

Jack H. Mandt

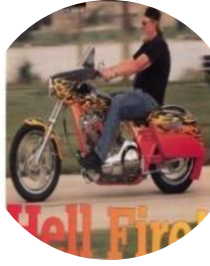
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Mr. Jack H. Mandt, age 62, passed away Sunday morning, September 14, 2008 from complications following a motorcycle accident on August 30th. He was born October 16, 1945 in Muskegon to Howard and Miranda (Viger) Mandt. Mr. Mandt worked for Knoll Group for 29 years before retiring in 2006. Jack was an avid Harley Rider and a member of the Muskegon Motorcycle Gang (MMG): a local motorcycle club known for raising funds for local charities. On September 21, 1972 he married the former Nancy Strong in Muskegon and she survives him along with 2 sons, Chris (Jenny) Mandt of Monroe, MI, Harley Mandt of Muskegon; beloved granddaughter, Paige Mandt of Muskegon; brothers, Ross (Pat) Mandt of San Francisco, CA, Robert Mandt of Port Orange, FL; sisters, Mary Smith, SueAnn (Bruce) Engle, Rhonda (Rick) Bordeaux all of Muskegon; mother-in-law, Norma Sutphen; many sisters and brothers-in-law, nieces and nephews and their children; special friends, Dave Matuzeski "7" of MMG, Don and Irmgard, Joel, Bob, and Michael Butler of Escondido, CA; and his faithful companion, Chopper. He was preceded in death by his parents and brother-in-law, Mike Smith. SERVICES will be 1:00 PM Thursday at The Lee Chapel, Sytsema Funeral Homes, Inc. 6291 S. Harvey St. (231) 798-1100 with Rev. Jim Foster officiating. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations to Every Woman's Place / Webster House Youth Services (1221 W. Laketon, Muskegon, MI 49441) in honor of Jack Mandt.



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Anonymous posted:

Dear Nancy-You were blessed and a smart enough gal to have been married to one of the nicest men in this world!! never felt so truly embraced by anyone as your husband-even at the most alone and painful most hurting times in my life-Jack just had a way about him to make you feel like you were the most important; more importantly that you were OK when others may not treat you as such. He accepted you and treated you gracefully and honorable as a person no matter WHAT. I am truly sorry he is gone because the world is at a greater loss with his not being here.This was a teddy bear of a guy-one of the best guys on the face of THIS earth that showed the other guys how to "do it" and do it the right way>beautiful Nancy being proof that when you are good-all good comes to you!My prayers are with you now Nancy-I know your world is going to feel so empty without your beloved. My prayers are with Chris and Harley too, as the best of the best that was their father had to leave this earth-Jack was called home.We cant understand it-we cant deny it-death is a part of life but I know what waits beyond this life is where the big bikes and the forever party is TRULY at-thats where Jack is at now watching over you all as he will till you meet again-till we all meet again. To know Jesus is to know the way to where Jack went and to see him again!! only hope that everyone realizes what we have lost and that Jack would want us to be the best we can be in his ongoing honor.In that-my prayers are that his family can cope and realize too the way to the blessings that Jack brought whilst he was here-though it was certainly not long enough.Sincerely, ChristineL.Beamer231-865-6021 www.CCCandR.petfinder.org##imported-begin##ChristineL.Beamer(Chrissy bk in the day)##imported-end##

September 22 at 2:55 PM



Anonymous posted:

Dear Nancy, Chris, Harley, and the ENTIRE Mandt family, We go back a VERY long time. I grew up with Robert, Ross, Jack, Suzie, and Mary. We had many good times that I will never forget. You all have my condolences, and you are all in my prayers. Jack was a wonderful man, who will be sadly missed. I would have liked to have been there for you but I now live in Pennsylvania. God bless you all. Love, Ted & Nancy Melin##imported-begin##Ted & Nancy Melin##imported-end##

September 19 at 7:24 PM



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Anonymous posted:

