



Mr. William D. Helmkamp

July 17, 1960 - March 22, 2011

Helmkamp, William D., of Saginaw, Michigan. Bill passed away on March 22, 2011, at the Cartwright Hospice Residence. Age 50 years. He was born on July 17, 1960, in Cheboygan, Michigan. He is survived by two sons, Nicholas and Nathan Helmkamp; four brothers and one sister, Thomas Pelkey, and his wife, Beth; James Pelkey, Herbert Helmkamp, Richard Helmkamp, and Marcia Carlson; nephew and niece, Curt Harmony and Melissa Pelkey; also aunts, uncles and cousins. Bill was predeceased by his parents, Dr. Herbert O. and Ruth M. Helmkamp.

Cremation has taken place. A private family committal will be in Holy Cross Lutheran Cemetery. Memories and sympathies of Bill may be shared with the family on his Obituary page at www.WakemanFuneralHome.com

Cemetery Details

Holy Cross Lutheran Cemetery

4700 Brockway Rd.
Saginaw, MI 48638

Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. William D. Helmkamp*

September 13, 2022 at 05:01 PM



“ *Mr. William D. Helmkamp*

September 13, 2022 at 02:27 PM



“ *I had the opportunity to work with Bill for many years at Wolohan Lumber Co. He was a person of strong integrity and character with an extraordinary work ethic. Bill worked in a variety of essential capacities, utilizing his many skills and "can do" attitude to contribute to the success of the enterprise. The many people that worked with Bill quickly came to respect and enjoy working with him. Bill had many good friends at Wolohan's. Bill was a gentleman with much love and compassion, evidenced in many ways, including the extraordinary devotion and care he gave to his mother in her later years of declining health. All of us that knew Bill at Wolohan's have lost a dear friend and colleague. We express our condolences to Bill's family during their time of loss, knowing that Bill is now in God's presence and eternal care.*

Jim Wolohan - April 04, 2011 at 12:16 PM

DH

“ I had the opportunity to work with Bill both at Wolohan Lumber and Wilcox Associates. Bill was always positive and pleasant to be around. We maintained a close friendship through the years. Despite some of lifes more difficult challenges, Bill was always positive to the very end. He loved to talk about the great experiences of the past and his memory was as sharp as if the events happened yesterday. I am proud to call him a friend. God bless and I know he is resting in a better place today.

Dave Honaman

David Honaman - March 29, 2011 at 09:32 PM

RW

“ I also worked with Bill at Wolohan from the time we had a full office to when we just had a handful of people left in the Midland Road Building, and am very saddened at the news of his death. We shared a lot of working history together, and I am thankful he was kind and considerate as a coworker. His family was very important to him, and I extend condolences to them.

Rebecca Welton - March 29, 2011 at 02:07 PM

BW

“ Bill was on of my students at SVSU. He was a delightful young man. I am so sorry for his family. He was much too young. Betty Wiseman

Betty T. Wiseman - March 29, 2011 at 11:35 AM

KS

“ *Bill was a classmate, friend and neighbor on Mershon St. when we were younger. If he saw you out in the yard he would always say hello or wave. I was very sorry to read about his passing. My condolences to the family, he will be missed.*

Karen (Hauck) Schiesswohl

Karen (Hauck) Schiesswohl - March 28, 2011 at 07:00 PM

GS

“ *I knew Bill when we worked for Wolohan Lumber Co. And I was very sadden to hear of his passing. My condolences to his family. Bill is now in God's Hands.*

Gary Sellers

Gary Sellers - March 26, 2011 at 09:01 AM

TS

“ *Bill and I worked together at Wolohan Lumber Co. for many years, were we became very good friends. He was truly a dedicated friend. Bill and I talked on the phone last Sat. and he showed me how strong of a person he really was. He is now in a better place and we will miss him. My condolences to his family. God be with him.*

Tony Simone

Tony Simone - March 24, 2011 at 07:58 PM

FD

“ I would just like to say that Bill was fine gentlement and I considered it a privilidge to have worked with him for the few years that I did. I had the ooportunity to converse with him on a daily basis and grew to like and greatly respect Bill. I did get a chance from time to time over that last couple of years to catch up with him with an occassional phone call and shared what was happening in our lives. I considered him a good friend and he will be missed. My condolences to his friends and family.

Fred Dice

Frederick W. Dice - March 24, 2011 at 03:55 PM

NL

“ I worked with Bill for several years, and considered him a good friend. Bill was always warm, cheerful and quick with a joke! He was the kind of man that you were glad to see when he walked into the office, and he had a keen way of bringing levity to a situation. It deeply saddens me that Bill is now gone, but he will forever be in my memory.



Nick Lorenz - March 24, 2011 at 08:26 AM