



Leo Jay Hartman

January 26, 1959 - February 29, 2012

Mr. Leo J. Hartman, 54 of Rockford, Illinois died February 29th at his residence.

Mr. Hartman was born on January 26, 1959 in Sierra Madre, CA, the son of Marilyn Pavlak and the late Jack Hartman and step-father Edward Pavlak. Leo graduated from Harlem High School in 1977 and attended Illinois State University. He was previously employed as a manager at Service Supply Company, Inc. for many years. Leo enjoyed the outdoors, camping, boating and waterskiing. Most recently Leo spent much of his time caring for his elderly parents. Leo attended Broadway Covenant Church.

Leos' life will be celebrated at a funeral mass at St. Bridget's Catholic Church, Loves Park, Illinois on March 6th, 2012 at 10am. Leo's family will cherish his memory and pray for his eternal peace with God. Grace Funeral & Cremation Services assisted the family. To share a memory or condolence, visit www.graceFH.com.

Leo is survived by many loving family members including his parents Marilyn and Edward Pavlak, former wife Kathy Hartman, his beloved children Stephanie and Jake Hartman and Nick Cathy, siblings Greg (Melody) Hartman, Matt (Diane) Hartman, Mary Galan, Dawn Adams (Wendell) and Vickie Voyles (Matt). He was predeceased by his father Jack Hartman and brother Jeff Hartman.

Previous Events

Service

MAR 6. 10:00 AM (CT)

St. Bridget's Catholic Church
600 Clifford Avenue
Loves Park, IL IL

Tribute Wall

RR

“ *Kathy, Steph & Jake: We are very sorry for your loss with the passing of Leo this past week.*

Mike and Roxanne

Roxanne Reese - March 05, 2012 at 07:35 PM

EF

“ *Elizabeth Flom lit a candle in memory of Leo Jay Hartman*



elizabeth flom - March 05, 2012 at 12:16 PM

DB

“ *We are very sorry for your loss of a good man. Debby & James Brown, Hallsville, Texas*

Deborah L. Brown - March 05, 2012 at 08:37 AM

GG

“ *I would like to express my sincere condolences to Leo's family... I first met Leo and we became friends at Harlem High School (in 1977)..... Then at Illinois State University I got to know Leo better as we became "Fraternity Brothers" at Delta Sigma Phi... Although it has been more than 25 years since I last saw Leo, I will always remember his laugh, he could be so funny at times.... He made folks feel comfortable and he always had a story to tell... R.I.P my friend, Leo Hartman... †*

Gary Griese - March 04, 2012 at 09:15 PM

LI

“ We are very sorry and want to offer our heart felt condolences to the entire family. In particular his children and parents the Pavlak's. I am a long time friend of Leo's going back to high school and have spent many good times with Leo through out the years Golfing, baseball etc. Leo played in the Monday night basketball league many years. He was always a caring and kind individual. I wish I would have seen him before he passed. I can not make the services because of travel but I will be there in my heart. My Jesus's peace be with him and you.

Sincerely,

Lou Bertenshaw

Louis G Bertenshaw IV - March 04, 2012 at 08:54 AM

JF

“ Although it has been more than 20 years since I last spent time with Leo, I will always fondly recall our fishing adventure at Lake Koshkonong and our trips in to Chicago to see the White Sox play. He was a kind, gentle soul who loved laughter and humor. From the Fisk family to those who loved Leo, our condolences on your loss. John and Kim Fisk

John Fisk - March 03, 2012 at 01:20 PM