Dear Mandt family...I'm sorry to take up space here again, but I just felt I HAD to write you again. You made my wife and I feel so welcome, and almost like a part of the family. Thank you very much for that!! If there is anything I can do PLEASE don't hesitate to ask. I KNOW that my dad(Ted or as Mary called him, Teddy) would have been here if he could have. Our love, and prayers are with ALL of you in this time of sorrow, and forever. Thanks again for making me feel so welcome. Jack was definitely one of a kind. He really was a great guy, and we miss him greatly. ALL Our Love, Tom & Kim Melin###imported-begin##Tom & Kim Melin###imported-end##

September 19 at 6:42 PM



Anonymous posted:

Our deepest condolences go out to the entire Mandt family during this time of grief and mourning. Although we did not have the privilege of knowing Uncle Jack as well as most of you, we know that the Mandt family is a family of great character and compassion, as we have witnessed in our loving Grandfather Ross. Always remember that as we lose loved ones in life, we continue to carry them in our hearts because family is a special bond that can never be broken.###imported-begin##Kenny & Candace Orton###imported-end##

September 19 at 6:06 PM



Anonymous posted:

Dear Nancy;I am so sorry. May God bless you & keep you-may He shine His light upon you & give you peace. May you find comfort as well in the memories that you and so many others hold in your hearts.###imported-begin##Laurel (Schneider) Shugars###imported-end##

September 19 at 2:22 PM



Anonymous posted:

Dear Nancy,We were so sorry to hear about Jack. We feel so blessed to have known him.Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family in this trying time. He will be greatly missed by all.Love to you.Mike and Christine###imported-begin##Mike and Christine Simon###imported-end##

September 19 at 1:48 PM



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Anonymous posted:

Jack, you and my father spent alot of time together. Shit you were around so much I thought of you as a father as well. My first dirt bike from you and my last blues on the mall run with you and fritz... Glad I had twenty seven years with ya pops. My heart truely goes out to nancy, slide and harley. Remember that he has started a new life, and when we get there he'll be waiting with open arms. MMG###imported-begin##Guppy###imported-end##

September 19 at 11:08 AM



Anonymous posted:

Dear Nancy,I was not able to tell you today, but know we are here if you need anything.I wanted to say people have angels looking over them in life, you were Jacks angel. Thats the way I always saw it. Without you Jack was not complete. We have so many memories of Jack and yourself I could talk about them all night long. Take care and call anytime you need anything. God Bless###imported-begin##Deb and Keith Covington###imported-end##

September 18 at 4:16 PM



Anonymous posted:

My family and I send our most sincere condolences and deepest sympathies to the Mandt family during this time of mourning. The best thing to have during a difficult time such as this is family. Although I have not met many of the Mandt's (which I hope to change soon), I do know that family is the most important thing in the world to my Grandfather (Ross), and values such as those can only be instilled by a great family. You are all in our thoughts and prayers.###imported-begin##Matt Orton###imported-end##

September 18 at 2:52 PM



Anonymous posted:

forever in the wind BROTHER###imported-begin##John & Diane La Madline###imported-end##

September 18 at 11:52 AM



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Anonymous posted:

I am writing again...to say goodbye until we meet again Uncle Jack...My thoughts and love are with you Aunt Nancy, Harley, Chris and all of my beautiful family in Muskegon today...love you!!!##imported-begin##Debbie Mandt Orton##imported-end##

September 18 at 8:41 AM



Anonymous posted:

Dear Nancy and family,My deepest sympathy to all of you. I worked with Jack for many years at Knoll and was stunned to read of his passing in the paper. He was a gentle caring spirit that was cool, calm, and collected. I am so glad I got to know him because at first meeting you didn't really see the complete caring person that he was. He had a heart of gold and will be truly missed. My God bless and keep you all in this time of sorrow.##imported-begin##Mike Rathbun##imported-end##

September 18 at 6:26 AM



Anonymous posted:

Dear Nancy;Hi, it's me again, Pam...I just want (NEED!) to let you know AGAIN how sorry I am about Jack and for what I know you AND your family AND friends must be going through -I just can't stop thinking about all of you!!!You are on my mind, in my thoughts and in my prayers...Sincerely,Pam...##imported-begin##Pam##imported-end##

September 18 at 6:26 AM



Anonymous posted:

