

Michael "Mike" J. Overstreet

May 15, 1939 - April 19, 2015

Michael J. "Mike" Overstreet, 75 of Zanesville, passed away peacefully at 7:00 AM, Sunday, April 19, 2015 at his residence following a year and a half illness. He was born Monday, May 15, 1939 in Columbus, the son of Norman L. Overstreet and Mary Margaret (Coffee) Overstreet. He married Norma Jean (Caryer) Overstreet on November 4, 1958 and was a member of St. Thomas Aquinas Catholic Church.

Mike worked for the Big Bear Store in South Zanesville for over 42 years retiring as Produce Manager. Following his retirement he enjoyed driving for Northside Pharmacy. Mike enjoyed seeing his customers and never met a stranger. He was an avid golfer and enjoyed all his golfing buddies and spending time with his Northside friends. He was a Little League Football Coach and Softball Coach; was a fierce Ohio State Buckeyes Fan and enjoyed fishing. Mike cherished the time he and Jean spent traveling together with his special friends, Yolanda and "Brud", & Sharon and Jim. Mike was a loving and caring husband, father and grandfather who enjoyed spending time with his family and was a true animal lover.

Mike is survived by his loving wife of over 56 years: Jean Overstreet; two sons: Michael J. (Sonya) Overstreet of Blacklick and Kevin Paul (Barb Long) Overstreet of Zanesville; one daughter: Lori (Jay) Phillis of Zanesville; two beloved grandchildren: Megan & Jake Phillis; several nieces and nephews;

and his devoted pet Gracie.

In addition to his parents, Mike was preceded in death by three brothers: Thomas Overstreet, Norman "Brud" Overstreet and Daniel Overstreet and one sister: Mary Ellen Roberts.

Friends may call from 2:00 to 4:00 and 6:00 to 8:00 PM, Thursday, April 23, 2015 at the Hillis, Combs & Nestor Funeral Home, 935 Forest Avenue, Zanesville where a Christian Vigil will be held at 7:45 PM. Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated 10:00 AM, Friday, April 24, 2015 at St. Thomas Aquinas Catholic Church, 144 North Fifth Street, Zanesville with a Dominican Father as Celebrant. Memorial contributions may be made to Muskingum County Animal Shelter Society, 1430 Newark Road, Zanesville, or Genesis Hospice and Palliative Care, 713 Forest Avenue, Zanesville, Ohio 43701 in Mike's memory. To sign the online register book or to send a personal condolence note please visit www.hilliscombsnestor.com

Tribute Wall



“ Hillis Combs Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Michael "Mike" J. Overstreet



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“ Michael "Mike" J. Overstreet

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“ Sharon L. purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Michael "Mike" J. Overstreet.



Sharon L. - April 22, 2015 at 09:36 AM

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“ I can't put all my memories of Mike in a few words. I loved all the time we spent playing cards and traveling together. He had such a kind and sweet nature and, yes, he could get very vocal during the OSU footballs games. We loved it! He never met a stranger and when you got Jim and Mike together our days were full of laughter. I will miss my buddy dearly but he struggled for so long with his health I know he is in a better place. My love and prayers go out to Jean and his family.

Sharon Lanning - April 22, 2015 at 08:24 AM

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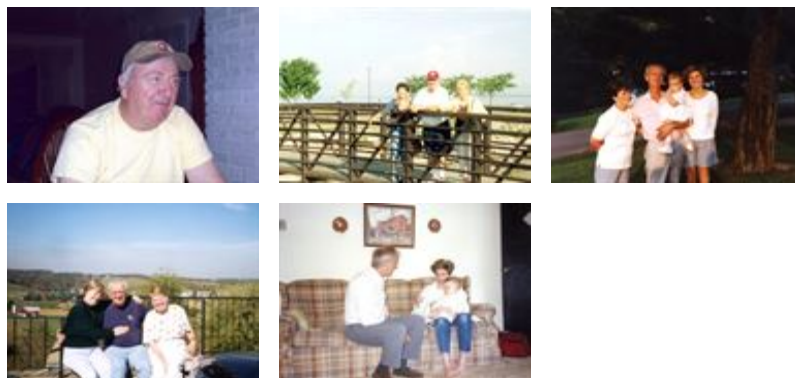
“ Sending My Deepest Sympathy. Mike was one of the first people I came in contact with after I was hired at Northside Pharmacy, we chatted a bit before clocking in to start our work day. What a pleasant man, I always enjoyed talking with him whenever he stopped by the Pharmacy to say Hello, well today I say goodbye for now, but I'm sure we will chat again. Terri Estep



Terri Estep - April 22, 2015 at 08:06 AM



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“ We will always remember Mike spending many hours coaching little boys in Bidy League football. He was kind and fair and had the respect of the boys and their parents. We offer sincere condolences. Bill and Stephanie Taylor

Stephanie Taylor - April 21, 2015 at 06:44 AM