



Michael and Shirley Powers

January 10, 2024

Powers, Michael and Shirley. Ages 88 and 86. January 10, 2024 and January 11, 2024.

Loving parents of Theresa (Martin) Cracchiolo, Patricia (Curtis) Hudson, Dianna (Mark) Koban, Michael (Kathleen) Powers, the late Stephen Powers and the late Joseph Powers.

Proud and loving grandparents to Matthew Cracchiolo, Nicholas (Amanda) Cracchiolo, Stephen Cracchiolo, Rachel (Joshua, Sr.) Babbitt, Julianne Hudson, Alicia Hudson, Michael Powers, Marisa Powers and great-grandparents of Joshua Jr., Averie, and Gabriella. Also survived by their loving granddog, Lacy.

Michael and Shirley started dating at the young age of 14 and 16. They got married in 1955 and 68 1/2 yrs later they have been inseparable since. Everyone knew they came together as a package. They have lived a beautiful life and spent the last 30 years going to Florida in the winters. This year they were going down there to sell their condo and on the way there they were in a tragic car accident that took both of their lives. They were both devout Catholics that never missed a single week of Mass They said the rosary together every morning We find comfort knowing they are in heaven with Jesus They lived on earth inseparable and

left the same way which will continue their beautiful love story for eternity. Michael was a very funny, gentle, kind and loyal husband. Shirley was very loving, loyal, family oriented, and witty wife. They loved their family with all their hearts. They were deeply loved and will be deeply missed.

Visitation Thursday from 3:00pm-8:00pm with a 7:00pm prayer service at Wujek - Calcaterra & Sons Inc., (Shelby Township) 54880 Van Dyke at 25 Mile Rd. Funeral Friday Instate from 11:30am until time of 12:00pm Mass at at St. Isidore Church 18201 23 Mile Rd. at Romeo Plank. Burial at Resurrection Cemetery.

Please share memories with the family at their "Online Guestbook" at WujekCalcaterra.com

Cemetery Details

Resurrection Cemetery

18201 Clinton River Road
Clinton Township, MI 48038

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN **18**. 3:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Wujek-Calcaterra & Sons - Shelby Township
54880 VanDyke Ave
Shelby Township, MI 48316

Instate / Funeral Mass

JAN **19**. 11:30 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

St. Isidore Catholic Church
18201 23 Mile Road
Macomb, MI 48042

Tribute Wall

 Lynette
Lawson

“ *I live in London, KY and passed by the accident that took Mr. & Mrs. Powers' lives. I have thought about them and their family many times since that night and was saddened to just learn of Mrs. Powers' passing. It sounds like they truly had a fairytale love story! I have prayed for their family so many times and will continue to do so. I am so sorry for your loss.*

Lynette Lawson - January 19, 2024 at 08:54 PM

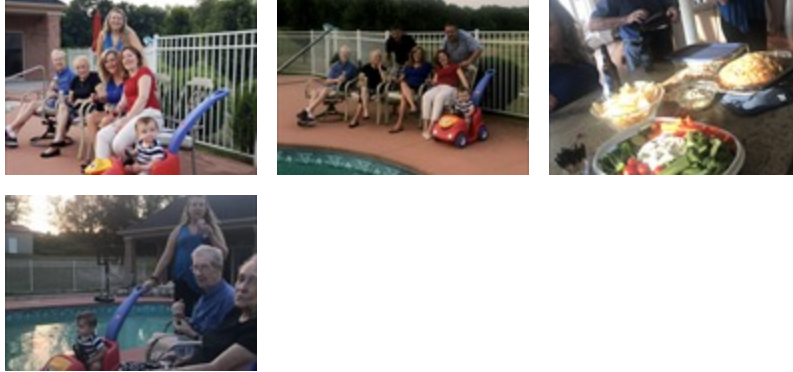
AM

“ *Julianne and Family- I am so sorry for this hugely tremendous loss. Grandparents are so special, and when they are gone there is truly a piece of your heart missing. I pray today for you and your family...I pray the Lord gives you all strength, and that He wraps his arms around you giving you peace and comfort. I'm so sorry. Love you always - Amanda and Alex*

Amanda - January 18, 2024 at 10:13 AM

DG

“ Mike And Shirley were definitely a pair together. They regularly came together for haircuts for the past 15 years. Enjoyed many moments with them, the visiting in Florida and entertaining them both at my home. They will never be forgotten in my ❤️



Drita Gjonaj - January 18, 2024 at 12:15 AM

CG

“ Mike And Shirley were such a wonderful couple. We knew them from St Isidore and worked at Mcrest with them some years ago. Always saw them when we were at the 4:30 mass on Saturday. We are so sorry for your loss and know they will be terribly missed. Larry and Carol



Carol G - January 17, 2024 at 11:00 PM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Michael and Shirley Powers.



