



Patrick Joseph Duignan

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Mr. Patrick J. "Joe" Duignan, age 73, passed away Friday, November 24, 2006 in Muskegon. He was born in Belfast, Ireland on October 3, 1933 to Dominic and Christina (Gormley) Duignan, having moved to Muskegon in 1964. Mr. Duignan had

been a plant manager for CWC-Extron before retiring in 1992. He had also been a member at St. Michael Catholic Church. Mr. Duignan enjoyed fishing and golfing and was a member of University Park Golf Course as well as a member of the CWC Golf League. Patrick is survived by 2 sisters, Christina Duignan of Norton Shores, Josephine Farrell of Belfast, Ireland; 1 brother, Francis B. Duignan of Belfast, Ireland; his God daughter, Kathleen(Thomas) Rabach and their children Kaitlyn and Colin Rabach; and several nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents and 2 brothers, John and Gerard Duignan. A MASS OF CHRISTIAN BURIAL will be 11AM Wednesday at St. Michael the Archangel Catholic Church with Rev. Fr. Max Frego as Presider. VISITATION will be held from 5-8PM Tuesday at

The Walburn Chapel

Sytsema Funeral Homes, Inc.

1547 W. Sherman Blvd.

231-759-8565

with the ROSARY PRAYED at 7:30PM. INTERMENT will be in St. Mary's Cemetery. MEMORIALS in Mr. Duignan's name may be made to the American Cancer Society. Share memories with the family at their Online Guestbook at www.sytsemafh.com



Events


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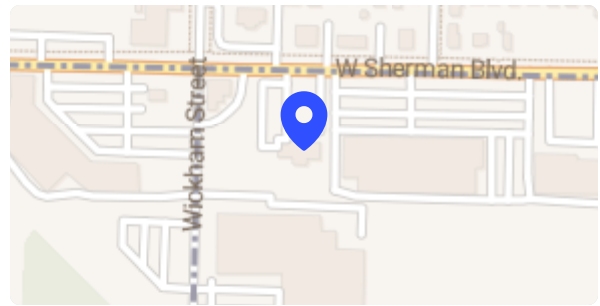
Visitation

 **Tuesday**, November 28, 2006

 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM ET

 **Sytsema Funeral & Cremation Services - The Walburn Chapel**

1547 W. Sherman Blvd., Muskegon MI 49441





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Anonymous posted:

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November 30 at 3:02 PM



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November 30 at 3:01 PM



Anonymous posted:

DUIGNAN: Patrick Joseph. The committee and members of CCC, Rosemary Street, deeply regret the Patrick, brother of their esteemed member Francis. St Malachy pray for him.##imported-begin##Irish News Insertions##imported-end##

November 30 at 2:58 PM



Anonymous posted:

DUIGNAN: Patrick Joseph, late of 17 Crocus Street, who dies in America on Friday 24th November. Sadly missed by his brother Francis. Jesus Mary and Joesph have mercy on him.##imported-begin##Irish News Insertions##imported-end##

November 30 at 2:54 PM



Anonymous posted:

Our Deepest Sympathy our thoughts are with you. Your Neighbors in Grant. English Maureen@Foley Daher.##imported-begin##Maureen&FoleyDaher 4700 S Highway Grant Fl##imported-end##

November 30 at 2:26 PM



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Anonymous posted:

Joe got along with everone. The best word to describe Joe is nice. When I took Joe to golf outings where nobody knew him previously, everyone in the group would tell me what a nice man he was. The world needs more people like Joe. Joe, we will miss you.##imported-begin##bill parsons##imported-end##

November 29 at 9:52 PM



Anonymous posted:

We will always remember you easy going personality.You appeared never to get flustered and take everthing in your stride.I remember a long time ago in Winter going fishing in Muskegon.I was no fisherman but to fish in winter on both the lake and in the rivers were always a mystery to me.You appeared to take it all in your stride while I was becomming more cold and frustrated.We will miss your.##imported-begin##James Farrell##imported-end##

