



## Michael L. Steinke

April 21, 1961 - September 2, 2010

Michael L. Steinke, 49, of Toledo, OH, formerly of Botkins, died Thurs. Sept. 2, 2010, at his residence in Toledo. He was born April 21, 1961, in Sidney, OH, the son of Dean C. & Mary Jane (Pleiman) Steinke, and they survive in rural Botkins. Other survivors include, 5 siblings, Monica (Ron) Rutschilling, St. Henry, OH, Mitchell Steinke, Jackson Center, OH, Melissa (Jeremy) Foust, Wapakoneta, Melanie (Allen) Greve, Botkins, Mandy Steinke, Anna, 10 nieces & nephews, Jason, Kate, Michelle, & Nicole Rutschilling, Jessica & Nathan Oen, & Elizabeth Foust, Grant & Garrett Greve, & Dylan Steinke-Ellinger. Mike worked in the accounting department at 7-11 Corporate Offices, Lavonia, MI. He was a member of St. Catherine Catholic Church, Toledo, and the Immaculate Conception Catholic, Botkins. A 1979 graduate of Botkins High School, he received a Bachelor of Science Degree from the University of Findlay. He enjoyed cooking, boating & reading. Mass of Christian Burial will be 10:30 a.m., Sept. 6, 2010, at the Immaculate Conception Catholic Church, Botkins, Rev. Patrick Sloneker officiating. Burial is to follow in the Immaculate Conception Cemetery, Botkins. The family will receive friends 3-8 p.m., Sun. and 9-9:45 a.m., Mon. at the Bayliff & Eley Funeral Home, St. Rt. 501, Wapakoneta. Memorial contributions may be directed to the Immaculate Conception Catholic Church or the charity of the donor's choice.

# Tribute Wall

MB

“ Dear Steinke family, Michael was such a fun man to work with during my summers at 7-11. He was always a great friend to my grandmother (Beverly Cox), and we will always have fond memories. You have all of my condolences. Michele

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**Michele (Dick) Bookie** - July 10, 2015 at 03:58 PM

BL

“ I am so sad. May Michael's loving memories live in your hearts. We are 7-Eleven franchise owners in the Chicago area. Michael and I first became phone friends. He was my problem solver ( and I always had lots of questions). I was so excited when we got to meet Michael. Bob and I were in Ohio for a wedding. We got to spend an afternoon with Michael. I have a great photo of Michael and me. We will always remember his big smile and warm, loving heart.

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**Bob and Lesley** - July 10, 2015 at 03:58 PM

JR

“ To the Steinke family, I send my deepest condolences for your loss of Michael. I worked with Michael at Seven Eleven for several years, and as you know he was an extremely hard worker and a very dedicated employee and I enjoyed working with him. Although I've not met you yet (I along with a few others will be coming to the service tomorrow), I feel I know you from how often Michael talked of his family. I can only imagine the depth of loss you are feeling, but please know that even though Michael and I did not stay in contact after Seven Eleven let us go, I thought of him often and was shocked and sadden by the news of his passing. May God be with all of you. Janice Robinson

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**Janice Robinson** - July 10, 2015 at 03:58 PM

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“ To The Steinke Family, It was with great sadness my husband Fred and I learned of Michael's sudden death. I know Michael had many admiring freinds, and we are proud to be among them. We will miss his beautiful smile and the many emails and calls we've shared over the 14 yrs we've known him. Our thoughts, and heartfelt sympathy are with your family at this sad time. Fred and Linda Arent

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**Fred and Linda Arent** - July 10, 2015 at 03:58 PM

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“ Melanie and Allen, Our deepest sympathy to you and your family during this difficult time. We will be thinking about you and keeping you in our prayers. Donna, Andy, Jonathon and Jacob.

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**Donna Finkenbine** - July 10, 2015 at 03:58 PM