



Michael Kennedy

February 22, 1954 - December 17, 2013

Michael Paul Kennedy, age 59 of Bellingham, passed away suddenly on December 17, 2013. Michael was born on February 22, 1954 in Iowa City, Iowa, to Dr. James and Barbara Kennedy. Michael was a 1972 graduate of Iowa City West High School. He is survived by two sisters: Susan Elkin of Morgantown, West Virginia and Anne (Paul) Salamon of Cedar Rapids and a nephew, Karl Salamon. A memorial service omitted the word "later" will be held at a later date in Iowa City.

Comments



“ We are so saddened to hear of Michael's death. He was a good friend of our entire family in Iowa City, especially in our youth and as parents of young children. Michael also entertained my mother for a time, before he moved to Florida and while Mom was living with us during her illness prior to her death in 1996. We loved to hear of his travels and his adventures along the way. Despite our growing distant, Michael has always had a place in our hearts and we will remember him fondly. I recall with a smile when he asked me to bake a chocolate pie and throw it in his face, and how he always brought treats for Sarah and Peter. His rants were epic. He was a bit of an adopted family member for a while.

With love,
Mark and Susan Schmitz

Susan Schmitz - May 26, 2014 at 03:22 PM



“ I was very saddened to have read the news in the Cedar Rapids Gazette. Michael was a friend of mine when I lived in Iowa City in the late '60s and early '70s. Although we've lost touch over the years, I do have one found memory that I tell to this date. Around 1974 or 1975 some friends and I traveled throughout Mexico. We ended up on the Southern tip of Puerto Escondido. I was in a grass hut on the beach and heard a voice as if I was from Iowa City. I looked up and there was Michael. I will keep telling that story in his memory. My thoughts and prayers are with you all.

Daniel McWhinney

Daniel McWhinney - December 29, 2013 at 11:30 AM