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Michael Lancaster

Obituary



Anchorage resident, Michael Otto Mitvitnikoff Lancaster, 52, died at the Alaska Native Medical Center in Anchorage, Alaska on December 22, 2012.

A Celebration of Life will be held on Saturday, January 5, 2013 at 11:00 a.m., at the Anchorage Funeral Home at 1800 Dare Avenue, Anchorage, Alaska 99515. Family and friends are invited to

attend and celebrate his life and share memories of Mike.

Mike was born in Anchorage, Alaska on October 21, 1960 to Dorothy Mitvitnikoff and Fred Lancaster. He was raised in Valdez, Alaska where he attended elementary and high school and had many friends. He also attended the Seward Skill Center for two years. In 1977 he moved to Anchorage. He was loved very much as a father, brother, uncle and son and will be greatly missed by his family and friends.

Mike lived in Nome, Alaska from 1981 to 1983 working with heavy equipment. He also worked in Shemya, Alaska from 2003 to 2006 as a laborer. Mike commercial fished for several seasons in the Bristol Bay area with friends of his. Mike loved his family very much and never met a person he did not like. He has friends all over the state of Alaska, many who came to visit him while he was in the hospital. Mike was always happy and would help anyone who was in need. He loved animals and they loved him. He liked to read, walk and ride his bike and loved his children with all of his heart. He had a good and generous heart and will leave an empty spot in the lives of his family and friends. We love you Mike.

Mike was preceded in death by his mother Dorothy Mitvitnikoff and his father, Fred Lancaster.

He is survived by his wife Tina; daughters Katie and Melissa; sons, Michael and Brandon; brothers and sisters, Paul Mitvitnikoff, Warren and Ruby Mitvitnikoff, Nellie and Gary Beilke, Marsha Gray-Airis, Cora and Tom DeLack, Tina Mitvitnikoff,, Fred Mitvitnikoff, and numerous nieces, nephews and cousins.

Arrangements are with the Anchorage Funeral Home, you may visit Mike's online guest book at www.AlaskanFuneral.com

Guest Book

"This is Mike and his daughter Katie in 1983. We trust that..."

- **Coleen Mielke**

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Anchorage Funeral Home & Crematory

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