



Mr. Joseph Michael Skender

October 21, 1950 - April 4, 2017

Mr. Joseph Michael Skender passed away suddenly on April 4, 2017 doing what he loved, playing hockey with his Honey Badgers team. After a long career in construction sales, he was enjoying his retirement. An avid sports fan, he followed his passion playing tennis and hockey. Joe was blessed to have many wonderful and caring friends. Joe will be deeply missed by his wife, Linda Skender; daughters, Faith Skender and Hope Skender; son and daughter-in-law, Scott Skender and Dana Lahoff; grandson, Arthur Skender; sister,

Mari Lockhart-Skender and brother-in-law, Paul Lockhart. Joe was once a cat-hater but then turned into a crazy cat-lover and therefore, the family requests that in lieu of flowers donations be made to Good Mews Animal Foundation, 3805 Robinson Rd., Marietta, GA. 30068. The family will receive friends on Friday April 14, 2017 at 4:30pm. Followed by the memorial service at 6:00pm in the funeral home chapel at Northside Chapel Funeral Directors, Roswell, 770-645-1414. www.northsidechapel.com

Cemetery Details

Northside Chapel Crematory

12050 Crabapple Rd
Roswell, GA 30075

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 14. 4:30 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Joseph Michael Skender*

October 08, 2022 at 11:37 AM



“ *I worked with Joe several years ago and he was awesome! Always helpful, kind, intelligent. He will be missed. God bless his family.*



Sandra Hicks - May 22, 2017 at 09:37 PM



“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



Mari Skender-Lockhart - April 13, 2017 at 06:26 AM



“ *Joe was the face of tennis in Chimney Lakes. Not only was he the captain of the men's team forever, but also was the Chairman of the Tennis Committee for about as long. His dedication and leadership will be greatly missed.*

Dennis Barchuk - April 12, 2017 at 08:36 PM

CK

“ Carol Ann Kohler lit a candle in memory of Mr. Joseph Michael Skender



Carol Ann Kohler - April 12, 2017 at 07:35 PM

CK

So sorry for your loss. May the Lord hold you close and comfort you all at this difficult time.

Carol Ann Kohler - April 12, 2017 at 07:36 PM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Mr. Joseph Michael Skender.



April 12, 2017 at 11:30 AM

YC

“ Your friends from CHEMetrics purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Mr. Joseph Michael Skender.



Your friends from CHEMetrics - April 12, 2017 at 08:16 AM

MM

“ We are so very sorry for your family's loss. We have many great memories of our trips to Atlanta to visit, and our years of friendship. Our prayers are with you all at this most difficult time.

God's blessing and grace to you during this time.....
John, Marianne, Aaron & Jess Michnowski

Marianne Michnowski - April 12, 2017 at 07:14 AM

MS

“ 9 files added to the tribute wall



Mari Skender-Lockhart - April 10, 2017 at 08:20 PM

DR

“ I live in Chimney Lakes so know of Joe. I have only heard positive things about Joe which speaks to a good reputation. I have appreciated his positive involvement in our community. My sincere sympathy goes to the family.

Dondra P Roberts - April 10, 2017 at 01:00 PM

SC

“ Got to know Joe as a teammate of his on our Honey Badger hockey team. He always welcomed every new guy warmly and cared about all of us. He was feisty on the ice, but always the first one to enjoy the camaraderie afterwards. Glad we all got the opportunity to know him.

stephen cosgrove - April 10, 2017 at 10:21 AM

MD

“ Joe was my cousin and a truly great guy. We spent many an hour in our youth discussing and watching our favorite movie 1962's "The 300 Spartans". Since there were 4 "Joe" Skender's in our family, my dad gave Joe the nickname "Lucky" and that is how I will always remember him.

RIP Cuz

Mike Dundich




Mike Dundich - April 10, 2017 at 09:37 AM

KB

“ Joe was the best next door neighbor we could have possibly hoped for when we moved to Chimney Lakes last year. He was a father-figure to my husband and me and one of my daughter's favorite people. He will be dearly missed. RIP Joe. Our sincerest condolences to his wife, Linda, daughters and son.

Kathryn Bozic - April 10, 2017 at 07:35 AM

 Morris
Presley

“ As a resident of Chimney Lakes and a member of our ALTA team for many years, I have fond memories of Captain Joe. He was a kind gentle man, but he was serious about his tennis. I always looked forward to how Joe would do the after match write up to see what clever way he had to describe our losses. He always did it in a way so as to make you feel as good as you possibly could about what you could only accurately describe as a major butt whipping! I will never go to a tennis court without a wonderful thought about Joe.

We will all miss our Jo Jo!

Morris Presley - April 09, 2017 at 08:46 PM

PN

I knew JOE through our ALTA tennis team. He was elected as our Captain every season by unanimous acclamation. He was one of the most positive people I have ever met. Always had a kind word for everyone. JOE loved to compete but sportsmanship was very important to him. Through his leadership he made us all better and inspired us to behave better on the court. I will truly miss my friend JOE.

paul nelson - April 10, 2017 at 07:14 AM

JB

Joe was a good man and a good friend. He was always ready with a quick smile and willingness to help with anything that needed to be done. He was a tireless worker for the Chimney Lakes tennis community. He loved to compete in ALTA tennis and the Honey Badger hockey team. He will be sorely missed by many.

James Brown - April 14, 2017 at 10:12 AM

RC

I met Joe from ice hockey. He was always a class player. I played against Joe for many years and always enjoyed seeing him shoot the puck on net. I remember one game where the score was close and Joe came charging towards the net to try and score. I covered the puck just in time and Joe got tripped up and fell partially on me. We slowly got up and asked if each other was alright. The smiles on our faces showed it all. We enjoyed the game that much. Shaking hands with Joe following any game was heartfelt as we congratulated each other. I will miss playing against him but his memory will last a very long time. So long my friend.

Railer Cantrell - April 14, 2017 at 11:18 AM