



Mark Hubert Smeltekop

February 14, 1952 - January 11, 2016

Mark H. Smeltekop passed away on January 11, 2016, at the age of 63, in Troy. He was born on February 14, 1952 to Walter and Betty June in Ypsilanti. Mark spent most of his free time golfing, running, boating, traveling and camping. After his retirement from Ford Motor Company, he enjoyed his landscaping business and with his expertise handyman skills, he could fix just about everything. Loving husband of Fonzie. Dear father of Laura and Mindy (Brian) Talerico. Dear grandfather of Hope and other grandchildren. Dear son of the late Walter and Betty. Mark is survived by many other loving family members and friends. Interment at Glen Eden East Cemetery, Macomb. Visitation will be on Thursday from 2:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m. at the Wasik Funeral Home, Inc. 49150 Schoenherr Rd. (N. of 22 Mile Rd.) Shelby Twp. Funeral service will be on Friday at 12:00 p.m. at the funeral home. Memorial contributions may be made to the Wertz Warriors, P.O. Box 1132, Mt. Clemens, MI 48046 or www.wertzwarriors.com. Expressions of sympathy may be shared with the family at www.wasikfuneralhome.com

Cemetery Details

Glen Eden East Cemetery

19810 26 Mile Rd.
Macomb Twp, MI 48042

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN **14**. 2:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

Wasik Funeral Home, Shelby Township
49150 Schoenherr Rd.
Shelby Township, MI 48315
(586) 532-8600
shelby@wasikfuneralhome.com

Funeral Service

JAN **15**. 12:00 PM (ET)

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Graveside Service

JAN **15** (ET)

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Tribute Wall

SP

“ *Sharon Puffer lit a candle in memory of Mark Hubert Smeltekop*



Sharon Puffer - January 17, 2016 at 09:46 PM

U4

“ *Utica Trim Local 400 lit a candle in memory of Mark Hubert Smeltekop*



Utica Trim Local 400 - January 14, 2016 at 07:23 PM

U4

From Utica Trim (UAW Local 400) we like to send our Condolence to Mark Family and Friends for their Loss....

From Fellow workers that remember Him like to say:

Denise Gauthier Hofford.... So sad to hear. Mark was a great guy. My sympathies to Fonzie and family.

Rich Manoogian.... Mark is to young Sorry to hear this

Marian Sproviero... So sorry for your loss. Prayers for all ?

Paulette Jakubowski-Mendelson.... Prayers to the family and sorry to hear about Mark

Denise Acciacca..... So sorry for your loss Fonzi. Our deepest sympathy.

Laura Henderson Fonzi..... so sorry for your loss. 

Pamela Larson Trees.... So sorry for your loss Fonzi. Mark was always a fun loving person

. Prayers for you and Family.

Paul Snyder.... Sorry to hear of Mark's passing. Prayers for Fonzie and the family.

Mark Scola....My Condolences !

Henry HillMark always had a smile for everyone. He will be missed. Our prayers are with Fonzi and your family.

Walter Welky.... I talked to Mark at the last Retiree golf outing. Even with everything he was going through, he was still upbeat, smiling and glad to see everyone there. I will miss him.

William Rick Graham.... I remember Mark always being upbeat. R.I.P. #UticaTrimBrother

Michelle Lyons.... Wow! I do remember him! So sorry for the loss!

Pamela Herring Graham.... Not sure I remember him!

William Rick Graham.... He worked afternoons mostly. Cool guy.

Tony Walker... I remember Fonzie

Carol Seals.... Sympathies to his family.

Larry NolanSo sorry for your loss Fonzi, Mark was a great person. Prayers for you and Family

Fast Eddie Washington..I'm sorry... My best go out to his family.

Fellow Union Brothers and Sisters..

God Bless!

UAW Local 400 - January 14, 2016 at 07:27 PM

RZ

“ MY DEEPEST REGRETS FONZ. MARK WAS A GREAT GUY AND FRIEND.HE WILL BE MISSED GREATLY.YOU AND THE FAMILY ARE IN MY PRAYERS.

RICK ZARR

RICK ZARR - January 14, 2016 at 05:28 PM



MW

“ To Fonzie, Mindy and Brian. I am so deeply sorry for your loss. Mark will be missed by all that had the pleasure of knowing him. He was a friend you could count on and would always offer his help in any way he could. I will miss the time and laughs we shared together.

matthew weyers - January 13, 2016 at 06:28 PM

SJ

“ I will miss my uncle Mark I remember a lot of him when I was little and into my teen years I will miss him.

