



Mr. Leon R. McCluskey

February 21, 1956 - March 21, 2023

Leon Richard McCluskey, 67, of Hinsdale, passed away on Tuesday, March 21, 2023, after a courageous battle with many health issues. Born on February 21, 1956, the son of the late Leon W. and Wanda McVey McCluskey, he graduated from Taconic High School.

Leon was a welder by trade, working at Nash Steel, General Electric, and Beloit, from which he retired in 1998. He loved his job as a field service engineer, getting to travel all over the world. His favorite place to visit was Indonesia, as he grew to love all of the people there.

While he was an avid hunter his whole life, he was unable to enjoy it these past few years, due to various health conditions.

Leon's pride and joy was his family, who he loved spending time with. His grandchildren, especially, were the light of his life.

Leon is survived by his wife of nearly 26 years, the former Lynne Kahn, whom he married on April 26, 1997. He leaves behind his children, Alyssa, Reed and Kayleigh, and Leon and Ashley, and his ten grandchildren, Adrianna (Munchkin Princess), Laney, Weston, Alina, Damian, Sophia, Raelyn, Titan, Cam, and Justice, all of whom he adored. Leon is also survived by his sister, Bonnie Avery, and Andrew Soutier, who was like a son to him.

Besides his parents, Leon was predeceased by his daughter, Diana Lynn.

Funeral Notice:

At his request, there will be no formal funeral services for Leon Richard McCluskey.

Tribute Wall

MD

“ We were so very sorry to learn of Leon's passing. Each of us have separate memories of him at different times in his life. He was such a wonderful man who will certainly be missed. Our condolences to all of his family. Hold on to your memories of him to carry you through your grief. Mark and Wendy Johnston DuBois

Mark and Wendy Johnston DuBois - April 02, 2023 at 03:30 PM

GG

“ Very sorry to hear of Leon's passing.
Garry Gillette

Garry Gillette - March 27, 2023 at 04:35 PM

AM

Thank you.

Alyssa McCluskey - March 30, 2023 at 07:44 PM

MM

“ This is Michael Mahoney, I worked with Leon at Nash steel and Beloit Jones and was a close friend for many years, we use to ride motorcycles together often and always had a wonderful time. He was always so much fun to be around and was a very hard worker, I am so sorry for the loss of such a wonderful man



Michael Mahoney - March 26, 2023 at 07:26 AM

AM

Thank you for sharing. We really appreciate it.

Alyssa McCluskey - March 30, 2023 at 07:44 PM

MF

“ We are sorry to read of Leon passing,we go back a long way.As youngsters we got in trouble a lot.We enjoyed hunting and snowmobiling together a lot.To his family we will be praying for you all in our thoughts and prayers.He is reunited with his mom an dad and his family.RIP Leon! I have tons of memories to go back on and always cherish.

marty and debbie flynn - March 25, 2023 at 03:19 PM

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Thank you for sharing. We really appreciate it.

Alyssa McCluskey - March 30, 2023 at 07:43 PM

LM

“ To Lynne And Family We Are So Sorry To hear About The Passing Of Leon He Was A Gteat Person And A Good Friend Our Prayers Are With You And Your family Leon We Loved You Our Old Old Friend We Will Miss You Love Dennisand Linda Melle



Linda,Dennis Melle - March 25, 2023 at 12:19 PM

TK

“ Leon rest in peace my man. You were one hell of a welder and one hell of a hunter, and a great family man.I'll cherish my memories of our times at work together at Beloit for ever. Tom Kelly

Tom Kelly - March 25, 2023 at 10:21 AM