



Timothy Edward Mink

July 10, 1961 - April 11, 2021

Timothy Edward Mink, age 59 of Chesterfield Twp, passed away on April 11, 2021. Timothy was born on July 10, 1961 in Detroit Michigan to Melvin and Emily (Narkun) Mink. On April 29th 1995, Timothy married Cheryl (Lassman).

Timothy proudly served in the US Army doing several deployments including a tour in Desert Storm. Tim was a decorated Army Veteran receiving numerous medals and accommodations also graduating from US Army Command and General Staff College. Tim retired from the Army as rank of Major.

Tim continued his government career working for the Department of the Army as a civilian as a Logistics Management Specialist.

Tim then went on to receive his Masters of Science (MSA) degree in Acquisition Administration from Central Michigan University.

Tim proudly served The US Government for 30 years.

Tim was a member of the VFW, The American Legion and the Amvets. He enjoyed fishing and boating and he was a master scuba diving instructor.

Beloved husband of Cheryl, dear brother of Dan (Joann) Mink. Proud Godfather of Danielle Mink, Andrew Lassman, Amy Anderson, and Sophia

Gust. Dear uncle of Matthew Lassman. Dear stepson of Lee Elsey.

Timothy was predeceased by his parents.

Donations in Tim's memory can be made to Veterans Returning Home (Roseville Mi) or The Devoted Barn Animal Rescue (Holly Mi)

Tribute Wall



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“ Words no matter how kind, can't mend your heartache. However, those who care for you wish you comfort and peace of mind.

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“ Cousin Jooaaaaay ! I had so many good times with Tim. Always the life of the party. His " Timmyisms " will forever be in my mind. I sure miss you Cuz...." Thanks a lot ! " ... cousin Joe Lenz

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“ My heart hurts for you Cheryl and your families. Sending my deepest condolences. May God bring you comfort at this awful time.

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“ To the Mink family, Bob and I would like to send our deepest condolences and our prayers to you, Tim left all of us way to early he will be dearly missed. We will always cherish the memories we made on Cranberry Lake during the summers and at the bomb fires we all shared. God rest your soul Tim, you had a big heart and was loved by many.

April 17, 2021 at 12:00 AM

GB

“ With deepest sympathy and loving memories.

Gracious Lavender Basket - April 17, 2021 at 12:00 AM



“ I served with 1LT Mink in the 177th MP BDE. 1LT Mink was a caring officer and had a great sense of humor. My fondest memories of him was when he would do impressions of a SGT he made up, chewing on a cigar. Always had me laughing so hard when he would go into character. We lost a good man. Rest in Peace, Warrior.

April 16, 2021 at 12:00 AM



“ I'll never forget Tim or be able to forget how much he made us all laugh and keep up our spirits. He was brave in combat. Miss you Brother.

April 16, 2021 at 12:00 AM



“ Tim will be missed by all of us in Aspen Park. He was such an outgoing guy. He loved talking with all of us as we passed by your home as we walked our dogs, rode our bikes or just drove by. Our hearts go out to you and your families during this difficult time.

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BB

“ With deepest sympathy,

Blooming Garden Basket - April 16, 2021 at 12:00 AM

AB

“ May you rest in peace Tim and may God Bless you and your loved ones. I will miss you buddy!

America the Beautiful - April 16, 2021 at 12:00 AM



“ I first met Tim in 1987 at University of Detroit ROTC. He was someone I admired and I took a liking to him right away. He was always happy, had a smile on his face, liked to have a good time, and was a jokester. Thank you for your service to our country and all the sacrifices you made along the way! You will be missed my friend! Rest in Peace Tim.

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MA

“ My childhood memories of my second cousin Tim... "flashlight tag" at the cottage, "magic 8 ball" at Grandma C's and singing at the top of our lungs to "Jeremiah was a Bullfrog". My fondest memories of Tim were watching him achieve his dreams of a military career, interacting with his godchildren whom he loved dearly, and learning to speak the Polish language. Tim was a "bigger than life" guy that knew how to have fun, give a good hug, and throw a party. He truly enjoyed his family, friends, and heritage. He will be missed and remembered by all of us whose lives he touched and made brighter. With love and prayers, Caren Kehrer

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“ Had a great time with you at 29 Palms and enjoyed our continued friendship. I'm gonna miss you. Always Frank

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“ I considered Tim my best friend at WBHS. He was always quick with a smile or a joke. So sad to have heard this. Condolences to his friends and family.

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“ We spent many great summers in Camp Grayling during Annual Training together. Tim was cool under pressure and never short on humor. My thoughts and prayers go out to his family today.

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“ If GOD grants me the chance, I will search for you brother on a crisp autumn morning in Northern Michigan as the sun burns the fog off a renowned trout stream or famous salmon river. I will watch for the big guy in his broad brimmed hat, dressed in camo and waders, and armed only with his trusty fishing rod; wading in search of the perfect hole, the perfect fish and his "perfect dream". After you share your natural warm humor with our Heavenly FATHER may he grant you the chance to follow your star to that "perfect dream". I will miss you Broheim, I will miss you! Love--- Harvey (a.k.a. Harvard)

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“ I hadn't seen Tim in years but I have very fond memories of knowing him when we worked in the same building at TACOM. He is someone I never forgot because he was such a nice guy. My condolences to his family and friends.

