



Mark "Rocky" Clifton Jarboe

March 2, 1958 - April 3, 2023

ADRIAN- Mark "Rocky" Clifton Jarboe, 65, of Adrian, Michigan died early Monday morning, April 3, 2023 at the Veterans Affairs Hospital in Ann Arbor, MI after a short battle with leukemia.

Born on March 2, 1958 in Adrian, MI, Rocky was the son of Martin and Gloria (Ward) Jarboe. Rocky lived in Adrian his entire life, graduating from Adrian High School with the Class of 1976. Following graduation, Rocky went on to serve his country in the United States Marine Corps from 1976 to 1981.

Over the years, Rocky worked in manufacturing at the Dura and Merillat plants in Adrian, retiring from Plastic Omnium in June 2020.

Rocky was a social guy and had a competitive side to him. He enjoyed trying his luck at golf, bowling, darts and horseshoes, excelling in all activities he tried. Rocky was especially proud of his homemade salsa.

He is survived by his son, Jason Jarboe and fiancé, Marrie Garland; father, Martin (Anita) Jarboe; mother, Gloria Hensel; siblings, Michael (Dixie) Jarboe, David (Linda) Jarboe, John Jarboe, Jeff (Doree) Jarboe, Tracey Johnston (Sam White), Pamela (Steve) Welter, Lori (Greg) Shaw, and Alan (Kim) Sargent; step-mother, Iva Campbell; longtime friends, David Suydam, Lisa Shulters, Cheryl Riley and Rob Munsell; and his many nieces, nephews, cousins and friends in his life.

A memorial service for Rocky will be held on Saturday, April 15, 2023, at 1 p.m. at Wagley Funeral Home, in Adrian, with Pastor Ron Sparks officiating. Burial will follow at Oakwood Cemetery. There will be a memorial visitation

from 11 a.m. until the start of the service at the funeral home.

Online condolences and memories may be shared at www.WagleyFuneralHomes.com.

Cemetery Details

Oakwood Cemetery

East Siena Heights Drive
Adrian, MI 49221

Previous Events

Memorial Visitation

APR 15. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Wagley Funeral Home (Adrian)
1501 W. Maumee St.
Adrian, MI 49221
(517) 263-1400
info@wagleyfuneralhome.com
<https://www.WagleyFuneralHome.com>

Memorial Service

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Tribute Wall

CR

“ *I miss you so much. There's so much that I want to call and tell you every day then I think to myself oh I can't! It hurts so bad. Till we meet again.*

Cheri Riley - June 01, 2023 at 01:25 PM

CV

“ *My thoughts of Rocky. He definitely had that competitive nature and it was rewarding to beat him at golf(never happened) or at darts(bought him way more beers than received). It was rewarding to get a laugh out of him because he had such an infectious laugh. Last but not least, hearing his go to karaoke song “Mrs Jones”. You will be missed Rocky. Thank you for your service. Rest in peace.*

Calvin Vanderkooi - April 16, 2023 at 06:13 AM

AM

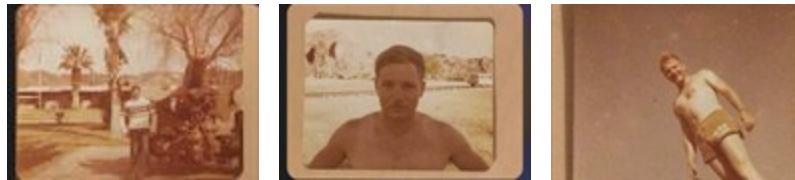
“ I first met Mark when he was stationed briefly in Guyana as a young marine. It was a short friendship that continued through written letters after he departed for California...Mark was always a better correspondent than I was. We lost touch and recently reconnected a few years ago.

Mark was a sweet, quiet gentleman mostly - but there was a bold side as well; I was blown away watching the “Mrs Jones” video of that bold side I never knew and how I laughed hysterically!

Here are 3 pics of the younger Mark in California. I will miss him and our little banter.

Thank you Mark Rocky for your dedicated services to this country. I'm grateful for the freedoms you have fought for.

