



Michael A. "Mike" Shay

September 11, 1953 - December 8, 2024

Michael A. "Mike" Shay, 71 of Lebanon passed away on Sunday December 8, 2024 at Linden Village. He was the husband of Bonnie S. (Ziegler) Shay, with whom he recently celebrated 45 years of marriage.

Mike was born in Lebanon on September 11, 1953 to the late Alfred and Rita (Schreiber) Shay. He was a graduate of Lebanon Catholic High School. He worked at Hauck Manufacturing in field services and sales. His last position held was president of Hauck. Mike had been a member of the former Midway Church of the Brethren for many years, where he held various servant leadership positions and taught Sunday School. More recently, Mike had been attending Calvary Chapel in Lebanon. He was also a member of the Lebanon Valley Chamber of Commerce and was on the board of Lebanon County Christian Ministries. He was an avid Boy Scout Leader, golfer, hunter, and a huge Bruce Springsteen fan. Mike enjoyed spending time with his family members and cousins.

Surviving in addition to his wife are his children, Daniel Shay (Julia) of Wilmington, DE, Erin Koch (Dan) of Lebanon, grandchildren, Lydia and Bennett Shay, and a brother Patrick Shay of Juniata County, PA.

A Funeral Service will be held on Wednesday December 18, 2024 at 11AM at Little Swatara Church of the Brethren, 31 Rehersburg Road, Bethel, PA.

Interment will be in the church cemetery. There will be a viewing from 9AM until 11AM at the church.

In lieu of flowers, contributions can be made to the Lebanon County Christian

Ministries, 250 South 7th St. Lebanon, Pa 17042.

Previous Events

Public Viewing

DEC 18. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Little Swatara Church of the Brethern
31 Rehrersburg Rd
Bethel, PA 19507

Funeral Service

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Tribute Wall

CF

“ My sympathies to the Shay family. He was a good neighbor. When we first moved to the neighborhood he made my family feel welcome!



Cheryl Frattaroli - December 18, 2024 at 07:10 PM

LJ

“ Deepest condolences to Bonnie, Dan, Erin and your families. Thinking of you and wishing you moments of peace and comfort as you remember Mike. Prayers.

linda janiszewski - December 17, 2024 at 02:00 PM

BK

“ Brian Kelly planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Michael A. "Mike" Shay.

Brian Kelly - December 16, 2024 at 04:18 PM

BK

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GF

“ Guy Ziegler Family purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Michael A. "Mike" Shay.



Guy Ziegler Family - December 16, 2024 at 03:45 PM



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JS

“ I have know Mike through the YMCA in Lebanon for over thirty years. He and Tom Kaley owned the racquetball courts for years and we shared many fun moments inside the walls of the Y. He will most assuredly be missed!!

Jim Smith - December 15, 2024 at 08:14 AM

DS

“ Deepest sympathy to Bonnie Dan and Erin and their families on the passing of your beloved Mike! Prayers hugs thinking of you all! Dorsey, Nick and Jordan Sechrist

DOROTHEA SECHRIST - December 12, 2024 at 01:50 PM

TL

“ I was humbled and privileged to work under Mike's leadership at Hauck Manufacturing. Tom Lehman

Tom Lehman - December 12, 2024 at 11:13 AM

ML

“ Bonnie and Family,
Thoughts and prayers to your family. May your memories be a comfort in the days ahead.

Mary and Roger Leibig - December 12, 2024 at 06:33 AM

CR

“ I am sorry for your loss in your family. I worked with Mike for many years at Hauck. What a fine man he was. A great leader, boss and friend. Again, I am sorry for your families loss. Clint Roden

Clint Roden - December 11, 2024 at 05:59 PM



“ My condolences to Bonnie, Dan, and Erin. Mike was my supervisor for 35 years during our time at Hauck. We've been friends and Scouting friends even longer. He was one fine person who I will miss very much.

Mike Blantz - December 10, 2024 at 05:04 PM

RK

“ I am so sorry for the loss of Mike. He is a cousin to my brother-in-law (Jack Schlegel). Mike's mother & Jack's mother were sisters & Bill Schreiber was their brother. He was such a great person & friend to me. My heart is with you in the loss of Mike. I pray that the Holy Spirit comforts you at this most difficult time. Love, Bob Koch...

Robert Koch - December 10, 2024 at 03:42 PM