Sis, We are so blessed to have shared the past ten years of friendship with you and Jackman. The memories will last forever. Know you and your family are in our hearts and prayers. You are loved by so many. Thanks for being Sis. Love and hugs.##imported-begin##"The Happy Hoekers" Dan and Mary##imported-end##

September 18 at 6:22 AM



Anonymous posted:

I knew Jack for 30+years and he will be missed. My prayers go out to his family.##imported-begin##Jerry Bollenbach and Jerry (Man) Johnson##imported-end##

September 18 at 4:44 AM



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Anonymous posted:

Dear Jack,I always looked "up" at you as a bigbrother, my John Wayne kind of guy. Iwill miss talking to you and your responses to me like "What?" or shakingyour head at me and saying "goofy". I have found in these last few weeks that prayer may not change the situation but I know it will change my perception of It. May God be with you Jack, Nancy, Chris, Harley, your familyand friends at this time and always. Love, Penny###imported-begin###Penny C###imported-end###

September 17 at 10:43 PM



Anonymous posted:

Nancy,Mary,suzy and Harley, may the peace of the lord be with you.###imported-begin###MARV (SMOOTH) OFFO###imported-end###

September 17 at 8:14 PM



Anonymous posted:

To Nancy, Chris, Harley, and the entire Mandt Family, (of which I was a part of for many years); I send you all my deepest, deepest sympathy, and please know that I share your heartache in losing Jack . He and I were world's apart on so many things, but we also had a genuine respect for each others differences, as well as a deep affection for each other. Jack was the real McCoy. I will always be glad I had the experience of having him in my life. He was the perfect example of don't judge a book by it's cover, hard as brass on the outside and soft as warm butter on the inside. He was a good friend, a wonderful uncle, and a great brother-in-law, I will never forget him.Love ya Jack..... always will.Mary Alice###imported-begin###Mary Alice###imported-end###

September 17 at 5:23 PM



Anonymous posted:

Jack is a legend and like all good legends will live on forever!###imported-begin###Rose###imported-end###

September 17 at 3:10 PM



Anonymous posted:

Our thoughts and prayers are with you.###imported-begin###Larry Monroe ,Sheila Witt###imported-end###

September 17 at 1:46 PM



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Anonymous posted:

Our deepest sympathies go out to you and your family, Jack was a very special person and his sense of humor will be greatly missed. You are in our thoughts and prayers.##imported-begin##Doug Williams & Kristy##imported-end##

September 17 at 11:07 AM



Anonymous posted:

To Nancy & family, including Jack's brothers & sisters, nieces, nephews: Mike & Jack have been friends for 40 years, I've had the pleasure of being a part of that friendship for the last 15 of those years and have had some of the best times of my life with all of you when we've been together. I've loved hearing all the great stories of the adventures Mike, Jack and friends have had together over the years. I especially cherish the 9 day bike trip we 4 took thru Northern CA, San Francisco & Napa, what a trip that was! Jack truly was one of a kind and will be sadly missed by everyone, especially Mike! Nancy, you are a sweetheart and I pray for your strength thru this difficult time. You know that Mike & I are with you in thought and spirit and he is heartbroken that he can't be with you in person. Your forever friend, Ginny##imported-begin##Ginny & Michael Butler##imported-end##

September 17 at 9:43 AM



Anonymous posted:

Our hearts are sad for you all. We are very sorry for your loss. Jack will be missed greatly by all who knew him. Find comfort in each other. Be strong, you will be in our hearts and our prayers. Love Leo & Deb Foltynewicz##imported-begin##Leo & Deb##imported-end##

September 17 at 8:19 AM



Anonymous posted:

Nancy, Chris & Harley—Our prayers, thoughts and intentions are with you at this time of our loss of Jack. MMG-H grows one larger! Leave it to Jack to bring HELL FIRE to HEAVEN!!!! Enjoy your eternal ride Jack, and gather MMG-H for a group hug. (Warren Husid ESPECIALLY enjoyed that from AUDREY) You will be sadly missed in my rear view mirror on Saturdays brother. Love, Robert and Audrey Lingle##imported-begin##Robert and Audrey Lingle##imported-end##

September 17 at 6:59 AM



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Anonymous posted:

dear nancy and family, we are so sorry to hear about jack he will be missed by all. take care, love, janice and duke###imported-begin###pat and janice dutkiewicz###imported-end##