January 17, 2024 at 08:17 PM



“ Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of Michael and Shirley Powers.



January 17, 2024 at 06:28 PM



“ I have known Mike and Shirley since we were in grade school. I was her maid of honor and my brother Dick was the best man. I am so sad to hear of their passing. I wish I could attend the funeral but I live in Arizona. I am glad we got together for dinner in Sept. while I was visiting my family in Mich. Mike, Shirley, you were blessed with a wonderful family. I know your together in Heaven. My thoughts and prayers go out to your children and grandchildren. May God comfort you all with peace and love. Carol Ann Ruggles

Carol A Ruggles - January 17, 2024 at 04:58 PM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Michael and Shirley Powers.



January 17, 2024 at 04:47 PM



“ Harriet Kramer purchased the Written in the Stars for the family of Michael and Shirley Powers.



Harriet Kramer - January 17, 2024 at 11:50 AM

HK

“ Harriet Kramer planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Michael and Shirley Powers.

Harriet Kramer - January 17, 2024 at 11:50 AM

KM

“ Kelly Machesky MD planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Michael and Shirley Powers.

Kelly Machesky MD - January 17, 2024 at 06:03 AM

KM

“ Kelly Machesky MD purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Michael and Shirley Powers.



Kelly Machesky MD - January 17, 2024 at 06:03 AM

CO

“ We are still in shock and are having a hard time accepting this devastating news of your dad and mom. It just isn't right. We do, however, have many fun times and beautiful memories of time spent with your dad and mom. Of that, we are grateful. Road conditions are making it impossible for us to travel right now but all of you are in our hearts, thoughts and prayers as you try to accept and understand this terrible tragedy. LOL
Uncle Jim and Aunt Connie

connie - January 17, 2024 at 04:21 AM



“ *A Full Life was purchased for the family of Michael and Shirley Powers.*



January 16, 2024 at 02:39 PM



“ *Jules, my heart breaks for you and your family. I know how close you all are and I hope it gives you all comfort to know that you are in my thoughts and prayers. Your lovely grandparents are in the eternal peace, light and love of the kingdom of God and know His heavenly peace and mercy. They will look down on you all and smile with delight in the legacy they've created through the incredible tapestry that their love has woven throughout the years. Please know your friends are here for you, thinking of you and sending you our love and support at this incredibly difficult time. Your friend, Jill.*



Jill F - January 16, 2024 at 02:35 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Michael and Shirley Powers.*



January 16, 2024 at 01:27 PM

OK

“ Our love, Uncle Al and Aunt Kathi purchased the America the Beautiful for the family of Michael and Shirley Powers.



Our love, Uncle Al and Aunt Kathi - January 15, 2024 at 08:15 PM

CK

“ Chuck and Walli Koenig planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Michael and Shirley Powers.

Chuck and Walli Koenig - January 15, 2024 at 07:28 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Michael and Shirley Powers.



January 15, 2024 at 07:28 PM

DS

“ Mike and Shirley were winter residents of Woodtrail in Florida. We shared so much laughter and joy with them. Everyone who met (or knew) them was instantly encompassed in their warm circle of love and friendship. They will be missed so much. We have peace with their passing because we know they were taken at the moment they died into the arms of God. Dale and I send our condolences, sympathy and love to their family.

Dale and Barbara Stover - January 15, 2024 at 01:10 PM

MK

“ We remember Mike and Shirley as such a wonderful couple; so personable and fun to be with.
We are so very sad to hear of their passing away. They will be in eternal peace now.
Love,
Mary and Tom Koban

Mary Koban - January 15, 2024 at 09:26 AM

SJ

As one of their neighbors in Florida, we feel their loss in our community. A very pleasant couple. Condolences to the family.

Susan Jones - January 15, 2024 at 12:59 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Michael and Shirley Powers.



January 14, 2024 at 05:12 PM