



## Michael Matthew Mininger

December 5, 1943 - February 14, 2022

ADRIAN – Michael Matthew Mininger, 78, of Adrian passed away on February 14, 2022, at Promedica Hickman Hospital, Adrian.

He was born on December 5, 1943, in Toledo, Ohio to Eugene O. and June E. (Harloff) Mininger.

Mike attended Maumee High School in Maumee Ohio, graduating in 1962.

Mike married Rose R. Suleski on March 21, 1964. They moved to Adrian in 1967, where Mike worked for many years at Stauffer -Wacker Chemical, later retiring from STI in Adrian in 2006.

After retiring, Mike coached girls' volleyball teams at Madison High School, Manchester High School, Deerfield High School and the Adrian Volleyball Club. He was the assistant coach for women's volleyball at Siena Heights University for 13 years. Mike enjoyed being a coach and mentor and was always very proud of the players that were a part of his teams.

Mike is survived by his loving wife of 58 years, Rose (Suleski) Mininger; their sons, Matthew Mininger (Steve Murphy) of Columbus, Ohio, and Jeffrey (Tonya) Mininger of South Bend, Indiana; several brothers-in-law and sisters-in-law; and many, many, nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents, June E. and Eugene O. Mininger; brother, Jonathan Mininger;

sister, Lois Mininger Hancock and nephew, Russel Moebius.

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Mike's family would like to thank the doctors and nurses at ProMedica Charles & Virginia Hickman Hospital, as well as ProMedica Hospice for the exceptional care they provided during Mike's last days.

A memorial celebration of Mike's life will be held on Saturday, April 23, 2022, at 2:00 p.m. at Wagley Funeral Home in Adrian. Visitation will be from 1:00 p.m. until the start of the service.

Memorial contributions may be made to the donor's choice. Online condolences and memories may be shared at [www.WagleyFuneralHomes.com](http://www.WagleyFuneralHomes.com).

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR **23**. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

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

## Memorial Celebration

APR **23**. 2:00 PM (ET)

Wagley Funeral Home (Adrian)  
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# Tribute Wall



“ *Michael Matthew Mininger*

January 28, 2023 at 12:24 PM



“ *Jim Brock purchased the Fairest of All for the family of Michael Matthew Mininger.*



**Jim Brock** - April 21, 2022 at 02:29 PM



“ *So sorry to hear of Mike's passing. I had many great memories of Mike, working with him for many years at Wacker Silicones. My condolences to Rose and family. May you Rest In Peace Mike,*

*Tom and Judy Chesher*

**Tom and Judy Chesher** - April 20, 2022 at 06:03 AM



“ *So sad to learn of Mike's passing. He was a such a great guy - never a "putz". We had many good times at Piotter. My condolences to Rose and family.*

**David Bush** - March 12, 2022 at 09:07 PM



“ *Thank you Mike for the wonderful influence you were on our kids and so many more! Steve and Jeanne Lasky*

**Steve and Jeanne Lasky** - February 20, 2022 at 12:27 PM

MP

“ Bob said it well! Our memories back to those Pioter days are the same. Priceless! Always loved Mike. Such a kind, humble, wonderful person. So many wonderful memories on and off the court with Mike and Rose.

*Rose thinking of you and your family. See you in April.*

*Michelle and Norm Potter*

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**Michelle Potter** - February 15, 2022 at 05:51 PM

JP

“ Matt So very sorry to hear of the loss of your father. Jack Priest

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**jack priest** - February 15, 2022 at 01:09 PM

BS

“ Mike, I love you!!! I still remember the time you and I discussed you coaching and you stated "I don't know anything about volleyball". And now we look back at the many years that you have coached and will remember the lives that you touched and the love and caring that you gave to so many through your love of the game. Friday nights at Piotter Center playing with the club was, as is said, 'priceless'. Even after the time that elapsed from my moving from Adrian, I still in my heart you were a 'best friend'. Thank you Mike for being a huge part of my life. Rose, Matthew, Jeff and family, you had the greatest experience(s) of your life with this awesome man in your life. God be with all of you and you are in my thoughts. I will never forget you Mike.

*Bob Sells*

*(or Bobert as Kevin would call me)*

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**Bob Sells** - February 15, 2022 at 04:14 AM

JS

“ Mike was an amazing man to take care of. Im so blessed to have known him and care for him.. It was my pleasure. May his family feel the Lords peace at this time. He will be missed. Love and prayers. Jackie Grigsby. Patient care tech. Night shift at Pro Medica Hickman Hosp med surg floor

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**Jackie Grigsby. Pct night shift med surg** - February 15, 2022 at 02:26 AM