



Mark Lidbom Hendrickson

January 5, 1956 - August 7, 2017

Mark Lidbom Hendrickson, 61, of Eaton Rapids, died unexpectedly at his home on Monday, August 7, 2017. Mark was born January 5, 1956 in Marquette, MI, the son of Russell Edward and Shirley Lou (Smyth) Hendrickson. He went to Marquette High School before enlisting in the U.S. Navy on his 18th birthday as a Machinist Mate MM1. During his service, he travelled the world aboard naval oiler ships and earned an engineering degree. Mark also held the honor as a member of the honor guards for both the White House and Arlington National Cemetery. Following his retirement in 1996, he went to work for Alta Equipment Company in Lansing as a fork truck repairman, a position which he retired from in May.

Mark loved hot rod cars, owning and cherishing several "fast cars" throughout the years. He was a member of two car clubs and loved NASCAR and restoring and pulling antique tractors. He also enjoyed time in the outdoors, especially "glamping," tending his lawn, and playing golf - which he referred to as "Fetch." Above all, he loved his family.

Mark is survived by his wife, Darlene Lynette (Dahlem) Hendrickson; sons, Phillip and Charles Hendrickson; step-daughters, Davi Sue (Jeff) Sobeck, Lacey Mae (Dave) Butler, Catrina Louise (Judd) Brown, Rebecca Lynette (Tim) Ruehs, and Mary Elizabeth (Luke) Himebaugh; 11 step-grandchildren; brothers, Russell Jr. (a.k.a. Tony) and Jill Hendrickson and Peter (Annie)

Hendrickson; sisters, Becca (Bill) Sovine and Anna (Gary) Erickson; several nieces and nephews; and his cat, Lucy. He is predeceased by his parents and his brother, Tod Hendrickson.

Funeral Services will be at 5:00 p.m. on Thursday, August 10, 2017 at Pray Funeral Home, Charlotte with Pastor Ruby Saunders officiating. Visitation will be from 3:00 - 5:00 p.m. on Thursday, just prior to the service at the funeral home. If desired, the family suggests memorial contributions to the Ingham County Animal Control and Shelter where he adopted his cat Lucy from. Friends and family are encouraged to share memories of Mark on his Tribute Page at www.PrayFuneral.com. The family is in the care of Pray Funeral Home, Charlotte.

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG **10**. 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

Pray Funeral Home
401 W. Seminary St.
Charlotte, MI 48813

Funeral Ceremony

AUG **10**. 5:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Pray Funeral Home, Inc created a Tribute Video in memory of Mark Lidbom Hendrickson*



Pray Funeral Home, Inc. - August 09, 2017 at 02:57 PM

PB

Beautiful pictures of his life and family. He carried his age beautifully as well. Mark was a funny, loving man. Always smiling and always had a joke. He loved to make folks laugh. There was such a deep love in him and he knew how to share it. A big man, a gentle man. He is soo missed. Rest in peace, Mark. You'll always have a special place in my heart. ❤️🔥🙏🤔😎😔🌸

Patricia R Baldwin - March 04 at 09:23 AM

BB

“ *Justin Donn Hendrickson is your kin, who is Teresa Bell? Terry Berry Matthews Hendrickson said Justin is Donn and her son, i'm not happy with Theresa Teresa Berry Matthews Hendrickson or her liz berry sellers obit in NC.*

Marion and Harold Barley's kin (Aurore Brittany Furnish-Cansler-Barley)

Brittany Furnish Barley - April 03, 2025 at 09:17 PM

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“ We had the pleasure of knowing Mark through his work at Midstate; he was very good at his job - Mark was our 'forklift guy'. He always had a smile on his face, a great story to tell and jokes galore. He was the bright spot in our day and is fondly remembered. God Bless. Susan O'Sullivan and Jeff Ellis, formerly of Con-way Freight, Mason.

