



Michael Raymond Karle

April 7, 1957 - May 10, 2026

Michael Raymond Karle, of Southampton, New Jersey, passed away peacefully at home surrounded by his loving family on Sunday, May 10, 2026. He was 69 years old.

Born in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, Mike was a longtime resident of the area and the beloved son of the late Betty and Raymond Karle. A proud graduate of Father Judge High School, he enlisted in the United States Air Force shortly after graduation. Following 18 years of honorable military service, he continued his dedication to the Air Force as a civilian communications specialist for an additional 25 years.

Mike found joy in life's simple pleasures — spending time on the golf course, cheering faithfully for the Philadelphia Eagles, and, above all else, being with his family. His greatest pride and deepest love were reserved for those closest to him, who were truly the center of his world.

Mike was reunited in eternal peace with his beloved daughter, Nicole Karle; his brother, Mark; and his parents, Betty and Raymond Karle. He is survived by his devoted wife, Christine; his children, Michelle Thornton and her fiancé Ryan Swanson of Glen Hope, Pennsylvania; Michael Karle and his wife Stacy of Voorhees, New Jersey; Anthony Lapadula and his wife Brandi of Mount Laurel, New Jersey; and Cassandra Goldman and her husband Justin of

Savannah, Texas. He also leaves behind eleven cherished grandchildren: Sierra, Paige, Gary, Karlee, Mickey, Adelene, Konner, Cambria, Landon, Julian, and Walker. He is further survived by his loving brothers, Kevin and Ken. Mike also leaves behind his loyal service dog and faithful companion, Cocoa Karle.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend his viewing on Monday, May 18, from 9:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. at Perinchief Chapels, 438 High St., Mount Holly, NJ. A Mass of Christian Burial will follow at 11:00 a.m. at Sacred Heart Church, 260 High St., Mount Holly. Interment, with military honors, will take place afterward at BGWCD Veterans Memorial Cemetery at 1:00PM.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made in Mike's memory to the Samaritan Hospice Life Enhancing Care of South Jersey.

Mike's love, humor, strength, and unwavering devotion to his family will be carried on by all who knew and loved him. Go Birds.

Cemetery Details

BGWCD Veteran's Memorial Cemetery

350 Provinceline Rd.,
Wrightstown, NJ

Upcoming Events

Viewing

MAY 18. 9:00 AM - 10:30 AM (ET)

Perinchief Chapels
438 High St.
Mount Holly, NJ 08060
(609) 267-0399

Mass of Christian Burial

MAY 18. 11:00 AM (ET)

Sacred Heart Church in Mount Holly
260 High St.
Mount Holly, NJ

Tribute Wall

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“ We are so thankful that “Pappy” got to meet Walker and share so many cherished moments.



Justin Goldman - 2 hours ago