



Michael Mike "Mo" Ovanek

February 7, 1958 - October 7, 2025

Michael (Mike) A. Ovanek, age 67, passed away peacefully at home in Crown Point, IN, surrounded by loved ones. He was born in Hammond, In, graduating from Lake Central High School class of '76. He worked for 30 years at ICL, along with many other employers throughout his lifetime. He loved camping, fishing, watching Nascar, Football, his favorite shows, drinking a cold beer and spending time relaxing with his family. Mike was preceded in death by his parents, Anthony (Margaret) Ovanek and brother, Tom (Sheree) Ovanek. He is survived by his wife, Cynthia "Cindy" Ovanek; children, Danielle (Mike) Vargas, Michael (Alyssa Johnson) Ovanek; grandchildren; Valerie, Aiden, Bradley, Lukas, and Benjamin, and his pet dog, Jake. Visitation will take place on Tuesday, October 14, 2025, from 3 p.m. until the time of the funeral service at 7 p.m. at Burns Funeral Home, 10101 Broadway, Crown Point, In. Rev. John Oelberg officiating. www.burnsfuneral.com.

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **14**. 3:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

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Funeral Service

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Tribute Wall

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“ *Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace. Amen*”.

God bless your family in these hard times. May you find peace and comfort eternally.



Alyssa Johnson - October 18, 2025 at 02:31 PM

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“ *Tina Spencer lit a candle in memory of Michael Mike "Mo" Ovanek*



Tina Spencer - October 15, 2025 at 07:55 PM

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“ *My uncle mike was a kind loving and thoughtful man, as far as I can remember back I was 10 yes old at an apartment in schereville,indiana and that's when I was introduced to Mac and cheese with spam. Im so grateful for the love and the children you have given my aunt as well as the love you have shown for your in laws. Most of all I regret the years that have passed and the life obstacles to have known you more as the gift that you were on this earth, I pray that you rest in peace in the heavens of the holy one. MY PRAYERS GO TO MY FAMILY IN THIS TIME OF GRIEVING. I LOVE YOU ALL*

Tina Spencer - October 15, 2025 at 07:55 PM



“ T&M Equipment CO., Inc. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Michael Mike "Mo" Ovanek.

T&M Equipment CO., Inc. - October 14, 2025 at 08:42 AM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Michael Mike "Mo" Ovanek.



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“ Ed and Linda Wheatley planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Michael Mike "Mo" Ovanek.

Ed and Linda Wheatley - October 13, 2025 at 10:39 AM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Michael Mike "Mo" Ovanek.



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“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Michael Mike "Mo" Ovanek.*



October 13, 2025 at 10:22 AM



“ *Cindy, Danielle, Mike, and family, we are so sorry for your loss. Mike was a good man, husband, father, and Papa. Our deepest condolences to you, Genaro and Connie*

Connie Ramirez - October 12, 2025 at 03:28 PM



“ *Genaro and Connie Ramirez purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Michael Mike "Mo" Ovanek.*



Genaro and Connie Ramirez - October 12, 2025 at 03:24 PM



“ *Richard J. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Michael Mike "Mo" Ovanek.*

Richard J. - October 12, 2025 at 11:05 AM

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“ *Cindy, I'm so deeply sorry to hear of Mike's passing. You and your family will be in my prayers. Love and Hugs*
Tammi Soloman



Tammi Soloman - October 09, 2025 at 11:32 PM