



William S. Johnson

August 5, 1957 - July 18, 2020

William “Scott” Johnson, 62, of Kalkaska, passed away on Saturday, July 18, 2020. Scott was born in Anderson, Indiana on August 5, 1957 to James William “Bill” and Joyce Elaine (Price) Johnson. On May 26, 1984, he married the love of his life, Susan Eileen (Yonkers) Johnson, and they lovingly raised two beautiful and talented daughters, Erin Michelle and Christina Marie Johnson. Scott graduated from Delta High School in Royerton, Indiana, was an honors graduate from Western Michigan University in Accounting, and retired from Mattawan Consolidated School District in 2015. Scott and his sisters were raised camping and enjoying the outdoors and Scott developed a lifelong passion for boating and water sports. He also loved to play golf, and he and Sue enjoyed many adventures together, were constant companions and frequently traveled to many golfing resorts throughout the years. They were also able to realize a dream when purchasing a lake home in Kalkaska, Michigan. But his most treasured moments were spent with his wife Sue, their children Erin and Chrissy and family. He was known for his kind heart, his quiet gentle ways, and his compassionate spirit. He felt most fulfilled when he was able to help friends and family. He brought so much joy to his family and he will be greatly missed. Scott will be lovingly remembered by his wife, daughters, mother, sisters Sandra Elaine (Johnson) Dawson, Sharon Kay Johnson and Stephanie Lynn Johnson (Kimberly Webb), sisters-in-law Mary Jo (Yonkers) Cooper, Jane Marie (Yonkers) Johnson (Grant Johnson), Kathryn Yonkers, and many adored nieces, nephews and great nieces and nephews.

Scott was preceded in death by his father, brother Stephen Allen Johnson, father-in-law Emerson Yonkers Jr., mother-in-law Mary Jane (Stewart) Yonkers, and best friend Paul Mielke. A celebration of his life will be held at a later date due to the Covid crisis. Announcements will be made at that time. Because of Scott's love of the water and the abundant beauty of Michigan, memorial contributions can be made to the Michigan Lakes and Streams Association, PO Box 19615, Kalamazoo, MI 49019 (<https://mymlsa.org/>). Arrangements have been entrusted to Kalkaska Funeral Home and Cremation Services.

Tribute Wall

MC

“ *My brother in law Scott was a devoted and loving family man. He loved sports and he was a formidable opponent. No matter what he tried he did it with incredible talent and love of the game. He lives on in his beautiful daughters, Erin and Chris. My heart goes out to my sister. She lost the love of her life.*

Mary Cooper - January 28, 2021 at 03:37 AM

BL

“ *Sue , sorry to hear of your loss . Our prayers are with you. Betty Lennen and Pat Ketchum*

Betty Lennen - August 11, 2020 at 12:23 PM

MB

“ *Sending my love and prayers to you and your family during this most difficult time. Scott was a devoted husband and a kind loving man. His memory will live on in the hearts of those who knew him. God bless.*

Mary (Gunnell-Bailey)

Mary Bailey - August 04, 2020 at 07:49 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of William S. Johnson.*



August 03, 2020 at 06:53 PM

DW

“ Dear Sue, I was so sad to hear of your loss. I keep you in my prayers as you start your grief journey. I send love to you, Debbie Wright (Gilmore)

Debbie Wright - August 02, 2020 at 11:26 AM

MC

“ Sue and family, it is with deep regret that I send my condolences and sympathy for your loss. I remember going with Scott and others to “cliff dive” while we were at Dale Hollow. We got lost for the entire day. I also have fond memories of time spent with you and Scott playing cards and just hanging out. Take care and I wish you and the girls the very best.

Mike Cooper

Mike Cooper - August 01, 2020 at 11:02 AM

SW

“ Sending hugs and prayers to the family. I'm so very sorry for your loss. Godspeed...

Sheryl Williams - July 31, 2020 at 07:51 PM

TG

“ Sue, Erin and Chrissy - your dad will be greatly missed. Mike and I enjoyed playing softball with him and your mom.

Sue and Erin you've been in my thoughts and prayers for the last couple of weeks. Rest in God's arms Scott.

Mike and Terri Gibson

Terri Gibson - July 31, 2020 at 06:44 PM

CS

“ We have so many wonderful memories w/all of us together playing softball, bowling, playing cards, times at the lake, playing pool, dancing, celebration get together in which there was always heavy competition & laughter. Scott, you will live on in our memories, hearts, minds, and prayers. You are missed & loved but, not gone. Love you always, Char, Eve , Nicole, Dave, Dalton, & Katherine.

Char Schultz - July 31, 2020 at 06:40 PM