



## Michael Thomas Thielen

July 14, 1963 - October 23, 2021

Thielen, Michael T. age 58 of Bloomington, passed away on October 23, 2021. Survived by his parents, Don and Pauline; siblings, Tim, Tonja (Clayton) Eklund and Philip (Janine); nieces and nephews, Blake, Whitney, Chelsea, Nick, Hayden, Blair and Holden; and 14 great nieces and nephews. Funeral service Saturday, Nov. 6 at 2pm with visitation 1 hour prior at: Washburn-McReavy.com Werness Brothers 952-884-8145 2300 W. Old Shakopee Rd.

# Cemetery Details

## Sunset Memorial Park (Minneapolis)

2250 Saint Anthony Boulevard  
Minneapolis, MN 55418

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV 6. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Bloomington Chapel  
2300 W. Old Shakopee Road  
Bloomington, MN 55431  
(952) 884-8145  
[info@washburn-mcreavy.com](mailto:info@washburn-mcreavy.com)

## Chapel Service

NOV 6. 2:00 PM - 2:30 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

CK

“ So sad to hear of Mike's passing. Mike and I knew each other in the Air Force, in tech schools, hanging out, playing guitars and flying missions together. Come Hockey seasons in Alaska, we would throw all his goalie equipment in the back of my pickup and drive 25 miles up to Fairbanks and I would watch him play in the men's leagues. We lost touch when he got out of the Air Force and headed home to Minnesota.

*Periodically I will try and look him up to reconnect but could never find him. Today, on veteran's day, I saw the attached picture and decided to look him up again only to find he had left us, much too soon.*

*Peace and blessings on you all and prayers over your loss.*

*-Curt King*



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**Curt King** - November 11, 2021 at 04:14 PM

KA

“ Dear Thielen Family,

*Mike was one of the first faces I worked with when coming to SICK and helped me throughout my time with the company. Working with him left a lasting impact on me and clearly on the rest of the SICK family. His hard work and dedication was a inspiration to me, and more.*

*He was more then just good worker. I can think of countless times going to Mike to talk about hockey, he would then proceed to talk my ear off. This made the day move along a bit quicker!*

*Thank you Mike for everything you are, and you will be greatly missed by all.*

*-Kyle Antonson*

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**Kyle Antonson** - November 03, 2021 at 10:48 AM

MW

“ Dear Thielen Family,  
We were lucky to meet and work with Mike during an international SICK project in 2017/2018. We got to know Mike as a person who was always friendly and helpful, no matter how much work and stress there was - both to his direct colleagues and to us strangers from Germany. He hardly accepted the accolades he deserved for his own accomplishments.  
We can not believe Mike is gone. We will keep his memory.  
We are sorry for your loss.  
Günter Winkler &  
Melanie Wernet  
Germany



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**Melanie Wernet** - November 03, 2021 at 03:29 AM

YS

“ Your friends at Lakeland & Spectrum purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Michael Thomas Thielen.



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**Your friends at Lakeland & Spectrum** - November 02, 2021 at 11:04 AM

AG

“ Mike's "family" at Sick shares in your grief. He was a wonderful co-worker and friend, a kind and compassionate man. He was our go-to man. He is missed. He made a big difference at Sick and in our lives.

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**ANITA GUILLOTTEL** - November 02, 2021 at 10:29 AM

PT

“ *To the Thielen Family*

*I am so sorry for your loss. Mike was an amazing person. He was a brilliant man. He cared about people. He talked about his family often at work and his love for them was evident. He would always greet me with a smile, and I can still hear his laugh. He was a dedicated man. He worked so hard at Sick.*

*Mike, I miss you.*

*Patty Twaites*

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**Patty Twaites** - November 02, 2021 at 06:39 AM