



## Jon George Quellos

February 22, 1953 - September 22, 2020

Jon George Quellos, age 67, passed away unexpectedly Tuesday, September 22, 2020. He was born February 22, 1953 in Cleveland, OH. On September 5, 1975, he married the love of his life, MaryAnn Mellott, in Parma, OH. SURVIVORS include his wife, MaryAnn of Spring Lake; 2 children: Marie (Chris) Benefiel of Fort Wayne, IN and John Quellos of Vicksburg, MI; 4 grandchildren: Jon, Aubree, Jayden, and Marisa; Uncle John and Aunt Jeanette Patrick of Parma, OH; many close family and friends; and his beloved dog, Gracie. He was preceded in death by his very special in-laws, Robert and Josephine Mellott. Jon worked 32 years for General Motors prior to his retirement in 2008. Jon was an avid car enthusiast. He loved working on them and was able to spend his last weekend racing his Scat Pack Challenger. When Jon wasn't working on cars or playing at "Nuttin' But Toys" he enjoyed working in his yard and having "daily meetings" with his neighbors Earl, Don, and John. He is going to miss the time spent with his dear friends, Al and Diana LaFleur, Andy and Crystal Mitzel, and Danny McCorkle, who were more family than friends. But most importantly, he loved his family and they always came first. He would do anything for his family, especially his grandchildren. His grandchildren were the light of his life and meant the world to him, and he was such a special grandpa. Jon was one of a kind and will be truly missed. A CELEBRATION OF JON'S LIFE will be held 11:00 AM Tuesday, September 29, 2020 underneath the South Portico at The Lee Chapel of Sytsema Funeral and Cremation Services, 6291 S. Harvey St., Norton Shores, MI 49444 (231) 798-1100. VISITATION with the family will be one hour prior to the service. Share memories with the family at their On-line Guest Book at [www.sytsemafh.com](http://www.sytsemafh.com)

# Events

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**SEP** **Visitation** 10:00AM - 11:00AM

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The Lee Chapel

6291 Harvey St., Norton Shores, MI, US, 49444

**SEP** **Celebration of Life** 11:00AM

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# Comments

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“ MaryAnn, I am so sorry to hear of Jon's passing. The first thing that popped into my mind was the time our families went to Mackinaw Island together. What a good time that was. Jon was so special in many ways, especially in his efforts to improve working people's lives. May God bless him and your family at this difficult time.

**Bill and Stacy Webster** - September 29 at 03:42 PM

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“ Jon will truly be missed. You couldn't have a better friend than him. He loved his trucks and his new Scat Pack Challenger car. He took me for a ride in the Scat Pack Challenger one day and showed me how fast it would go to the point where I thought I was going to pass out. Man that car was fast. As far as his trucks go he used them to pull down a neighbors tree and helped Earl pull out some shrubs from around his house. Not without leaving some skid marks in the lawns while doing it. Not only did he work on cars at Al's but he cooked a lot of Brats for Al's motorcycle gatherings. He loved to mow the lawn at least twice a week doing Earl's and his together. Best of all he loved his family and dog Gracie. I will miss my best friend a lot.

**John VanOveren** - September 29 at 12:14 AM

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“ Jinks & Marcia Mitzel purchased the Sweet Tranquility Basket for the family of Jon George Quellos.



**Jinks & Marcia Mitzel** - September 28 at 02:02 PM

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“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Jon George Quellos.



September 26 at 10:15 AM

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“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Jon George Quellos.



September 25 at 09:45 PM

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“ My deepest condolences to the family. Pat and I will truly miss Jon. He was always so funny and comforting to be around as he always made us feel so welcomed. Please know that you are all our thoughts and prayers. Soonja and Patric

**Soonja Hixon** - September 24 at 04:49 PM

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“ Mary and family - We are so saddened to hear about Jon’s passing. May you find comfort in knowing you are in our thoughts and prayers.

Memory - Mary Ann and I were co-workers, became friends and eventually our husbands were introduced. We moved from WI to MI for my husbands job. I remember Jon asking us if we wanted to take a ride around the area. We agreed and Jon drove all around showing us various points of interest. Now Jon liked his cars and cycles, but we always knew he just wanted to help us feel more at home in our new state.

This kindness will never for forgotten.

Another fond memory - When my husband lost his job, Jon called my husband and asked him if he wanted to go to lunch since at that point my husband was home alone all day. People often show support through words. Jon was a shining example of how kindness and taking action can change someone’s day when they need it the most.

Scott and Mona Simpson - September 24 at 04:35 PM

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“ Sweet Sincerity was purchased for the family of Jon George Quellos.



September 24 at 04:24 PM

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“ Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of Jon George Quellos.



September 24 at 04:22 PM

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“ Rene&Jean lit a candle in memory of Jon George Quellos



**Rene&Jean** - September 24 at 04:12 PM



“ God gained another Angel, Oh Jon, you will be so missed.. there won't be a day we won't think of you and you will always be in our Heart's.. We have so many Great Memories and some wonderful heart to heart's .. John and I “love you “

**tina steiner** - September 25 at 05:58 PM



“ Oh Jon there are just too many memories to pick just one. Florida will never be the same without you. We cherish every day of the the friendship we shared with you and Maryanne. You have left us too soon but you will never be forgotten. Love you and miss you.Rene&Jean

**Jean Goilet** - September 29 at 09:24 AM



“ Our dear, wonderful Jonny Q--we will miss you so very much. Jon and MaryAnn were part of our "pack" of Patrick relatives that played and laughed hard! Remember flying kites on our SC beach? How about trimming our hedges and trying to talk to those snooty neighbors walking by. They thought you were our hired help. So much zest for life. We have loved you so much, and will never forget you or the memories we have shared with you. God Bless you, and God Bless MaryAnn!

**Chuck & Gloria Patrick** - October 14 at 05:11 PM