



Timothy Francis O'Boyle

October 16, 1949 - March 31, 2024

Timothy O'Boyle, age 74 of Merrillville passed away March 31, 2024. He was preceded in death by his parents- Francis Peter and Anna (nee Boblo) O'Boyle; brother- Terrance O'Boyle. Tim was a graduate of Andean High School class of 1967. He was a teacher at Boone Grove High School and was currently working for the last decade at the South Shore Convention and Visitors Center. Tim was an altar server at the dedication of St. Mary of the Lake Mass in 1962. He continued being an altar server for weekday masses and funeral services with Bishop Dale Melczek from 2015 until covid. Tim was a devout member of St. Mary of the Lake parish. He was a lifelong resident of the Miller beach community. He is survived by his longtime girlfriend- Barbara Reyna; friends Bruce Thoma, Ed Reardon (deceased), Sean (Rosie) McCormick. A Mass of Christian Burial will take place at St. Mary of the Lake Catholic Church, 6060 Miller Avenue, Gary, IN, date and time pending. Burns Funeral Home entrusted with arrangements. www.burnsfuneral.com

Tribute Wall

RS

“ *My condolences to Tim’s family and friends. I attended Andean with Tim and am sure I was in many classes with him. Talking to Father Joseph Moffatt I was reminded that one of Tim career stops was at Andean where he taught both Freshman and Senior English classes in 1974 and 1975.*

Robert Stalmah - June 04, 2024 at 11:59 AM

LI

“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



Linda - April 20, 2024 at 05:50 PM

LI

We will miss you Tim. Especially around here at the front desk at the South Shore CVA.

Linda - April 20, 2024 at 05:52 PM

JG

“ *One person who deserves to be included in the Reader's Digest gallery of 'unforgettable characters,' and would even be a charter member in its Hall of Fame, is Tim O'Boyle. Rest in Peace, old friend. At least you escaped what's about to happen to this country.*

John Gaski - April 11, 2024 at 08:22 PM

HE

I remember seeing Mr. O'Boyle in the halls of Andean High School sometime around 1974-75. Did not have him as a teacher but seen him. He may have been a history teacher? He somewhat looked like a smaller version of Freddie Prinze with glasses (I mean this with respect) I believe he also had a Firebird Trans Am back then too!..... Just thought I would share a memory from loooooong ago..... Henry

Henry - April 15, 2024 at 09:12 PM

MD

I remember Tim as a fellow Miller resident and friend of my brother, Terry Ihnat. Funny guy. Deeply affected by the death of his brother in Vietnam. May God rest his weary soul in peace. Tuck Ihnat.

Marguerite "Truck" Ihnat DeRose. - April 23, 2024 at 06:59 AM

RO

Rest In Peace dear cousin Tim you were so kind to mom sending cards and keeping in touch with her and then keeping in touch with me after she died Sending love and prayers.

Rose Mary O'Boyle - May 08, 2024 at 01:02 PM

DB

We were saddened to hear of the loss of our cousin Tim. Bob and I remember his last visit to Kansas City before we moved to Arizona. Peg has a lot of fond childhood memories of her funny cousin Tim.

Dr Bob Briggs & Peggy O'Boyle Briggs - May 08, 2024 at 01:33 PM

JO

I remember talking with Tim at the Welcome Center and how open and friendly he was sharing his life story with me. May you be welcome with the angels in heaven. God be with you my friend! 🙏

John - June 08, 2024 at 09:54 AM