Scott Johnson - January 13, 2016 at 12:38 PM

BJ

“ Fonzie, Ken and I are very sorry for your loss! Mark always had a good word and smile for everyone. He made this world a better place. Praying for you and your family! Ken & Barbara Jurek Hugs XX

Barb J - January 13, 2016 at 09:20 AM

MT

“ My heart is broken... I lost my dad and friend. These pictures make me smile and make me remember some of his happier times. He loved being a Grandpa so much. My life will surely never be the same without him ❤️

Mindy



Mindy Talerico - January 13, 2016 at 09:00 AM

JB

“ Fonzie, my love, thoughts and prayers to out to you and your family. Mark was one of the nicest people I have ever met. Always a happy guy and his love for you and the kids was obvious.

Judi Bourgeois

Judi Bourgeois - January 13, 2016 at 08:51 AM

PT

“ So sorry for your loss. I always remember Mark as a fun loving person at Ford Motor Co. Prayers for you and family Fonzi !

Pamela Larson Trees

Pamela Larson Trees - January 13, 2016 at 08:11 AM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Mark Hubert Smeltekop.*



January 12, 2016 at 11:09 PM



“ *Deepest sympathy to Fonzi, Mindy and Brian and all of Marks many friends and family. He was taken way to soon and will be greatly missed. We have had so many fun times and laughs with this guy. We will miss him stopping by just to see how we are doing and have a beer. Mark was such a nice guy with a huge heart. RIP Our friend.*



Rob and Julie Kain - January 12, 2016 at 08:13 PM



“ *Mark was one amazing guy who will be missed by all. I will never forget all of our fun boating events and laughs. We are very sorry for your loss, sending love to all of you!*

Renee Schuett & Family

Renee Schuett - January 12, 2016 at 06:39 PM



“ *I'm glad I got the pleasure of meeting him. I'm so sorry for your loss and I'm praying for the family.*

pamela ruffin - January 12, 2016 at 05:02 PM

JB

“ Deepest sympathy to Mark's family: His wife Fonzie, Sister Rosemary, Brothers Sandy and Keith, Daughter Laura and nieces and nephews. Mark's Mother, Betty Cate Smeltekop, was my Aunt. I hadn't seen Mark in many years but still have fond memories of family gatherings when we were younger. So very sorry to hear the news of his passing. Will keep everyone in my prayers. Now Mark can be with his Mother.

Judith Cate Beck, Thomson, IL [Cousin].

Judith Beck - January 12, 2016 at 03:08 PM

KW

“ Mark will be greatly missed. We are blessed to have so many fun memories of the great times we all shared together. Love, Kathy Will

Kathy Will - January 12, 2016 at 01:12 PM

ND

Fonzie and family you have my sympathy at this time, wish he and we had kept in contact more. The last time I saw Mark was in 2003, and he was in good health, we enjoyed his visit that day.

Norma Durward - January 12, 2016 at 06:51 PM

DH

My deepest sympathies to Fonzie and family. I had the pleasure of working with Mark and Fonzie at Utica Trim. Mark always had a smile and a hug for all his friends. He will be greatly missed by everyone. Denise Hofford.

denise hofford - January 12, 2016 at 10:37 PM



I'm so sorry to hear of Mark's passing. My deepest sympathies and prayers for him, Fonzie, and his family. Paul Snyder

Paul Snyder - January 13, 2016 at 08:44 AM

K;

Thoughts and prayers to my brother mark and fonzie ..! I remember the days back home in New boston on our small farm and could never forget. God speed on your journey to the next life

keith Smeltekop ;brother - January 13, 2016 at 10:39 AM

LH

Sorry to hear of Mark's passing. Mark was a very good person I worked with Mark in the materials department he will be missed.

les hackerd - January 13, 2016 at 12:41 PM

MU

I grew up next door to Mark and through most of our childhood Mark was more of a brother than a cousin and I had learned a lot from him and he was always there when I needed a friend. Mark you will be missed and thank you for the wonderful memories.

Mary Uhlik: cousin

mary uhlik - January 14, 2016 at 01:01 AM