



Herbert 'Herb' E. Mitchell

April 7, 1939 - February 25, 2022

Herbert E. Mitchell, 82, of Kalkaska passed away on February 25, 2022. Herb was born April 7, 1939, in Barryton, Michigan to Alfred and Erma (Kinsman) Mitchell.

Herb enjoyed the outdoors, especially sitting on the Manistee River with his “Chick” watching the canoes and kayaks pass by and visiting Michigan’s beautiful Upper Peninsula. He was happiest when spending time with family, playing his favorite slot machines at the casino, scratching lottery tickets, and looking after his pets. He proudly served his country as a member of the U.S. Navy from 1956 – 1962, and was awarded the Good Conduct Medal and the Expeditionary Medal for service in support of the Lebanon Operation.

Herb will be lovingly remembered by his wife Carol (Lewis) Mitchell of 49 years; children Sherry (Steve) Browning, and Kelly Coykendall; grandchildren Stephan, Shennah and Aurora; siblings Steve (Dawn) Mitchell, and Lila (Richard) Ramsey; along with many nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents and brother Larry Mitchell.

Memorial contributions may be directed to the Kalkaska Animal Shelter or an animal shelter or rescue of your choice in Herb’s memory. Please visit www.kalkaskafuneralhome.com to visit Herb’s tribute page and share a memory with his family. The family is being served by Kalkaska Funeral Home and

Cremation Services.

Tribute Wall

MI

“ Carol,

We are so sorry for your loss. Our prayer is for God to give you and your family comfort in only the way God knows how to do that. Herb was a good guy, as was his brother Larry & their parents, and many of us will miss them greatly on this earth.

*Our prayers and thoughts are with you at this time,
Mike and Sue Irish*

Mike & Sue Irish - March 02, 2022 at 06:34 AM

MS

“ *The loss of Herb leaves a emptiness that can never be filled, it just changes. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. Lean on each other and speak his name and tell stories. Laugh Herb would want that. Hugs*

Mary K Slick - March 01, 2022 at 10:07 PM

RM

Carol I am so sorry to hear of your loss. Herb was a great man, I enjoyed working all thos year's with him. He was alway's a great worker. We spent some long day's & nights at the rig's delivering & picking up pipe. The rest of us usally complained if we had to wait a long time not Herb he was always the same where we were working under bad or good conditions. he was always mellow. Our thoughts and prayers are with you at this time.

Rickey McDowell - March 03, 2022 at 02:01 PM

RO

Carol and Family

I am so sorry to learn of Herb's passing. Such a nice guy, and so much like his father and brother Larry., Herb's parents were very good friends of my parents. They had wonderful times together. My mother worked for many years with both of Herbs parents. Such good people!! Very kind and loving.

This is a void in your family hard to overcome. My thoughts and prayers will be with you all as you each go forward in the days, weeks and months ahead. Remember all the wonderful qualities Herb possessed, and all the great memories you each have. Time alone can help heal the loss,, but memories will help too. May God be with all of you!.

Patty Rodgers

Rodgers - March 09, 2022 at 12:27 PM