



## Michael J. Buccilli

June 11, 1957 - June 5, 2015

Michael Jeffrey Buccilli, 57, of Clare, passed away peacefully on Friday, June 5 at his home, surrounded by family. He was born the son of Patsy and Marylee (Bertrand) Buccilli Jr. on June 11, 1957 in Highland Park, MI. His family moved to Clare in 1973 and opened Buccilli's Pizza on the south end of Clare where Michael worked as a youth. After graduation, Michael joined the US Navy. Following his naval service to the country, he returned to Clare. He married Sheila Reynolds on November 18, 1983. Michael had been employed as an electronics technician in Texas, Louisiana, and Oklahoma oilfields and then moved back to Michigan, working for RCA and General Electronics as an electronics technician. Ultimately, he moved back to Clare to raise his family. In 1996, he took a job with Soaring Eagle Casino as a Slot Technician. He left the casino in 2007 due to health reasons. From 2000 to 2013, Mike and his family owned and operated a manufacturing business in the prospecting industry making "The Gold Miner." Mike enjoyed metal detecting, coin and antique collecting, and spending time with his family and dogs. He was a dedicated, passionate Red Wings and U of Mich. football fan.

Survivors include his wife, Sheila; his mother, Marylee Buccilli of Farwell; his paternal grandmother, Mary Buccilli; his children, Chris (Jessica) Buccilli of Novi, Andrew (Lijuan) Buccilli of Tuscaloosa, AL, David Buccilli of East Lansing, Dan Buccilli of East Lansing, Amie (Eddy) Hawley of Farwell, and Michael Buccilli II of Clare; his grandchildren, Tyler, Austin, Emma, Annaca, and Toby; and his siblings, Marc (Shari) Buccilli, Andrea (Mike) Dailey, Brian

(Michelle) Buccilli, Talia Tripp, and Pat (Winter) Jagielo. Mike was preceded in death by his father, Patsy Buccilli Jr.; his grandparents, Patsy Buccilli and Elmer and Beatrice Bertrand; and sister- and brother-in-law, Jennifer Vanbuskirk and Keith Reynolds.

The Mass of Christian burial will be celebrated on Wednesday, June 10, 2015 at 11 AM at Our Lady of Hope Parish—St. Cecilia Church, in Clare, officiated by Fr. Prentice Tipton. Burial will follow in the Wise Township Cemetery.

Friends may meet with his family at the Clare Chapel of Stephenson-Wyman Funeral Home on Tuesday from 1-3 and 5-7 PM. A scripture vigil service will be held at the funeral home on Tuesday at 7 PM. If you are considering a floral condolence, the family requests that you consider an outdoors plant that can be planted at his grave for a memorial garden that will forever bloom.

Memorial donations may be directed to Hospice at MidMichigan Home Care.

# Cemetery Details

## Wise Township Cemetery

10101 Loomis St.  
Clare, MI 48617

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUN 9. 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

Stephenson - Wyman Funeral Home (Clare)  
1005 North McEwan St.  
Clare, MI 48617  
(989) 386-7451  
wymanhf@chartermi.net  
<https://www.stephenson-wyman.com/>

## Visitation

JUN 9. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Stephenson - Wyman Funeral Home (Clare)  
1005 North McEwan St.  
Clare, MI 48617  
(989) 386-7451  
wymanhf@chartermi.net  
<https://www.stephenson-wyman.com/>

## Scripture Vigil Service

JUN 9. 7:00 PM (ET)

Stephenson - Wyman Funeral Home (Clare)  
1005 North McEwan St.  
Clare, MI 48617  
(989) 386-7451  
wymanhf@chartermi.net  
<https://www.stephenson-wyman.com/>

## Visitation

JUN 10. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Our Lady of Hope Parish, St. Cecilia Site  
106 E. Wheaton Street  
Clare, MI 48617

## Service

JUN 10. 11:00 AM (ET)

