



Steven K. Salmons, Sr.

November 20, 1961 - December 31, 2014

Steven K. Salmons, Sr., 53, of Wapakoneta, died 9:07 p.m., Wed. Dec. 31, 2014, at St. Rita's Medical Center, Lima. He was born Nov. 20, 1961, in Lima, the son of Keith Salmons & Janet (Walls) Steinke. His mother survives in Wapakoneta and his father is deceased. On Aug. 9, 1991, he married Vickie S. Zizelman, and she survives. Other survivors include, 5 children, Steven K. Salmons, Jr., Stephanie (Jared) Wolfe, both of Wapakoneta, Nicole (J.P.) Leaker, Eaton, OH, Matthew J. (Barbara) Daisy, Celina, Scott (Katie) Daisy, Wapakoneta; 9 grandchildren, Aldin Leaker, Spencer Leaker, Chance Daisy, Wyatt Daisy, & Sugar Daisy, Angel Ganger, Brandon Ganger, Colin Ganger & Dakota Ganger; siblings, Greg (Lisa) Salmons, Curt (Julie) Salmons, both of Wapakoneta, Brian (Julie) Salmons, St. Marys; uncle Leroy (Beverly) Walls, Orient, OH, and his best friend, Destiny his dog. He was preceded in death by a daughter, Brandy Flowers, and a brother, Jeffrey Salmons. Steve specialized in directional drilling of fiber optic cable. A 1979 graduate of Wapakoneta High School, he was a member of the Sons of the American Legion Post #330; the Fraternal Order of the Eagles, Aerie #691, and ABATE. He was an avid motorcyclist, and volunteered for several charities. The family will receive friends 2-4 & 6-8 p.m., Sunday at the Bayliff & Eley Funeral Home & Cremation Services, St. Rt. 501, Wapakoneta. Private funeral services will be held at a later date. Memorial contributions may be directed to the family

Tribute Wall

BM

“ So sorry for your loss Vicky , prayers for you and the whole family .
You are in my thoughts . Hugs .

Brenda Metcalfe - July 10, 2015 at 03:51 PM

CU

“ So sorry for your loss. May your faith keep you strong in this difficult
time. Prayers for Steve and the whole family.

Chris Uhlenhake - July 10, 2015 at 03:51 PM

RG

“ I wish to express my deepest sympathy to Steve's family. I
remember him hanging out at my mom's with my brothers. He will
be missed deeply.

Rose (Morris) Gossard - July 10, 2015 at 03:51 PM

KM

“ Nickie, I am so sorry for you and your family's loss. I have no words
that will take the pain away, only that now Steve is in a much better
place. My love to you, your Mom, and the boys

Kim Maynard - July 10, 2015 at 03:51 PM

LS

“ Vickie and family, So sorry for your loss. Our thoughts and prayers
are with you during this difficult time. The world lost a wonderful
person.

Lorie & Dennis Searcy - July 10, 2015 at 03:51 PM

GS

“ You will truly be missed. I have known you most of my life and it's hard to think of you not being in it now. I have to think that you are in a much better place and no longer suffering. I pray that your family is comforted in knowing that you were one of the biggest hearts alot of people ever knew. I will miss you and think of you often as you have been on my mind since I've heard this sad news. You always could make me laugh and that in itself is priceless. Love ya Steve-O!

Goldie Stevens - July 10, 2015 at 03:51 PM

CD

“ Steve will be greatly missed. He may have been a "former" son-in-law, but he was still loved by us. We will miss our card games together. He was so much fun to be with and always treated us with so much love!

Carl and Cheryl Damron - July 10, 2015 at 03:51 PM

JJ

“ Just wanted to let you know, Jane & I are THINKING OF YOU & YOUR FAMILY at this time !!! I'm very PROUD, to of be able to have Steve as a Brother-In-Law!!! We have been BLESSED, to be able to know him. GODSPEED STEVE!! We Love ya !!!

Jim & Jane - July 10, 2015 at 03:51 PM

PC

“ Janet and family, so sorry for your loss. You're all in my thoughts and prayers...

Pat Conley - July 10, 2015 at 03:51 PM

GO

“ you are all in my prayers and thoughts

Goldie - July 10, 2015 at 03:51 PM

RS

“ So sad to hear about your passing, Steve. I have alot of good memories growing up on the playground at United Local. My day was always made better when I would run into you from time to time. What a great guy! Onlu guy I new who had a heart bigger than he was! I was always one of the smallest kids on the playground but he told me he was my body guard!. This man was a true angel. You could feel it.

Randy Sunderland - July 10, 2015 at 03:51 PM

RR

“ Vicki and family, Please know that my heart is broken now as I read this and I share your loss. I loved Steve and I can remember when I came to your wedding and how much he loved you. All of my prayers are with you now. Rae and Steve Rostorfer and Ed Pogue

Rae Rostorfer - July 10, 2015 at 03:51 PM

UV

“ Stephanie, So sorry to hear about your dad. We are praying for you and Jared. Love, Uncle Bill @ Aunt Vicky

Uncle Bill @ Aunt Vicky - July 10, 2015 at 03:51 PM

KH

“ So sorry for your loss Vickie, he was one of the great ones for sure!! Now he and Cid will be keeping things hopping up there, together again. Will pray for you and your family for the strength to get through this difficult time.

Kim Hill - July 10, 2015 at 03:51 PM

RE

“ I've read that "Some people come into our lives and quickly go. Some stay for a while and leave footprints on our hearts. And we are never, ever the same. A couple years back during one of my darkest moments, there were several "angels" who were holding me up and stayed by my side. Steve was one of those angels. I love this man and praise him for being there for me, but that is the kind of man he was. He came into my life and left forever footprints on my heart. Vickie..... I can't tell you that this pain will ever go away--I can tell you that as time goes by it will dull along with the memories of watching him struggle and the worry of his pain in his last days. You will again be able to recall more and more of the happy and god times and smile when you think of him. You are and have been a strong lady. I know how much you truly have to love someone to let them go and I am taking your hand and telling you that everything will be all right. I love you. ARRBGARR

Red - July 10, 2015 at 03:51 PM

BD

“ We lost a great one! Steve was the greatest guy....I haven't been close with him for years, but used to run around with him in the Hobo's days. My condolences to Vickie & the family. RIP Steve.

Bonnie (Dove) Doseck - July 10, 2015 at 03:51 PM