



Mike Salyers

May 19, 1949 - October 21, 2021

Frankfort – Arthur Michael “Mike” Salyers, age 72, passed away peacefully in his home on the farm on Thursday, October 21, 2021. A memorial service will be held at Graefenburg Baptist Church on Saturday, October 30, 2021, at 3:00 p.m. with Dr. Philip Meade and Dr. Jay Padgett officiating.

Mike was born in Frankfort, Kentucky on May 19, 1949, to the late Buford Collins Salyers and Margaret Nell Arvin Salyers. He was a 1967 graduate of Franklin County High School and graduated from Georgetown College in 1972, where he was a member of Phi Kappa Alpha. In his youth, he was an avid outdoorsman, leading him to be a lifelong farmer. He was a Veteran of the Army Reserves and Kentucky National Guard. Mike retired from the Kentucky State Government after 28 years served as Secretary of OSHA. He was a longtime and dedicated member and Deacon at Graefenburg Baptist Church.

He is survived by his sons, Benjamin Michael Salyers (Bren), Timothy James Salyers, and Patrick Thomas Salyers; brother, Kevin Salyers; grandson, Charles Jules Salyers; and nephews, Sean Warren and Brad Warren.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his sister, Patricia Warren.

In lieu of flowers, expressions of sympathy may be made in Mike’s memory to Graefenburg Baptist Church, 11288 Frankfort Road, Waddy, Kentucky 40076. Arrangements are under the direction of Harrod Brothers Funeral Home & Crematory.

Previous Events

Service

OCT **30**. 3:00 PM (ET)

Graefenburg Baptist Church
11288 Frankfort Road
Waddy, KY 40076

Tribute Wall



“ *Mike Salyers*

October 06, 2023 at 03:15 PM



“ *Wow just seeing that you passed Mike 🥹🥹 I've known Mike for 5 years he answered an ad for housekeeping I loved hearing all his stories and he had a lot one story he loved talking about was Charlie his grandson he loved that boy more than anything even though it had been a few years since he had seen him he was always on his mind he wanted to watch him play ball but never got to I'd tell em I'd take him but thought he would be imposing I'm sure going miss him I know the hummingbirds are he loved watching them so glad I got the opportunity to know you I know your next journey in life will be far better than this one. God bless you Mike*

Christina Calvert - December 22, 2021 at 09:54 PM

MA

“ Mike and I socialized as brothers of Pi Kappa Alpha fraternity at Georgetown College. However, over the last 15 years Mike and I became very close. He visited my home on Cape Cod with his ex wife and we visited with him when Adele and I visited Kentucky every year. Mike and I would go to lunch while the girls went shopping. We would all meet up for dinner. When my horses ran at Churchill or Keeneland, I would be sure to call Mike so that we could have lunch together. Kentucky just won't be the same for me.

Mike Andreottola
Boston, MA



Michael Andreottola - November 03, 2021 at 09:57 AM

DY

“ Mike and I were friends from our teens, we worked together at Cardwell Drugstore in the Mid 1960s. We weren't together much after we went to our respective ways following high school, but we were still good friends. I just discovered his passing today, October 27, 2021. So long old friend.

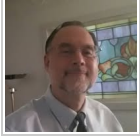
Dan Yeast

Dan Yeast - October 27, 2021 at 08:36 PM

PC

Mike was an easy smile, and a big heart. All these years later, he's still a highlight of my undergraduate days at Georgetown College.

Perkins Charlie - October 27, 2021 at 09:39 PM



“ *Many good memories of our time together as students and frat brothers at Georgetown College. Mike was a treasure, one of a kind. My condolences to his family.*
Donn Chatham MD, Floyds Knobs, IN

Donn Chatham - October 27, 2021 at 08:21 PM



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Harrod Brothers Funeral Home - October 27, 2021 at 10:07 AM