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Gregory Hopkins Obituary

Gregory J. Hopkins, 62, of Elyria, died August 13, 2022 surrounded by his family. He was born September 27, 1959 in Beckley, WV and was a 1978 graduate of Elyria High School. Greg spent his career as a bricklayer and took great pride in his craftsmanship, which included work on the Cleveland Browns Stadium and other well-known area landmarks. He was a supporter of Cleveland sports teams, especially the Browns. Greg was an avid fisherman and spent many years fishing competitively with his brother Tim. He loved his dog, Sammy and all the family pets throughout the years. Greg is survived by his parents, Billy and Ella Hopkins; children, Stacie (Matt) Sokolowski of Vermilion, Greg (Kimberly) Walter of Amherst, Joshua (Maggie) Hopkins of LaGrange and Jenna (Derrick) Heindel of Parma; and 9 grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his brother, Timothy Hopkins in 2013. Friends will be received Friday, August 19, 2022 from 3:00 pm until the time of a 6:00 pm service at Dicken Funeral Home & Cremation Service, 323 Middle Avenue, Elyria. Reverend Justin May will officiate. Greg was not one for formalities so feel free to dress casually. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Friendship Animal Protective League, 8303 Murray Ridge Road, Elyria, Ohio 44035. Visitation Dicken Funeral Home and Cremation Service Friday, August 19, 2022 3:00 PM - 6:00 PM 323 Middle Ave. Elyria, OH 44035 Service Dicken Funeral Home and Cremation Service Friday, August 19, 2022 6:00 PM 323 Middle Ave. Elyria, OH 44035

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KR

Kurt And Teresa Roth posted:

Thoughts and prayers to the family at this difficult time , my heart goes out to you. I was shocked to hear this sad news. I was looking forward to Greg coming down to Florida and do some fishing. He came down awhile back and loved it down here, and his famous phrase this is AWESOME . And eventually moving down here since recently retiring. It was one of his passions , fishing and the Browns and his love for his dog Sammy. He was always there when somebody needed a expert in brick work, and came to Kentucky a couple of times to lend his expertise a couple times. He was the best! He was a great guy and will truly be missed by all. It saddens me after working so hard all those years, not getting to enjoy all retirement life! You will surely be missed my friend, see you on the other side.....Love Kurt& Teresa Roth God bless..

August 16 at 8:00 PM

LP

Lu Phillips posted:

My condolences to thr family.

August 15 at 8:00 PM

RV

Rob Viergutz posted:

I have not seen Greg for a few years but thought about him often. I would see his FB posted from time to time. I had the pleasure of knowing Greg for a long time and we had a lot of fun together, till I moved to Indianapolis. He will be missed, but I'm glad he can see Tim again.

August 15 at 8:00 PM

DR

Don Robinson posted:

You will be missed.Rest in peace my friend.

August 15 at 8:00 PM



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