



Joseph John Schripsema

July 20, 1980 - July 12, 2019

Joseph John Schripsema of Howell passed away Friday, July 12, 2019 at Michigan Medicine in Ann Arbor. He was 38.

Joe was born July 20, 1980 in Cadillac to Daniel E. and Bonita R. (Brunink) Schripsema.

He graduated from McBain Agricultural High School and went on to earn his bachelor degree from Michigan Technological University. He obtained his professional land surveyor's license and was a professional land surveyor for many years. Joe was a member of Michigan Society of Professional Surveyors.

He loved his family and enjoyed taking his sons fishing. The family has fond memories of visiting the cottage in Lake City and taking their dog, Lexus, to Mud Lake.

Joe is survived by his sons, Robert and Ethan Schripsema of Howell; parents, Dan and Bonnie Schripsema of McBain; brothers, Craig (Tania) Schripsema of Weidman and Andrew Schripsema of Wixom; nieces and nephew, Emily, Chelsea, Braeden and Lyla; Pat and Jerry Borowski; many loving aunts, uncles and cousins and special friends and neighbors, Phillip and Melissa.

He was preceded in death by his grandparents, Lawrence and Alberta Brunink and William and Marie Schripsema.

Memorial services will be held 2:00 PM, Saturday, July 27 at Rehoboth Reformed Church in Lucas (8327 South Lucas Road, McBain, Michigan.) Visitation with the family will be one hour prior to the service at church. Light refreshments will be served following the service.

In lieu of flowers memorial contributions may be made to the Robert and Ethan Schripsema Fund through Edward Jones Financial. An online guestbook is available at www.petersonfh.com.

Tribute Wall

PA

“ Our love and prayers are with you all during this impossible time. We will miss seeing Joe everyday and sharing funny quips and fresh baked goodies with the boys. Joe's kind heart will not be forgotten and our prayers will continue to include all of you.

Philip, Melissa & Rachel Avery - July 27, 2019 at 09:19 AM

JW

“ My Heart and Prayers go out to Joe's family. May God grant peace to all your Hearts! JOE WAS ALWAYS SUCH A GENTLE SOUL. My Condolences!

Jennifer * flynn* Whitman - July 27, 2019 at 07:13 AM

JV

“ Dan and Bonnie, Our deepest sympathy to your whole family in your loss. Keeping you in our thoughts and prayers

Jim and Bonnie VanHouten - July 26, 2019 at 04:56 PM

JV

“ Dan & Bonnie, Our sincerest sympathy to your whole family in your loss. Keeping you in our thoughts and prayers

Jim and Bonnie VanHouten - July 26, 2019 at 04:54 PM

GS

“ Hello Dan and Bonnie, I am so sorry to hear of your sons passing. His passing is way to soon for a young man a husband and father. My Condolences to both of you and to his family. Considering my intense love for your mom and Dad, Dan I feel that I was really remiss in maintaining my relationship with you and your brothers. I apologize and I want to say I love all of you and pray for God's peace to be upon you. Sincerely GERARD Sikkema

Gerard Sikkema - July 17, 2019 at 08:11 AM

GB

“ So very sorry for your loss. Keeping you in our thoughts and prayers.

Gord and Peggy Baas - July 17, 2019 at 04:41 AM

DW

“ Dan and Bonnie and family,
Dave and I are so deeply sorry for the loss of your son and brother. We pray for Gods comfort to be felt, as only HE can give, during this sorrowful time.

Dave and Kamie Wade - July 16, 2019 at 01:58 PM

KK

“ Extending my most heartfelt condolences to Joe's family. You're all in my thoughts and prayers.

Kendra Kroupa - July 16, 2019 at 01:42 PM

EW

“ Sorry for your loss.

Edward Vander Woude - July 16, 2019 at 11:50 AM