



Leon Peter Penzkowski Jr.

December 1, 1958 - October 14, 2014

Leon Peter Penzkowski, Jr.

RACINE - Leon Peter Penzkowski Jr., 55, passed away on Tuesday, October 14, 2014 at Hospice Alliance-Hospice House of Racine.

He was a lifelong resident of Racine, born on December 1, 1958, the son of Leon Peter and Frances June (nee: Kammiem) Penzkowski Sr. Leon was a 1977 graduate of St. Bonaventure Catholic High School. In Racine on July 27, 1991, Leon was united in marriage to Diane M. Mentch. He had been employed with Motion Industries for 30 years, retiring in 2013 due to health reasons and was co-owner of Northern Competition.

Surviving is his wife, Diane, step-son, Matthew (Nicole) Mentch, father and mother, Leon Peter Penzkowski Sr. and Frances June Penzkowski, granddaughter, Kylie Mentch and brother, Thomas (Diane) Penzkowski. He is further survived by aunts, Jan Penzkowski, Audrey Jensen and Leona Baldukas, niece, Samantha Penzkowski, other relatives and friends.

Leon was preceded in death by aunts, uncles and nephew, George Brett Favre Penzkowski.

Visitation will be held at Sturino Funeral Home on Monday, October 20, 2014 from 10:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. Committal prayers will follow at West Lawn Memorial Park.

In lieu of flowers; those wishing to remember Leon in a special way may make donations to the American Cancer Society, 234 W. Florida St., Milwaukee, WI 53204.

The Penzkowski family takes this opportunity to publicly express their profound gratitude to Dr. Michael Mullane and his staff and Hospice Alliance and their staff for their thorough and attentive care and gentle manner shown to Leon.

Cemetery Details

West Lawn Memorial Park

9000 Washington Ave
Racine, WI 53406

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **20**. 10:30 AM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Sturino Funeral Home
3014 Northwestern Avenue
Racine, WI 53404
(262) 632-4479
info@sturinofuneralhome.com

Prayer Service

OCT **20**. 1:30 PM (CT)

West Lawn Memorial Park Chapel
9000 Washington Ave
Racine, WI 53406

Tribute Wall



“ *Sturino Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Leon Peter Penzkowski Jr.*



Sturino Funeral Home - October 18, 2014 at 09:00 AM

BH

“ *Bridget Habetler lit a candle in memory of Leon Peter Penzkowski Jr.*



Bridget Habetler - October 21, 2014 at 12:27 AM

BH

“ *I am thinking of you, Diane, Leo Sr. and June, and the rest of the family today as you lay Lee to rest. You are all in my prayers and thoughts as I light a candle for a dear soul. I hope the services were a time for good memories as well as a goodbye for now. God bless you all, xo Bridget*

Bridget Habetler - October 21, 2014 at 12:27 AM

JS

“ So sorry for your loss Diane. You are in my thoughts. John W. Smith



John W. Smith - October 20, 2014 at 07:20 AM

GL

“ Diane and family

Am sorry to hear of your loss and hope you are being surrounded by family and friends sharing the good memories, laughter, and stories putting aside the pain and grief as best you can. I too enjoyed the company of Lee at the range and the laughs we had over a soda / coffee. I will not be able to join you on Monday due to work obligations but know that you will be in my thoughts.

Diane - I do hope our next crossing will be more positive then our last chance meeting as the process of sorting out his disease began.

VR

Gary "Doc" Leyer

Gary E. Leyer - October 18, 2014 at 11:18 PM



“ So sorry to hear of Leon's passing. I might him growing up with Matt. He was always friendly with all of us. He will be missed.

Julie Lebich-Mountcastle - October 17, 2014 at 01:09 PM

CW

“ Cheryl Wood lit a candle in memory of Leon Peter Penzkowski Jr.



Cheryl Wood - October 17, 2014 at 11:04 AM

DH

“ David Mentch And George Hill lit a candle in memory of Leon Peter Penzkowski Jr.



David Mentch and George Hill - October 17, 2014 at 09:19 AM

MS

“ My sympathy to Leon's family. In high school Leon and I spent a lot of time together and I have fond memories of those days. I moved to Central Wisconsin many years ago but remember what a wonderful person he was. I am sorry for your loss.

Mike Swendrowski - October 17, 2014 at 09:18 AM

MS

“ Mike Swendrowski lit a candle in memory of Leon Peter Penzkowski Jr.



Mike Swendrowski - October 17, 2014 at 09:14 AM

LM

“ Lenny Muchowicz lit a candle in memory of Leon Peter Penzkowski Jr.



lenny muchowicz - October 17, 2014 at 12:19 AM

CF

“ Charles F. purchased the A New Sunrise Spray for the family of Leon Peter Penzkowski Jr..



Charles F. - October 16, 2014 at 10:58 PM

TI

“ My condolences to the family. Lee was a very nice loving and welcoming person. He had a very good sense of humor. You will be sadly missed lee but never forgotten. May you rest in peace. Tiffany H.A.



Tiffany - October 16, 2014 at 09:08 PM

RZ

“ Russell &Denise Zielinski. lit a candle in memory of Leon Peter Penzkowski Jr.



Russell &Denise Zielinski. - October 16, 2014 at 07:36 PM

CZ

“ *Loved talking to uncle lee even when he was sick he still joked miss you uncle lee*



chris zielinski - October 16, 2014 at 07:13 PM

RF

“ *Rick Frederickson lit a candle in memory of Leon Peter Penzkowski Jr.*



Rick Frederickson - October 16, 2014 at 06:44 PM

DE

“ *Dennis lit a candle in memory of Leon Peter Penzkowski Jr.*



Dennis - October 16, 2014 at 05:38 PM

KR

“ *Kris lit a candle in memory of Leon Peter Penzkowski Jr.*



Kris - October 16, 2014 at 04:06 PM

DD

“ *Denise Drasga lit a candle in memory of Leon Peter Penzkowski Jr.*



Denise Drasga - October 16, 2014 at 02:33 PM

RM

“ *Roxanne Maywald lit a candle in memory of Leon Peter Penzkowski Jr.*



Roxanne Maywald - October 16, 2014 at 12:36 PM