And, thank you for our wonderful friendship. I will miss you. Rest easy!



ann moti - April 15, 2023 at 05:05 PM

CD

“ Marty & Anita,
Our condolence to you and your family. Pray that God's presence will bring about all the good memories of your son's life and help to overcome the emptiness being felt at this time. We never met him but, it sounds like he was someone you have to be proud of.

Sincerely,

Clyde and Nancy Dickerson

Clyde and Nancy Dickerson - April 15, 2023 at 12:12 AM

MC

“ I had the pleasure of working with Rocky at Dura. We also were on the Dura Golf League for many years. In 1998 Rocky and Jim Marchese were the Dura Golf League Champions. He'll be missed by all.

Mark Cremeans



Mark Cremeans - April 13, 2023 at 08:59 PM

BS

“ DEAR MARTY AND ANITA,
SO SORRY FOR YOUR LOSS. HE SOUNDED LIKE A
WONDERFUL MAN. YOU ARE IN MY THOUGHTS AND
PRAYERS. BARB SELL

barb sell - April 12, 2023 at 11:18 AM

JU

“ *God Bless and Gods Speed Marine Semper Fi*

Jay Best USMC - April 12, 2023 at 07:12 AM

KR

“ *Best bowling teammate we could ever ask for*



Kristin - April 11, 2023 at 09:32 PM

KW

*I grew up with Rocky at St Mary's School and Catholic Central as well as Adrian High
He was always a cool guy and easy to talk to - I'm saddened that you lost him - my condolences to the Jarboe family*

Kevin Wagner

Kevin Wagner - June 01, 2023 at 02:08 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mark "Rocky" Clifton Jarboe.*



April 11, 2023 at 07:44 PM

RP

“ *I worked with Mark at dura for several years he was my partner loading unloading convertible tops he was a hard worker joking all the time.he was quick on his feet with comebacks.making a hard job a fun job .rest in peace my brother I will never forget you.*

Robert Perez - April 11, 2023 at 05:29 AM

 Penny Frederick

“ *Penny Frederick lit a candle in memory of Mark "Rocky" Jarboe*



Penny Frederick - April 10, 2023 at 06:11 PM

PF

“ Penny Frederick lit a candle in memory of Mark "Rocky" Jarboe



Penny Frederick - April 10, 2023 at 06:05 PM

TR

“ Miss you so much already my sweet brother. We will meet again someday Rock, until then God Speed Love, Tracey



Tracey - April 10, 2023 at 06:01 AM

DL

Someone call me Dawn Liski 5179180617

Dawn liski - April 14, 2023 at 04:57 PM

DS

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David Suydam - April 07, 2023 at 11:35 PM

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David Suydam - April 07, 2023 at 03:14 PM

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David Suydam - April 06, 2023 at 08:18 AM

TR

Love this Dave, thanks for sharing. Hope you and Lisa are doing ok. Thanks for all you've done, your a true friend to Rocky

Tracey - April 06, 2023 at 12:48 PM

NC

“ *I met Rocky many many years ago when he came into Manpower always in a good mood and always a smile on his face even years later. Such a joy to have known Rest in peace*



Nicole Champanois - April 05, 2023 at 09:56 PM

P.

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Paul Hickey, 2210 Dale St. N. Apt # 6 .R - April 05, 2023 at 06:50 PM

TR

Sent this to Junior, he will be at the visitation, I reached out to him

Tracey - April 06, 2023 at 12:53 PM

LS

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Lisa Shulters - April 05, 2023 at 04:52 PM

DS

“ 2 files added to the tribute wall



David Suydam - April 05, 2023 at 04:49 PM

TV

“ *Tommie Vanpelt lit a candle in memory of Mark "Rocky" Jarboe*



Tommie Vanpelt - April 05, 2023 at 09:12 AM

JE

I knew Rocky for nearly half a century, and I can truthfully say that there are few men on this earth that are as kind, gentle and honest as Rocky. He's now in a better place. He was too good for this world.

Jeffrey Emerson - April 05, 2023 at 02:29 PM