Our Lady of Hope Parish, St. Cecilia Site  
106 E. Wheaton Street  
Clare, MI 48617

# Tribute Wall

MH

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Michael Hampton - November 04, 2017 at 11:20 PM

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“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Michael Hampton - November 04, 2017 at 10:58 PM

CB

“ Cathy Bertrand sent a virtual gift in memory of Michael J. Buccilli



Cathy bertrand - November 12, 2015 at 06:04 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Michael J. Buccilli.*



June 09, 2015 at 02:33 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Michael J. Buccilli.*



June 09, 2015 at 09:06 AM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Michael J. Buccilli.*



June 09, 2015 at 08:24 AM



“ *Saginaw Pattern and Machine, LLC purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Michael J. Buccilli.*



**Saginaw Pattern and Machine, LLC** - June 08, 2015 at 03:43 PM

Sherry  
Pyrett

“ Sherry Pyrett lit a candle in memory of  
Michael J. Buccilli



Sherry Pyrett - June 08, 2015 at 02:53 PM

JH

“ JANET HUNTOON lit a candle in memory of  
Michael J. Buccilli



JANET HUNTOON - June 08, 2015 at 01:05 PM

JH

always will remember the BUCCILLI FAMILY in the CLARE, MI  
area....best pizza ever.....R.I.P. MICHAEL...PRAYERS FOR THE  
FAMILY.....

JANET HUNTOON - June 08, 2015 at 01:08 PM

LM

Sorry for your loss Sheila. God bless you & your family in your time of  
need. Linda & Larry McQuiston

Linda & Larry McQuiston - June 09, 2015 at 09:17 AM

NT

“ So sorry to hear of Mike's passing. I'll always remember working  
with him when I was a kid. He was a great guy always friendly and  
he was always smiling. Prays go out to all of you.

Nichole Thayer - June 08, 2015 at 02:20 AM

AI

“ Thoughts and prayers from us to the family during this time.

-Aimee Baxter and John Walker.



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**Aimee** - June 07, 2015 at 09:19 PM

JC

“ Judy Custer lit a candle in memory of Michael J. Buccilli



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**Judy Custer** - June 07, 2015 at 08:46 PM

JC

“ Dear Sheila and family,  
Our deepest sympathy to all of you. Our hearts ache for all of you as you go through this difficult time. Please let us know if you we can do anything for you. Our hearts and prayers of comfort are with you.

Love,

Wayne & Judy Custer and family

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**Judy Custer** - June 07, 2015 at 08:45 PM

DW

What a great guy to work with. Let the angels take you home Mike. RIP

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**Deb Blosser Waldron** - June 08, 2015 at 12:51 AM

BJ

“ *Barb Johns lit a candle in memory of Michael J. Buccilli*



Barb Johns - June 07, 2015 at 08:07 PM

ME

“ *Mike was always the nice"s person to work with he really seem to care for people. Peace be with you and your family.*

mary escamilla - June 07, 2015 at 07:01 PM

 Kris  
Kiely

“ *Kris Kiely lit a candle in memory of Michael J. Buccilli*



Kris Kiely - June 07, 2015 at 06:00 PM



“ *Small Garden Dish was purchased for the family of Michael J. Buccilli.*



June 07, 2015 at 04:39 PM

SB

“ *My Love and Prayers are with you all!!*



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**Sue Buccilli** - June 07, 2015 at 04:08 PM

DR

“ *Donna And Chuck Richmond lit a candle in memory of Michael J. Buccilli*



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**Donna and Chuck Richmond** - June 06, 2015 at 01:44 PM

JM

*Prayers for the family. Great guy, always considerate and very helpful at work.*

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**Jolene McCure** - June 07, 2015 at 04:54 PM

JC

*Thoughts and prayers to the Buccilli family, Mike was always a pleasure to work with at the casino RIP Mike*

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**Jackie Colthorp** - June 07, 2015 at 09:32 PM