September 17 at 6:39 AM



Anonymous posted:

Dear Nancy!Hi it's me Pam, your old friend from high-school (it was Pam Hall back then, remember???)I was STUNNED when I read about Jack in The Muskegon Chronicle, and I am SO SORRY for your loss!!! I was so impressed at what a good mother and wife you were to Jack and Harley (and to Chris too...)I'm not sure how we "drifted apart" thru the years, but I continued to think about you fondly MANY times...I use to run into your sister Teri occasionally and always asked about you AND your family, but I haven't seen her for quite awhile now either...PLEASE KNOW that you are in my thoughts and prayers at what I know has to be a very difficult time for you!!!Sincerely;Pam.P.S. I am NOT very "computer literate" so I hope this message gets to you!!!###imported-begin###Pam###imported-end##

September 17 at 5:49 AM



Anonymous posted:

We knew Jack and loved him for who he was. There was never any doubt who Jack was and we will remember him in our thoughts and prayers. Our thoughts will also be with Nancy and the family during this trying time. May Jack be there to welcome all future bike riders coming to Heaven.###imported-begin###Michael and Maxine FitzPatrick###imported-end##

September 17 at 5:48 AM



Anonymous posted:

nancy & family, My thoughts and prayers are with you and the boys. Jack will be dearly missed as a true brother and friend.eddie musk (mmg)Down rider july of 2003###imported-begin###Edward Musk###imported-end##

September 17 at 4:41 AM



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Anonymous posted:

Our thoughts and prayers are with you and yours. We enjoyed going on runs with Jack. He truly will be missed.##imported-begin##DOG AND LISA##imported-end##

September 17 at 3:24 AM



Anonymous posted:

Dear Nancy, Chris, Harley, & the entire Mandt family, you have our deepest sympathies, and our prayers are with you. Jack was an AMAZING, one of a kind guy, and I always enjoyed hanging out with him. Chris, and Harley, what can I say brothers, other than we go back A LOT of years, and if there's anything I can do, I'll always be there for you. Jack, you'll be greatly missed brother, and things will never be the same without you, but you'll be with us forever, on every ride, in every rumble of a Harley motor. Ride free FOREVER Bro!!! With deepest sympathies, Tom & Kim Melin##imported-begin##Tom & Kim Melin##imported-end##

September 16 at 2:12 PM



Anonymous posted:

Chris~ So sorry to here about your Dad.I know he meant the world to you."You will be in my thoughts & prayers".~Love to you & your Family.##imported-begin##Karin (Puisis) McManus##imported-end##

September 16 at 1:13 PM



Anonymous posted:

Dear NannaYou know that you and Jack have always been more than our best friends; we are part of your family forever. We are blessed that you came into our lives and will cherish the wonderful times we always had when the four of us were together. God will take care of Jack and we will be there for you. You have been an inspiration.##imported-begin##Irmgard and Don Johnson##imported-end##

September 16 at 11:48 AM



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Anonymous posted:

Dear Nancy & Family...We were shocked and so sorry to hear about Jack. Words seem inadequate to express the sadness we feel. Hold tight to his memories for comfort, lean on your friends for strength, and may the love of those around you help you through the days ahead. Peace, prayers and blessings. Frank & Kim Swiatek

September 16 at 9:46 AM



Anonymous posted:

Our thoughts and prayers are with all of your family. May all your cherished times together keep you strong in the days ahead.

September 16 at 7:50 AM



Anonymous posted:

Nancy and all the Mandt FamilyThe entire Guerrero family would like to express our deepest sympathy and our thoughts and prayers. Jack was a unique person and so kind and gentle!! May you find comfort in all the fond memories of his life with us.Tony, Bert, Tom, Chuck, Mary, Virginia, Linda, Angie and Carmen

September 16 at 7:23 AM



Anonymous posted:

Pappa Jack will be truly missed and will always ride with us, may the sun always be on your face and the wind at your back our road brother. Life will not be nearly as entertaining without you in it>You will be deeply missed.

