cemetery in Bluffton.

The safety of the family and all visitors is our utmost priority. For everyone's safety, we ask that you practice social distancing. Masks are required for visitation and for Mark's service. We appreciate your cooperation and patience.

Memorials may be made to the ministry of Community Care, First Assembly of God, Fort

Wayne, IN.

Funeral arrangements have been entrusted to the care of the Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home in Bluffton. Friends can send online condolences to the McConnehey family at www.thomarich.com.

Cemetery Details

Fairview Cemetery

3101 East Division Road
Bluffton, IN 46714
(260) 824-2832
<http://www.themonumentcenter.com/about/cemeteries/>

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 13. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home
308 West Washington Street
Bluffton, IN 46714
<http://www.thomarich.com>

Celebration of Life Service

NOV 13. 2:00 PM (ET)

Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home
308 West Washington Street
Bluffton, IN 46714
<http://www.thomarich.com>

Tribute Wall



“ *Mark E. McConnehey*

September 08, 2022 at 08:26 PM



“ *Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mark E. McConnehey.*



November 12, 2020 at 03:28 PM

JR

“ *We are so sorry for your loss. Our prayers are with you all. May God comfort you all as your grieve.*



Jim & Sue Ryder - November 11, 2020 at 01:52 PM



“ *Crystal Cross Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mark E. McConnehey.*



November 10, 2020 at 08:24 PM

HV

“ *To Rene and McConnehey family...so sorry to hear of your loss. May Mark rest in peace. Our thoughts and prayers are with you. Howard and Makaye Vaughn*

Howard and Makaye Vaughn - November 09, 2020 at 04:56 PM

“ To Rene..David...Scott...and Alex.....plus all your wives...and children

So sorry to hear about Mark's death.....it happened much sooner than ever expected.

I believe he is celebrating with Jesus in Heaven.....(looking forward to that myself someday.)

Sitting here this morning thinking about Mark's passing.....been a while since much contact with any of you....but have many memories of past times...

Think of when Terri and I first got married...and Mark and Rene were in our SS Class with Iris Graeflin....and for many years after, with various teachers

Think of both of your willingness to share your time and talents.

Think of your artistic talents, Rene...

Think of Mark's quiet manner, his sense of humor...and his work with children..

Remember the boys, from early days through teen times.....and mainly with David as a grown, married man with kids.....haven't had much contact with Scott or Alex after the teen years.

Praying God will provide peace, comfort and strength as needed as you grieve the loss of Mark.

Love to all

Bruce Miller.....(and Terri too)

btmiller1957@gmail.com

765/404-1735



“ *I'm sorry for your loss. Mark was a good friend while I lived in Bluffton and Huntington. As I lost Karyn, I feel your pain and grief.* ”



Marion Hakes - November 05, 2020 at 08:08 PM