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“ Mr. Tim, We will miss hearing the greeting as you drove by our house daily.... "Hark!" and a beep and wave. Your love of family, God, and country will be missed dearly. Our love to Cheryl and the rest of your family; what a special man and friend to miss.

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“ Tim, a great friend with a one of a kind personality who will be missed. Ray Malinowski

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“ my buddy always made me smile thanks for all the good times. hi Tom

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“ my deepest sympathy to the family. he was a good friend.

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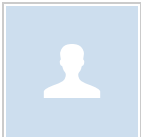
“ Uncle Tim, I would give anything to hear you say "MR AND MRS G...W" right now! I vow to carry on the tradition. Love, Mrs. GDUBBS

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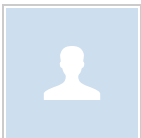
“ *Someone who would give their shirt off their back is a phrase people casually throw around when describing the character of a person. Well, a few years back this actually happened to me! It was a rainy morning and when returning to work after lunch I coincidentally ran into Tim in the work parking lot. I remember parking next to him and walking into the office together. Tim, on our way to the office mentioned that my tire looked flat. I ran back to the car to assess the damage and as Tim being Tim he of course followed. I remember searching for the jack and before I knew it Tim jumped under my van found the jack and in a large puddle of water immediately started the arduous task of replacing my flat in a huge puddle of water all while still in his white dress shirt. It took a few minutes but after it was done Tim was soaking wet with a big smile on his face and as I stood there he said no worries Steve it's just what friends do! That story always stands out in my mind when I think of Tim, I only wish I was as good a friend to him as he was to me! Tim is Tim, someone who would no matter what would always help a friend in need. God Bless Tim and Cheryl through Tim's journey to Heaven.*

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“ *Timmy, you will be missed dearly. You were so full of love and laughter. Rest In Peace my dear cousin. Love you always, Cathy*

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“ *Tim always had a smile and warm welcome when I would see him. He was a true good man. My thoughts, prayer and comfort are with you Cheryl.*

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“ Timothy Edward Mink

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“ Tim was a great man who will be greatly missed, He always called me MP. He was always thinking of others in everything he did, He will be greatly missed. RIP my friend.

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“ Tim was a good friend and great neighbor. I will miss watching the Spartan football games with him in his garage. Prayers and thoughts are with Cheryl, Family and Friends.

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“ Mr Tim was a great man! Condolences to friends and family and especially his loving wife!

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“ Tim was a gentle giant, very good friend and co-worker. Whenever I visited Selfridge or he came to Charleston, SC or wherever our travels took us, we would always have lunch and share good laughs together. Things were never the same when he retired. Tim will truly be missed. May God Bless the Mink Family. James Knight NIWC- Charleston, SC

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“ Such a devastating loss! "Big Tim" had so much love for life. Such a loving and giving man. Who's going to help us hold the line at Cheeseburger now? I always enjoyed your presence each summer in Caseville (except maybe the snoring) and you will be greatly missed. The tiki bar just won't be the same now. Love and comfort to your family as they cope with your loss. ❤️

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“ Truly a man for all seasons. He will be sadly missed. We enjoyed working beside Tim in the Army and he never missed a beat providing us humor and compassion when we needed it the most. Our deepest sympathy and condolences to the family. Thanks for giving us the opportunity to share in his memories here. We will never forget you Tim. God truly called one of his angels home.

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“ T. Mink, Extending Friendship, Sympathy, and Compassion! So many fun times shared with WBHS '79, you live forever in our memories. We Love You "51"!

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“ Tim was one of the first person to greet me when I joined the PAO unit at Ft. Custer. We bonded over hockey and as friends throughout my time in service. I loved getting a phone call from him and chatting about what's bugging him. He always said 'Heya Lucky' (nickname in the army) and always had a big smile on his face. Much love to Cheryl and the Mink family. He will be missed.

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“ Tim always had an adolescent playfulness about him. You couldn't help but smile no matter how silly he was being. He will be missed by a great deal of people.

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“ Tim we will dearly miss you and cherish all the great times together. Love the Weglowski Family

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“ Cheers! to you Captain Major T. Mink. Hoisting a brewski back at you. "Hey your boat scratched my anchor."

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“ Tim always made situations humorous with his upbeat joking personality. Many boat trips and parties in our memories. Will be missed by all. Chris and Kelle Gardiner

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“ Tim was truly "one of a kind". I have five siblings and three friends which I consider family/brothers. Tim was one of those eight. Rest In Peace my Brother, you'll forever live in our hearts. 🙏

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“ *An Honor to have met Mr. Tim. When I asked for a word of wisdom, Mr. Tim gave it to me straight, and being a "straight shooter" Mr. Tim was very good at. RIH Sir....*

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“ *My deepest condolences to Tim's family and friends.*

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“ *Tim was always so easy to get along with. It was a pleasure to work with him Carol Pilon*

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