



Michael Edward Johnson

November 12, 1964 - February 26, 2015

Michael Edward Johnson, age 50 of Bloomington passed away early Thursday morning, February 26, 2015, at his home. He was born in Valparaiso, Indiana on November 12, 1964 to Leon Edward Johnson and Jeneane Miller Johnson.

Michael was a 1983 graduate of Greensburg High School in Greensburg, Indiana and graduated from Purdue University in 1988. He went on to spend his entire professional career starting in 1989 with the Crane Naval Surface Warfare Center in various departments specifically involved with the protection of the troops of our United States Military Services. His last position at Crane was as Countermeasures Design Branch Manager, a position he enjoyed very much. He joined St. Charles Catholic Church in 1999 and was an active member there, along with his wife, Rose. Mike taught Moral Theology to the RCIA class and was a Hospital Minister as well.

He is survived by his wife Rosemarie (Bates) Johnson and their beloved children, Kathryn, Matthew, Benjamin, and Elena Johnson, all of Bloomington. Also surviving are his parents Leon and Jeneane Johnson of Greensburg; sister Belinda Ferguson and husband Tim of Greer, South Carolina, as well as several nieces and

nephews.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be held Tuesday March 3, 2015 at 11:00 AM at St Charles Borromeo Catholic Church, with Fr. Thomas Kovatch presiding. Burial will follow in Valhalla Cemetery. Visitation will be held Monday March 2, 2015 from 4:00PM until 8:00PM at Allen Funeral Home and Crematory 4155 South Old Highway 37 .

Memorial contributions may be made in Michael's honor to either the Olcott Cancer Resource Center or the Indiana University Bloomington Hospital Hospice Program. Online condolences may be sent to the family at www.allenfuneralhome.org.

Tribute Wall

JO

“ *Rose and Family -*

I was on travel the week of Mike's passing and just found out on 3/6....needless to say, I was quite saddened by the discovery.

I worked with Mike (2007-2010) and kept contact after that. We shared many moments on our religion, our families, our retirement, and when the work got too demanding, we shared our craziness. I was enjoyed how he would drift into the crazy moments with me at work - it's how we kept our sanity.

I liked Mike a lot and was always impressed at the fairness with which he viewed situations.

He had to be a great spouse and Dad, because you all were always on his mind and he was always ready to talk about what you guys were into and up to. He was quite proud of you all.

Thanks for sharing your Dad and husband, and know that you and he are in my prayers.

Be well, and blessings to you and those you hold dear.

*Joseph S. Byrd
Noblesville, Indiana*

Joseph Byrd - October 26, 2015 at 04:01 PM

BM

“ *Our prayers are with you during this time. Mike was such a great friend and will be deeply missed.*

Burke and Maggie Geene - October 26, 2015 at 04:01 PM

GR

“ I am so, so sorry for your loss. I worked with Mike at Crane for several years - he was a GREAT co-worker. I imagine he was an even better husband and father. I know we miss him here - I know you must miss him greatly. He had great Christian faith though, so we know he has gone on ahead of us to a better place. I look forward to seeing his smiling face again.

Greg Thomas - October 26, 2015 at 04:01 PM

SI

“ Dear Rose and family,

I am so sorry about the passing of Mike, I know what a battle he fought. You and your family are in prayers.

Siobhan

Siobhan Dennis - October 26, 2015 at 04:01 PM

AL

“ I am sorry about your loss. I knew Mike from working at Crane. I know that words are of little use right now, so I hope that time will ease your pain and that you find comfort in memories of him.

Alphonso Cook - October 26, 2015 at 04:01 PM

SA

“ Dear Rose, Kathryn, Matthew, Ben and Ellie,

Our deepest condolences to all of you. We are thinking and praying for you.

*Love,
Matt, Sarah, Kellan and Natalie*

Sarah Moore - October 26, 2015 at 04:01 PM