



Micheal Joseph Zarrella

January 11, 1957 - September 6, 2019

Celebration of life service for Micheal Zarrella, 62 of Enid, will be 10:00 AM, Thursday, September 12, 2019 at Anderson-Burriss Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Mark Mason officiating. Burial will follow in St. Michaels Cemetery, Golty. Arrangements are by Anderson-Burriss Funeral Home & Crematory.

Micheal Zarrella was born to Ralph and Betty Zarrella on January 11, 1957 at St. Mary's Hospital in Enid, and peacefully passed away on Friday, September 6, 2019, with his family by his side. Ralph served in the Airforce, so the family lived in many places such as Japan, New Jersey, California and upon Ralph's retirement the family settled in Goltry, OK. Mike graduated from Helena Goltry High School in 1975. Mike later earned a bachelor's degree in criminal justice from NWOSU. His employment history included being a park ranger with Great Salt Plains, Deputy Sheriff with Alfalfa County, Dept. of Corrections case manager with James Crabtree Correctional Center, Deputy Warden in Granite, and obtained his first retirement through DOC after 29 years of service with probation and parole and supervisor at a work release program. Mike then went back to work as an Enid transit driver before settling into NWOSU Enid as computer systems analyst as a second career. Mike retired a second time from NWOSU after another 10 years of service. He was a worker, caretaker and always gave to others. Some of Mike's favorite pastimes were riding his Harley and hunting. Mike owned various Harley Davidson motorcycles throughout his life. He loved riding his bike with his wife Donna

and best friends Dwight, Peggy, Mac and Linda. He loved his family, friends, and confidants. He will forever be taking care of others and watching over us from above.

He was preceded in death by his mother, Betty Zarrella.

Mike is survived by his wife Donna; children, Christina Clark, Danny Zarrella, Pamela Bookout, Brian Alvarez, Misty White, Sarah Jones, Amista Chambers, Teri Soto, and Amanda Melvin and their spouses; 20 grandchildren; his father, Ralph Zarrella; sister, Elizabeth Pidcock; and several nieces and nephews.

Memorial may be made through the funeral home to American Cancer Society

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

SEP **12.** 10:00 AM (CT)

Anderson-Burriss Funeral Home Chapel
3002 N. Van Buren
Enid, OK 73703
<http://www.andersonburriss.com>

Tribute Wall

DC

“ *Debbie And Myron Coulter lit a candle in memory of Micheal Joseph Zarrella*



Debbie and Myron Coulter - September 12, 2019 at 07:40 AM

MH

“ *Mark Sturgeon, Kirk Hungerford, Delbert Hill purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of Micheal Joseph Zarrella.*



Mark Sturgeon, Kirk Hungerford, Delbert Hill - September 10, 2019 at 06:48 PM

MS

“ *Mike you always made me laugh and you always had a hugh smile and your laugh was contagious. lam sorry we all get so busy in life that we don't see each other as much as we should have we blink and it's over. I pray for you and god enjoys your smile as much as I.*

Mark Sturgeon - September 10, 2019 at 06:31 PM



“ *Charlene LittleCook lit a candle in memory of Micheal Joseph Zarrella*



Charlene LittleCook - September 10, 2019 at 04:08 PM

DZ

Thank you

Donna Zarrella - September 10, 2019 at 11:26 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Micheal Joseph Zarrella.*



September 09, 2019 at 11:14 AM



“ *Vivid Recollections was purchased for the family of Micheal Joseph Zarrella.*



September 08, 2019 at 11:38 AM

MS

“ *Michele Soto lit a candle in memory of Micheal Joseph Zarrella*



Michele Soto - September 07, 2019 at 09:40 PM

DZ

Thank you so much

Donna Zarrella - September 08, 2019 at 07:09 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Micheal Joseph Zarrella.*



September 06, 2019 at 08:18 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Micheal Joseph Zarrella.*



September 06, 2019 at 05:20 PM