November 29 at 1:13 PM



Anonymous posted:

Dear Pat,The hole in our heart can only be filled with the friendship we shared.What a wonderful gift you gave us with your visit in July. We will treasure your friendship forever. Hope the fishing good up in heaven. We will miss you.ALL OUR LOVE.##imported-begin##Dan and Mary Rowland Grant, Fl.##imported-end##

November 29 at 6:09 AM



Anonymous posted:

Hey Joe. I love you and miss you. Your salads were always the best. I wish I could have gone golfing with you, even though I probably wouldn't have been very good. You were a good man Joe. Everytime I see Notre Dame I'll think of you.##imported-begin##Sarah Parsons##imported-end##

November 28 at 6:59 PM



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Anonymous posted:

Hello, Pat was my supervisor at cwc when I worked there in the 70"s!!!! He was a very ,very talented electrician and he taught me how to troubleshoot electrical circuits and he set a very high bar for us apprentices at the time to learn the trade. I only knew him for about a year and then I moved on to other jobs but he made a lasting imprint as to how a great electrician troubleshoots. I have been an Electrical contractor in this area for the past 27 years. Thank you Pat for all you taught me!!!! My condolences to all his family and friends. Best regards, Jim fredrickson##imported-begin##Jim Fredrickson##imported-end##

November 28 at 4:25 PM



Anonymous posted:

Joe we will miss you so much even though you lived so far away you have touched our lives in many ways, leaving us with great memories that will remain in our thoughts forever, one memory we will always have is going to Crosshaven, its a place that will have more meaning to us now, as our way for saying goodbye we will scatter flowers to your memory into the sea as we know how much you loved to sail and fish. You will remain in our hearts, you wont be forgotten as memories live on forever, may our paths cross again one day love Pamela, Amanda and Christopher xxx##imported-begin##Pamela, Amanda and Chris Farrell##imported-end##

November 28 at 2:50 PM



Anonymous posted:

Joe i will always miss the times i got to see u with the family and going fishin out on your dock and the great meals i ate at ur house while watchin Olympic Hockey... and i will always remember that beautiful golf stroke u had... u were one of the nicest people i have ever met and i will always love and miss u Joe##imported-begin##Hayden Viviano##imported-end##

November 28 at 1:08 PM



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Anonymous posted:

Joe, You will always be in our hearts and memories. As far back in my childhood I can remember how you and Christina opened your home to me. We shared meals on many Sunday's and holidays. Even though I moved miles away, my family and I could always count on a big smile and a fond embrace everytime we came back to Muskegon. The vacation at Sea World we shared with you, Christina, and the Rabach's will always be cherished. You touched our hearts in so many ways--especially when you and Tom built the wheelchair ramp for my grandfather. You will be missed greatly. May you be blessed with eternal life and love. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.##imported-begin##Steve, Kim, Alexandria, Spencer and Christopher##imported-end##

November 28 at 11:51 AM



Anonymous posted:

Joe you were a favourite uncle showing love and kindness to us all. You entertained us and Mum when we visited Muskegon with boat trips, fishing and golf which you never critized even though I played badly. I will miss you and will never forget you. Rest in peace now. love Phil.##imported-begin##Philomena Farrell##imported-end##

November 28 at 9:15 AM



Anonymous posted:

Joe, you will always remain in our hearts and memories. May God Bless you as you enter his Kingdom now. Our thoughts and prayers are with you Joe, Chris and all of your family.##imported-begin##Francis and Liming Maguire##imported-end##

November 28 at 8:34 AM



Anonymous posted:

It was with great sadness that we heard about the passing of Joe may the lord protect him and take him into his kingdom. From your long time friends. John (Abhan) and Chris Kingston (Cork Ireland)##imported-begin##John and Chris Kingston##imported-end##

November 28 at 7:06 AM



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Anonymous posted:

Thanks for all the memories and the good times with you and Chris.i will always remember you in my prayers.##imported-begin##sean farrell##imported-end##

