



Timothy John Essenmacher

January 5, 1965 - December 29, 2019

BLOOMINGDALE, MICHIGAN

Timothy John Essenmacher, age 54, of Bloomingdale, Michigan passed away unexpectedly on December 29, 2019.

He was born on January 5, 1965 in Sandusky, Michigan to Jerome G. and Norma H. Essenmacher. Tim married Paula Wheeler on April 5, 1987.

Tim was a member of 4H, served in the United States Air Force, was a member of the Knights of Columbus, the Paw Paw River Jeep Club, and was a Jack Daniel's Squire. Tim was a Radio Technician for the Michigan State Police.

Tim is survived by two children, Tony (Stella) Essenmacher and Jessica (William) Blake; two grandchildren, Luna and Mars; his mother, Norma H. Essenmacher; three brothers, Jerome (Patti) Essenmacher, Andrew (Dawn) Essenmacher and Philip (Kelly) Essenmacher; two sisters, Catherine (Gary) Comfort and Margie Bhatt; twenty three nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his father, Jerome G. Essenmacher and his brother, Steven Essenmacher.

Funeral Mass will be held at 11 A.M. on Monday, January 6, 2020 at the Ave Maria Parish-St. Denis Catholic Church in Lexington. Visiting will be from 10-11 A.M. at the church. Fr. Donald J. Eppenbrock will officiate, followed by a luncheon at the St. Denis Hall where picture boards will be displayed, followed by a procession to the farm and to New St. Marys Cemetery for the committal service and military honors provided by the Croswell American Legion.

Cemetery Details

New St. Marys Cemetery

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 6. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Denis Catholic Church
5366 Main St.
Lexington, MI 48450
(810) 359-5400
<http://www.avemariaparishmi.com>

Church Service

JAN 6. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

BP

“ I was just getting to know my cousin and was learning a whole new side of my essenmacher family 😭

Barbara Preeper - May 16, 2020 at 08:46 PM

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“ SEIU Local 517 Technical Union (UTEA) purchased the Ghirardelli Gift Basket for the family of Timothy John Essenmacher.



SEIU Local 517 Technical Union (UTEA) - January 24, 2020 at 01:53 PM

MK

“ I had the pleasure of working with TJ for about 7 years at MPSCS. We spent a lot of time talking and joking while working on projects for the Michigan State Police. TJ was extremely proud of his children and never missed an opportunity to boast about their latest accomplishments. Your light heartedness and comic relief will be greatly missed, buddy.

Rest in Peace,

Mike Kelley

Mike Kelley - January 13, 2020 at 02:24 PM

AV

“ We met Tim in 2011 through a Jeep Club in Allegan. He will always be remembered as one of the nicest guys we have met. Always willing to lend a hand. Funny. A true patriot. He will be missed by so many. To the family we offer prayers for comfort and peace through this sad time. Until we meet again...rest in peace Tim.

Angel and Matthew Vance - January 05, 2020 at 12:34 PM

FR

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with Tim & all of his family. May God give you peace and strength during this difficult time.
~Jason & Francine Arens



Francine - January 04, 2020 at 03:37 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Timothy John Essenmacher.



January 04, 2020 at 01:14 PM

DR

“ Dale and Carrie Reicher purchased the Pretty Ple ase for the family of Timothy John Essenmacher.



Dale and Carrie Reicher - January 04, 2020 at 11:51 AM

DT

“ Our deepest condolences to Tim's family in this difficult time. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.

TJ and I worked together for 10 years as techs for MPSCS. He was a great coworker and a good friend! We worked together well, sharing knowledge and stories of life.

At my last Division meeting, before retiring, we were assigned a room together. He warned me about his thunderous snoring and I figured, how bad can it be, no problem.

I was hoping to say a few words at the general meeting the next day about leaving MPSCS but wasn't sure when I would get the time to compose a speech. Well let me tell you, I woke to the walls rattling and couldn't believe it. TJ was right, he warned me!!

But it gave me about three hours to think about what I was going to say the next day.

With only a few hours of sleep, I stood up at the meeting and recited what I had memorized during the night. It was a big hit and I was indebted to TJ for allowing me the opportunity. I thanked him for keeping me awake most of the night allowing me to work on it. He was happy to help me out and smiled that huge smile he is famous for!!

Thank You TJ for that moment in time!! I will remember it forever!!

Rest In Peace my friend!!

Dick Tryce

Dick Tryce - January 04, 2020 at 10:35 AM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Timothy John Essenmacher.



January 03, 2020 at 08:11 PM

CB

“ I've worked with TJ for the last fifteen years, he was a great technician and fun-to-be-around coworker. He will be greatly missed. May God give comfort to all his family.

*Curtis Benjamin
Lowell MI*

Curtis Benjamin - January 03, 2020 at 04:36 PM



“ Sacred Duty Spray was purchased for the family of Timothy John Essenmacher.



January 03, 2020 at 02:59 PM

FE

“ My sympathy and prayers to the Essenmacher family in their loss of Timothy. I pray and say as we have been doing now for centuries: "Eternal rest give to him, O Lord and let perpetual light shine on him forever. May he rest in peace! May his soul and all the souls of the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace.

Sincerely,

Fr. Donald J. Eppenbrock, RC-Priest

Sacramental Priest of AVe Maria Parish, St. Denis Church

Peach Tree Estates, 5778 Main St., #1, Lexington, MI 48450

Fr. Donald J. Eppenbrock - January 03, 2020 at 01:46 PM

SG

My deepest sympathy to Norma for ,the loss of her beloved son Tim and to all the Essenmacher family at this time of sorrow. May the Lord comfort you and give you peace. May his soul and the souls of the faithful departed through the mercy of God Rest In Peace.

Sefora M. Gillies

Sefora M Gillies - January 05, 2020 at 06:02 PM