



Michael Andrew Oniffrey Jr.

February 13, 2021

Michael Andrew Oniffrey, Jr., 76, of Lancaster, PA, passed away peacefully on Saturday, February 13, 2021, with his wife, Mell Jayne, by his side.

Born in Mahanoy City, PA, he was the husband of Mell Jayne Youngblood Oniffrey, and they celebrated their 53rd wedding anniversary on March 25th. He was the son of the late Michael A. Oniffrey, Sr., and Rose Lowatti Oniffrey.

Michael proudly served his country with the United States Airforce and worked as a Fuel Specialist. He enjoyed various positions after his time in the service, working with RCA, Firestone, the former Barlain Printing, and retiring from Lawn Equipment Parts. He was of the Lutheran faith.

He was a member of the American Legion, the VFW Post 1463, Lititz and the VFW Post 7294, Millersville, PA, and a Life Member of Green Hill Sportsmen's Association. He had a passion for any type of dog, and enjoyed fishing, hunting, being outdoors, and being with friends and family.

He is lovingly survived by his wife, Mell Jayne, and cousins, John and Josie Honus, Matthew Honus, Carol and Joe Kalista and their family, and second cousin, John Honus. Friends like family also include Anne and Richard Clinton and their family.

A Gathering of Friends will be held at The Groff's Family Funeral Home & Cremation Services, Inc., 528 West Orange St. (corner of W. Orange and Pine Streets), Lancaster, PA 17603 on Thursday, February 18, 2021 from 5:00 – 8:00 P.M.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be sent to the American Cancer Society, 314 Good Drive, Lancaster, PA 17603 or a charity of your choice.

The family would like to thank the Oncology and Immunology departments, the Doctor's and Nurses of Penn State Health, and the staff at Hospice and Community Care for their compassion in Michael's care.

Previous Events

Family Receiving Friends

FEB **18**. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

The Groffs Family Funeral and Cremation Services Inc
528 W Orange St.
Lancaster, PA 17603
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Tribute Wall

NS

“ Sincere sympathy from Neil and Mark Scheid and their families. We have fond memories of seeing Mike when he would stop by our produce business. He always had a smile and some kind words of wisdom for us. We will be praying for you in the coming days.

Neil and Mark Scheid

Neil Scheid - February 19, 2021 at 05:47 PM

MF

“ So very sorry for your loss. Have lots of good memories. His love of dogs was special, and I remember how he was with Reggie. Sending love, hugs and prayers.

Margie

xo

Meg Finnerty - February 16, 2021 at 08:30 PM

JS

“ Hi Jayne. It's Jane Spangler. So sorry to read Mike's death in the paper. I distinctly remember Mike was the first person to come to Jack's viewing (25 years ago). He looked so sad and stayed for a long time. You have my condolences and I am thinking of you. Will never forget all the good times we had at Spring Manor. Be strong and stay safe!

Jane Spangler - February 16, 2021 at 02:45 PM

BC

“ Blessings, Ed & Cecile, Amy & Chris purchased the Healing Tears - Blue and White for the family of Michael Andrew Oniffrey Jr..



Blessings, Ed & Cecile, Amy & Chris - February 16, 2021 at 06:26 AM

CG

“ Gone too soon, but not forgotten. Handsome husband to his beloved Jayne and special Uncle to "Mamie Bojo" and Christopher who loved visits with Uncle Mike and Aunt Jayne. Uncle Mike loved to take these two fishing every time they came to visit. He loved life and just looking at his smile which was genuine and frequent tells his story.

You are flying with Angels now and forever !

Rest in Eternal Peace Mike. Your courageous battle is over and you left with a smile.

Love Never Forgets !

Ed, Cecile, Amy & Chris

Cecile Gebo - February 16, 2021 at 06:19 AM

CU

“ So sorry for your loss, Mike was a great guy, we had lots of fun at the lake with him. Cindy & Bill Ulrich.

cynthia Ulrich - February 15, 2021 at 09:53 AM

WH

So very sorry to read of the loss of Mike. Gone too soon but now all his pain and suffering is over. Sending love and prayers your way.

Wanda Hebel - February 24, 2021 at 01:23 AM