November 28 at 6:41 AM



Anonymous posted:

Joe- thankyou for being such a great uncle to us all.You will be sadly missed.##imported-begin##Dermott,Bernadette,Michelle,Ray,James,Ciaran,jolene and Danny##imported-end##

November 28 at 1:43 AM



Anonymous posted:

Joe-I will forever miss you. The memories of every thrilling Notre Dame game and the intense Red Wings shootouts will always stay in my heart and never leave. I know you were yelling at Brady Quinn up in heaven on Saturday's game just like old times. Every hockey, football, and basketball game I watch or play will have the memories of my favorite Joe. I will never forget your wonderful sense of humor and smile. Through the good and bad you were the one always smiling and cheering every one up. I will make sure myself that we eat at our normal time from 7-9. Next time I eat chicken or steak I will chew and think of how much you loved Kentucky Fried Chicken. Where's my chicken you'd say. You could eat chicken 7 days a week and never get tired of it. All the merry moments we had while playing Rummy and Bunko will never be forgotten. Your smile meant the world to me and when ever I am down in the dumps I will think of your beautiful smile and cheer up. Now you are looking down at us from heaven with Grandma and together you can cheer for Colin and I while playing basketball and hockey. Thanks for all the memories we shared and I will always love and miss you.##imported-begin##Kaitlyn Rabach##imported-end##

November 27 at 6:56 PM



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Anonymous posted:

I miss watching the NHL games with you on T.V and Red Wings. I really miss you coming to my hockey games.I miss playing golf with you the one that taught me how to play. I wish you could of gone to another FURY GAME with us. Just so you know the FURY are doing great this year.On my next hockey game I am going to score for you Joe.Were going to win I hope you will watch it in heaven.You have to watch the Red Wings game in heaven to.After all you are the one who taught me how to play golf and we got in the newspaper.I miss fishing at your house to. I remember when you caught the blow-up fish. Then I caught a Sheep fish and we put my Sheep fish on the string and we took a picture of them. Then we watched the Olympics on T.V.I remember when you played hockey on my PS2 and you won then we played again and I won. Then we watched Notre Dame beat MSU. You did make the best steak in the world. You played hockey out in the drive way with me to and basketball we had so much fun doing that. WE watched soccer on T.V and talk about when you were young and played soccer with the old kind of ball.You give good boat rides to. I wish we could of went Ice Fishing together. You were good at ping-pong. LOVE' Colin Rabach###imported-begin##Colin Rabach###imported-end##

November 27 at 6:20 PM



Anonymous posted:

we will always remember your kindness, your quiet and lovely way that was just you. we have many lovely memories of you that will remain in our hearts. you will be sadly missed. Rest in Peace###imported-begin##Raymond and Bernadette###imported-end##

November 27 at 2:55 PM



Anonymous posted:

We have great memories of you and you will always be in our thoughts. You were a wonderful great uncle and we will miss you.###imported-begin##Patricia and Michael Farrell###imported-end##

November 27 at 1:47 PM



Anonymous posted:

We will miss you a lot Joe. You are in our thoughts and prayers.Go Irish!###imported-begin##Willie and Bridge Parsons and Sarah and Jon###imported-end##

November 27 at 10:17 AM



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Anonymous posted:

Family - I work at CWC Textron and new Pat for many years and golfed with him as well for the past 10 years. He was a wonderful person and will be missed. My thoughts and prayers are with the family. Chris Essenberg##imported-begin##Chris Essenberg##imported-end##

November 27 at 5:45 AM



Anonymous posted:

Joe from my earliest memories you were always there, first one to help us through our tough times and then to share in our good times, your passing now leaves a gap in our lives which will be impossible to fill but your memory will live with us forever, God bless you and may you now rest in peace. Peter, Breda, Christopher, Pamela and Amanda Farrell.##imported-begin##Peter Farrell##imported-end##

November 27 at 4:06 AM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Patrick Joseph by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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