



Mr. Joel D. Bodnar

January 20, 1960 - June 9, 2016

Mr. Joel D. Bodnar, 56, of Pittsfield, passed away unexpectedly on Thursday, June 9, 2016. Born in Van Wert, OH on January 20, 1960 the son of John and Jane Maxton Bodnar, he moved to Voorheesville NY at a young age and graduated from Christian Brothers Academy in Albany, NY. Joel went on to graduate from the Virginia Military Institute.

He was a US Army Veteran and was stationed in Korea.

Joel was currently employed as a Manager at Wal-Mart in North Adams. He had worked for Wal-Mart for 13 years, 11 of which had been spent at the Pittsfield store.

He enjoyed history and watching football. He was an avid Detroit Lions fan.

Joel leaves his wife, Barbara, whom he married on October 18, 1998 in Pittsfield. He is also survived by his children, Joanna K. Bodnar of North Adams, Amy E. Bodnar of Maui, HI, Jessica A. Bodnar of Pittsfield and his stepson, Frank Smith Jr. of Buffalo, NY; 5 siblings, John Bodnar Jr. of NY, Judith Bodnar of NY, Jeri Honikle of FL, Jan Peter of NY and Jim Bodnar of NY; 6 step-grandchildren, Joshua, Noah, Aida, Lilly, Evan and Myles. He also leaves his close friend Natalie Lynch and many nieces and nephews.

Funeral Notice:

Funeral services for Mr. Joel D. Bodnar will be Wednesday, June 15, 2016 at 6 p.m. at the Dwyer Funeral Home, 776 North St., Pittsfield MA. Calling hours will precede the service from 3 to 6 p.m. Burial will be at a later date. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the American Diabetes Association, care

of the Dwyer Funeral Home, in his memory. DONATIONS CANNOT BE MADE ONLINE, but may be made through the Dwyer Funeral Home.

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN **15**. 3:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Dwyer Family Funeral Home
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Tribute Wall

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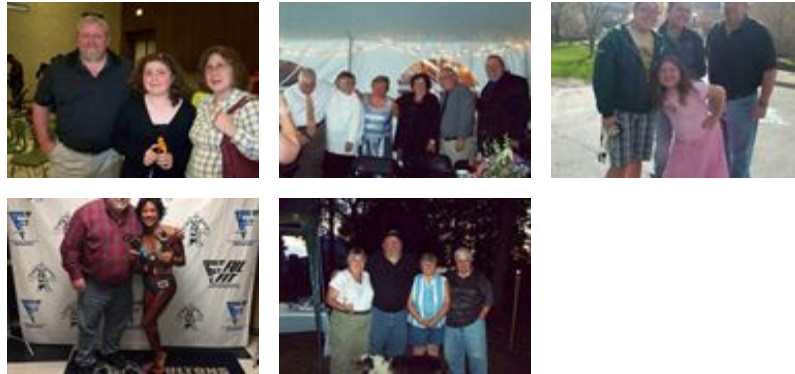
“ *Sorry for your loss.*

Charles and Nancy Hoag

Charles and Nancy Hoag - June 15, 2016 at 04:19 PM



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Dwyer Funeral Home Inc. - June 15, 2016 at 10:16 AM

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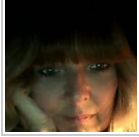
“ *Barbie, So sorry to hear about Joel. Wishing you and your family the best! John & Cathie McHugh*

John McHugh - June 15, 2016 at 08:20 AM

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“ *Rest in Peace, Brother Rat.*

Scott Crumpler '82 - June 14, 2016 at 11:23 AM



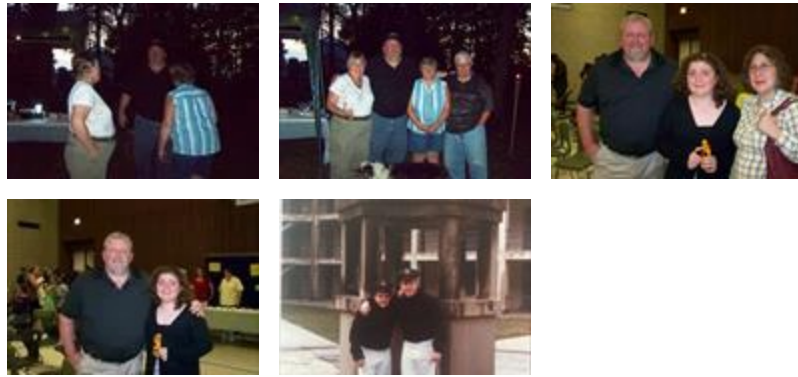
“ So sorry for your loss Barb....Robin and David Rockefeller...”



Robin Rockefeller - June 14, 2016 at 08:19 AM



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Jess - June 13, 2016 at 09:29 PM



“ Quiet Expressions was purchased for the family of Mr. Joel D. Bodnar.”



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