



Mathew Leo Ferrari

October 13, 1955 - January 15, 2023

Mathew Leo Ferrari, 67, loving father and grandfather, died peacefully on Sunday, January 15, 2023. Matt was born October 13, 1955 in Ann Arbor, MI, the son of Vincent Eugene and Norene Anne (Lobdell) Ferrari. He graduated from Canton High School in 1973 before immediately enlisting in the U.S. Army. He trained at Ft. Knox before serving abroad in both Panama and Germany. Upon completion of his service, he went to work at Capital Stamping in Wixom, retiring as a Foreman after over 20 years. Matt loved cars, rock n' roll music and old Western movies. He was a man full of kindness and love. To be with Matt was to be laughing. His friends and family will also remember his dad jokes and dry sense of humor. Above all, Matt loved his family, especially time spent with grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Matt is survived by his daughters, Sheri (David Collins) Ferrari and Kristy (Martin) Wilmath; grandchildren, Cody and Meghan Wilmath; great-grandchildren, Rylee, Beau, Blakely and Sawyer Wilmath; and sisters, Sharon Walker and Mary "Cissy" Ferrari.

Friends are encouraged to support Matt's family by sharing memories on his Tribute Page at www.prayfuneral.com. A private Memorial Gathering is being planned for a later date. If desired, the family suggests memorial contributions to the Wounded Warrior Project. The family is in the care of Pray Funeral

Home, Charlotte.

Tribute Wall

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“ I first met Matt at Interlock a long time ago. You'd hear his laugh. It was his own signature. Something was going on. Either he was involved or just happened to see something that struck him funny. So you had to look. Of course everyone was laughing then and his laugh could be heard above everyone else. When we found each other on FB again after so many years, it was like we saw each other last week. Our hearts break for you. He left behind a fine family to carry on with his positive outlook in life where he could find the humor in things. What a great trait. My heart and prayers are with you. God Bless.



Diane & Don Pinion

Diane Pinion - January 19, 2023 at 09:38 PM

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“ Matt removed all the hardware from the wheels on my tool cart while I was busy, then he stood back and watched as I pushed the cart around the shop. When the big crash finally happened, we laughed until we cried. Such a character, and such a great guy. He gave me a car once when I must have needed it. We shared some pain, and we shared much joy. I liked that his voice warmed up when he spoke of his girls. Lots of wonderful memories. Josh Groban sings a song called "To Where You Are". Give it a listen and think of Matt. My condolences to the family.

Pete Mimnaugh - January 18, 2023 at 01:30 PM

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“ *Sorry for your loss, I met Matt at capital stamping and spent a few years working with him, have found memories working with him and going over to his house helping him with a few things. All good rest in peace brother, joe*

Joe Soave - January 18, 2023 at 08:59 AM