September 16 at 6:59 AM



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Anonymous posted:

Dear Nancy and family, We have lost one of the greatest friends anyone could ask for. He may have seemed like he was ruff and tuff but he was just a big old teddy bear. He was a very special man and was loved by everyone. Jack and Bill were riding one day and stopped by a big pine tree to take a break and have a beer, when Bill said wow this property is for sale, and Jack looked at him and said you should buy it. We now call that property home. Our love and prayer are with all of you and we are here for you always. Love Bill, Stephanie, Heather and Melissa##imported-begin##Bill, Stephanie, Heather & Melissa##imported-end##

September 16 at 6:56 AM



Anonymous posted:

Uncle Jack--you lived to ride..and oh how you loved it....no matter how far apart we have been, you always were in my heart and thoughts...my FAMILY..you will be dearly missed---but never far from our thoughts...As you ride into your new adventure in this life...may you have peace and joy.....To all of my beautiful family in Michigan--I am with you in this time of sorrow...I love you all!! love Debbie##imported-begin##Debbie Mandt Orton##imported-end##

September 16 at 6:54 AM



Anonymous posted:

Nancy: I'm so sorry to hear of your loss. I only hope you know how much you are loved by all of us at the plant. You always brighten my day with your smile and I miss you here. Be strong and take care of yourself. You have a long life ahead. Kim.##imported-begin##Kim Klotz##imported-end##

September 16 at 6:32 AM



Anonymous posted:

Nancy, Please know that our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. If there is anything that we can do to help please don't hesitate to ask. Blind - OUTRIDERS M. C.##imported-begin##Steve and Monica Czekuc##imported-end##

September 16 at 6:11 AM



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Anonymous posted:

Dear Nancy, family and friends, We grieve for Jack's community of family and friends. May you find comfort from one another, and in knowing so many care about Jack and all of you. Love, carol and gary##imported-begin##carol and gary beatty##imported-end##

September 15 at 6:55 PM



Anonymous posted:

Dear nancy, family and friends my deepest sympathy and prayers to all of you. Jack was a great man and will always be remembered love deb##imported-begin##deb tufts##imported-end##

September 15 at 6:31 PM



Anonymous posted:

Dearest Nancy, We've been friends a long time. At least 25 years that I can remember. I remember being so intimidated by Jack at first & soon learned he was a big teddy bear. Our hearts go out to you along with our prayers. We are so sorry. He was one of a kind & we will miss him greatly. We are always here for you. Love you Lots##imported-begin##Mike & Lisa George##imported-end##

September 15 at 5:38 PM



Anonymous posted:

Nancy, I am praying for you. The GOOTS are here for you, honey. We all love you.##imported-begin##Christina Scarpino##imported-end##

September 15 at 4:48 PM



Anonymous posted:

Nancy and family, Our thoughts and prayers are with you now and in the days ahead. Jack was dear to our hearts and will be remembered always.##imported-begin##Bill and Kim Plunkett##imported-end##

September 15 at 3:26 PM



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Anonymous posted:

Nancy and Family, Jack was a step above the rest. He will be sadly missed by all. Our thoughts and prayers are with you .Ride Free Brother..The Wind is YoursHarley Jon & Linda##imported-begin##Jon Osborn##imported-end##

September 15 at 1:59 PM



Anonymous posted:

Our prayers are with the family. He will be missed by many and cherished.##imported-begin##Ted and Brenda Slade##imported-end##

September 15 at 1:19 PM



Anonymous posted:

Harley, my thoughts and prayers are with you during this time, we go a long way back (high school), and there are no words that express my deepest sorrow for you and your family.##imported-begin##Brenda##imported-end##

September 15 at 1:17 PM



Anonymous posted:

Dearest Nancy and Family, Words just cannot express our deepest sympathies in the loss of Jack. Please know that you have been, and will be, in our thoughts, hearts and prayers. Love, Eddie and Karen.##imported-begin##Ed and Karen Schuiteman##imported-end##

September 15 at 9:09 AM



Anonymous posted:

Dear Nancy and Family -My thoughts and prayers are with you all. Jack was one of a kind and will never be forgotten. He and Mike are raising hell together now.Love you all!Sherri##imported-begin##Sherri King##imported-end##

September 15 at 8:24 AM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Jack H. by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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