



Douglas James Moiles

December 4, 1955 - March 18, 2021

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12/4/55 - 3/18/21

The best husband, dad, brother, and friend passed away unexpectedly on March 18, 2021 after a short, yet courageous battle with lung cancer. He was 65 years old. Doug was born in Saginaw on December 4, 1955, to Sid and Jean (McPhee) Moiles. He lived his life with the best sense of humor, a kind heart, and a love for his family. He shared stories of the many odd jobs he held in his younger days, telling tales of his time working and living on ships and running sound and lights for concerts at the Saginaw Civic Center. He soaked in every experience and loved to share his adventures.

He found love with Kathy Bringer and they got married in 1991. They settled in Saginaw and had two daughters, whom he took great pride in.

Doug filled local living rooms with stories during his time at TV12 and then TV5, where he later retired as an assignment manager. In his retirement, he enjoyed taking camping trips with his wife, visiting his daughters, sneaking treats to the family pets, partaking in passionate debates with scam callers and internet users alike and spending time with his family. He wasn't always one to pick up the phone, but he was always there when you needed him.

Doug leaves behind his wife, Kathy; daughters Jenny (Brandon Smith) and Katie; loyal dog Abby; brothers Roger and Steve (Linda Jaworski-Moiles); nephew Joseph Jaworski-Moiles; his father-in-law Bill Bringer, too many Bringer in-laws, nieces, and nephews to name, and lifelong friends. He was preceded in death by his parents Sid and Jean Moiles and his mother-in-law Helen Bringer.

Following his wishes, he will be cremated and his family will hold a memorial service at a later date. Those wishing to express their sympathies are asked to consider memorial contributions to a charity of their choice. Memories and sympathies of Doug may be shared with the family on his memorial website at WakemanFuneralHome.com.

Tribute Wall



“ *Douglas James Moiles*

September 13, 2022 at 05:01 PM



“ *Douglas James Moiles*

September 13, 2022 at 02:27 PM



“ *We were saddened to hear of Doug’s passing away. Being in the news business he was naturally inquisitive and usually had an interesting piece of local news to share. He was well read in a variety of subjects including politics, history, music and the Great Lakes. Always handy and very helpful with home repairs when you needed him.*

Doug enjoyed being with his family: Kathy, Jenny and Katie. We had fun on our last camping trip to Indian River in September with Doug and Kathy. We will have a lasting memory of him around a camp fire with a favorite drink very content and relaxed.

RIP Doug you will be missed.

Brian and Kristi Wrobel

Brian Wrobel - March 25, 2021 at 05:23 PM

TB

“ My deepest and sincere Prayers and Condolences to Mr. Douglas Moiles Families and Friends. I only met Mr. Doug when he ordered this Pineapple Upside Down Cake from Me MzFlava’s Sweet Deliveries Revamped. He told Me that he’s so looking forward to eating it as a small Reward for completing his Treatments and that he’ll be ordering a Banana Cake for the following week and that the Cake was too pretty to cut but he enjoyed it and recommended Us in the Saginaw Neighborhood Watch Group on Facebook. I waited for his call but to my Heartbreak, I learned of his passing. Mr. Doug was a absolute pleasure and the utmost nicest new Customer to have met. Thank you so much and rest peacefully Mr. Doug



Tamika Bassett - March 23, 2021 at 01:15 PM

RM

Tamika, I can hear Doug saying that! Thank you for your very kind words about him. Roger (his brother)

Roger Moiles - March 23, 2021 at 11:22 PM

JJ

“ I am so sorry to hear of Doug's Passing. Doug was always one of those people you could count on when you needed help or cheering up. He knew how to fix anything and knew everyone. He was a great friend and was such a proud Father. Doug will be missed.

Jeff and Laurel Jenkins

jeff jenkins - March 22, 2021 at 12:55 PM

GS

“ I am sorry to hear that Doug has passed on to the big assignment desk in the sky. Doug had an incredible sense of humor and was a motivated worker. I remember him telling me that he was looking forward to his retirement. Rest his soul and know that he will be missed.

*Greg and Mary Jo Surma
Interlochen*

Greg Surma - March 22, 2021 at 09:16 AM

AH

“ Doug was such an asset in the newsroom when I was there. Great, keen ear for knowing what to cover (and where to send us!). So sad to hear this.

Alix Hayes - March 21, 2021 at 11:41 AM

MS

“ Doug had a great passion for news. He had a deep, bass voice that I admired having started my career in radio. I would learn through my work at WNEM-TV that his wife was also associated with the landmark Bringer Inn restaurant that I frequented as well. May god rest his soul and bring peace to his family. Mark Silberstein. Senior Director of Local Media Content at Scripps Television's KRIS-TV in Corpus Christi, TX.

Mark Silberstein - March 21, 2021 at 07:20 AM

LV

“ So very sad hearing this news! My Prayers to you Kathy, Jenny & Katelyn. Always loved and appreciated our talks and your insight into our work world. We had even more laughs over a beer or two a few times. Will always remember his chuckle and laughter? RIP

Lane & Linda Valliere - March 20, 2021 at 09:59 PM

DB

“ We'll miss Doug up north at the cottage and on the boat this summer. He was always a big help especially on the boat. The stories he told and fun that we had will always remain in my memory.
Rest in peace Doug, we will miss you!



Deb Boyer - March 20, 2021 at 08:32 PM

PC

“ My deepest sympathy to Kathy and family. Doug was a great guy and a great help when I worked fir the Diocese on the Civic Center Masses and celebrations and stayed a friend when I was at the Soup Kitchen. You will be missed, Doug.

Pam Cole - March 20, 2021 at 07:53 PM

MM

“ I could always count on you to make my day better. Thank you.

Mike McPherson - March 20, 2021 at 07:32 PM

BJ

“ Doug you were a great guy. I enjoyed working with you in the field. You always had great advice and a story to share. R.I.P. my friend.

Brad Jenks - March 20, 2021 at 07:25 PM