



## Joe M. Hershberger

November 20, 1975 - July 15, 2014

Joe M. Hershberger, age 38 of Harrison, passed away suddenly on Tuesday, July 15, 2014 in Cadillac from injuries sustained in an motor vehicle accident. Joe was born November 20, 1975 to Mose J. and Fannie J. Hershberger in Spring Valley, Minnesota. Joe was a Masonry and Building Contractor by trade; he was described as a workaholic, always lending a helping hand. When a NASCAR race was on the rest of the world stopped, the only driver worth rooting for was Jimmie Johnson and the #48. Joes loves included Kathleen, driving his pickup truck, being on or near the water, riding Harley's, hunting and fishing.

Joe is survived by his significant other Kathleen Kelly of Harrison; his parents Mose and Fannie; siblings Lydia (Noah) Stutzman of Clare, Naomi (John) Swartzentruber, Tobie (Rachel), and Rachel (Jacob) Stutzman all of Gladwin, Jacob (Verna) of Coral, Malinda (Menno) Zook of Missouri, Ananias (Ida) and Enos (Edna) both of Gladwin; his maternal grandmother Lydia Hershberger of Minnesota and numerous other family and friends that are left to cherish his memory. Joe was predeceased by his bother Menno and maternal grandfather Jacob and paternal grandparents Joe and Malinda.

Visitation and services will be held at the Clare Church of the Nazarene.

Visitation will be Thursday from 6 to 9 P.M. and Friday from 2 to 5 and 7 to 9 P.M. Services will be Saturday at 2 P.M. with Pastor Tim Fall officiating. Burial will follow at the Cherry Grove Cemetery. Memorial contributions are asked to help with final expenses. Arrangements were handled by the Clare Chapel of

Stephenson-Wyman Funeral Home. On-line condolences may be left at [www.stephenson-wyman.com](http://www.stephenson-wyman.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Cherry Grove Cemetery

1000 Cedar St.  
Clare, MI 48617

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL 17. 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

Clare Church of the Nazarene  
10160 S. Grant Avenue  
Clare, MI 48617

## Visitation

JUL 18. 2:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

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## Visitation

JUL 18. 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

Clare Church of the Nazarene  
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## Service

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JUL 19. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

Clare Church of the Nazarene  
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Clare, MI 48617

# Tribute Wall

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“ *Amish Joe you were always a part of our family and we will miss you d made us laugh thanks for all the wonderful memories you will be foreve greatly by everyone r.i.p. Joe !!!*

*, Sherry, Ralph, Angie, Butch, Mason, Marlee, Suzie, Sunny, Dylan, Adam, Mark, Audi, Tracy; Joe, Bryce, D and aunt barb!!!!*

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**sueann** - July 19, 2014 at 11:37 PM

 Peter Tacconelli

“ *Loved to work and laugh with you all the day long. You made the world a better place. You made sure to brighten any place you were. You made sure people knew you cared. You were everyone's best friend! We'll talk about you for the rest of our lives.*

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**Peter Tacconelli** - July 19, 2014 at 10:26 AM

LN

“ *You will be missed by many you were a great person I remember u always calling me hillbilly or the N word lol and u were a great addition to the Nagy party's!*

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**Lil mike nagy** - July 17, 2014 at 05:37 PM

LT

“ *Joe and I had a great time working together and and even more fun at Deja Vu with Jacob! The motor cycle gang is going to miss you too!! You will be greatly missed!!!  
Larry Thorington*

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**Larry Thorington** - July 17, 2014 at 04:43 PM



Jennifer  
Johanna

“ *Rest in peace Joe... You are the sweetest person ever. I'll never forget the time I met you aT S&R diner and I was really tipsy and almost feel. You was my rescue man ... that was the first time I met you and thank God I did... You are gonna be missed so much. Fly high my friend... Jennifer Anderson.*

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**Jennifer Johanna** - July 17, 2014 at 04:04 PM



“ *RIP Joe! You will be missed by many! You had a contagious smile and so much fun to be around. Kathy and your family are in our thoughts and prayers.*

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**Angela Hoskey** - July 17, 2014 at 02:30 PM

KH

“ *Kyle van den Heuvel and friends at Hilti purchased the Dreams From the Heart Bouquet for the family of Joe M. Hershberger.*



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**Kyle van den Heuvel and friends at Hilti** - July 17, 2014 at 01:06 PM



“ *Written in the Stars was purchased for the family of Joe M. Hershberger.*



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July 17, 2014 at 11:35 AM

PL

“ Joe, You will never be forgotten. You was one of the best guys I ever met. Always happy and ready for anything. Ken loved to be around you and always made us laugh. You was really a great guy and will be missed by so many. R.I.P Joe We love you. The Lubs Family

Patricia Lubs - July 17, 2014 at 10:51 AM

DM

“ Rip Amish joe. You will be truly missed. Thoughts and prayers to your entire family and kathleen. Your smile will be in our memories forever. God bless. Derick and bernadette Girard. Harrison mi.

derick and bernadette Girard harrison mi - July 17, 2014 at 09:25 AM

WH

“ Dearest Joe...oh how we will miss you messing around with Jeff all the time, your fun visits to the house and especially your laughter. You were a good guy and will forever be in our hearts and memories. The Heinig's

Wendy Heinig - July 17, 2014 at 08:06 AM

AS

“ I will never forget that smile from ear to ear. u will b dearly missed my friend

Amy Stephan - July 17, 2014 at 06:08 AM

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ME

“ I'm sorry for your loss! Joe was a great guy and an awesome neighbor! He will be missed by many! Rip Aimish not Amish as Ryan would say! Ryan, Misty, Michael, Alexis and Taylor Evers!

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**Misty Evers** - July 16, 2014 at 06:49 PM

HM

*amish joe R.I.P. you will be so missed at the quik stop, every morning you would come in you were a sight for sore eyes,your joking and where are the fresh donuts you just woke me up and really got my day going. im going to miss you so much but sure you will be making a bunch of people happy where your going. bless you Joe and your family my prayers are with you all, you sure made the world better.  
love, Helen*

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**helen molic** - July 21, 2014 at 02:33 PM