Susan Fennell (O'Sullivan) - August 18, 2017 at 09:02 AM

JH

“ Jeff, Anna, & Channing Hall purchased the Full O f Love Bouquet for the family of Mark Lidbom Hendrickson.

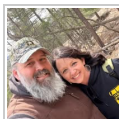


Jeff, Anna, & Channing Hall - August 09, 2017 at 09:26 PM

JD

“ I am so sorry for the loss of Mark. My heart goes out to all of you. Your whole family❤️Is in my thoughts and prayers. He seemed very happy at Justin's open house. Thinking of you all💧

jennifer Dodge - August 09, 2017 at 05:13 PM



Miss you already, sure glad to have spent the time with you i was given. You were one great uncle. Love you and miss you Uncle Mark.

Matt McLimans - August 09, 2017 at 08:31 PM

DA

“Pete, Anna and Hendrickson Family-
So sorry to hear of the passing of your
brother, Uncle, husband and father.
Our thoughts and prayers are with you at this
difficult time.
With our deepest sympathies. May God watch over you and guide
you.
God bless.
Dee, Greg, Mathew and Darryn Adams



Dee, Greg, Mathew and Darryn Adams - August 09, 2017 at 04:15 PM



“39 files added to the album LifeTributes



Pray Funeral Home, Inc. - August 09, 2017 at 02:53 PM

LD

“I bought my first house from Mark. He had the most beautiful car in
the garage, we joked about it being part of the sale. He even
stopped over a couple weeks after I moved in to see what I did to
the place. He had an infectious laugh. RIP Mark and prayers to
Charlie and the family.

Lisa Davis - August 09, 2017 at 01:07 PM

RG

“ I have known and worked with Mark for over 18 years, I considered him a fine man and a friend I will miss him dearly. Rest in peace my friend.

robert w gorham - August 08, 2017 at 06:53 PM

CP

“ i remember Mark when he lived in Marquette MI, he a very nice guy,loved everyone. he is going to be miss alot. but remember he is in a better place and he gets to see Mom,Dad and Brother.



Connie Pearson - August 08, 2017 at 04:23 PM

SJ

“ Mark always enjoyed a joke. Also he was quite the jokester himself. A visit with Mark and you knew at some point there would be laughter. Some fond memories with Mark are when he would join us as we traveled to Escanaba to see the old stock car races in the mid '70's. Back when the track was a dirt track. If it had a motor, if it was loud and could leave rubber on the pavement you knew Mark was interested. R.I.P. Mark

Steve Johnson - August 08, 2017 at 03:33 PM

JW

“ Praying for peace and comfort for the Hendrickson family. May God help us all get through this difficult time. Mark will be missed.

Jodi Winright - August 08, 2017 at 01:46 PM

PL

A long time friend of Mark's and family growing up in the same church in Marquette, mi. Just saw him in June! Mark was a strong and loving man. Love and prayers to the family! We hold unto those special memories!

Peggy Lee Leach - August 08, 2017 at 07:41 PM

CM

Mark was a great man and co-worker! He always made me laugh. Rest in peace.

Christine Miller - August 08, 2017 at 08:08 PM

KT

Mark and I worked for the same company for almost 18 years but, it wasn't in till the last 5 years when he came to work in the shop with me that we became very close. Mark would tell people "ken taught me everything I know about forklifts" I was happy that he held me in such high regard but, he knew plenty before he ever met me. He was a dear friend and I will miss him for a very long time.

Ken thompson - August 09, 2017 at 05:12 PM

DH

I married the love of my life and my best friend 8 weeks ago. Words cannot express how much I miss him. Everyone's kind words and prayers bring me some peace and truly Thank you from the bottom of my heart. Darlene Hendrickson

Darlene Hendrickson - August 12, 2017 at 04:40 PM

BB

*please delete all of my posts.
Brittany Barley*

Brittany Ann Barley - August 10, 2025 at 04:43 PM