



John P. Michalisko

September 27, 1949 - June 22, 2021

John P. Michalisko, 71, of Huntley, passed away Tuesday morning, June 22, 2021, at Advocate Lutheran General Hospital in Park Ridge.

He was born September 27, 1949, in Chicago the son of Martin and Virginia (Cwiklinski) Michalisko. He married Kristin Hoff on April 22, 1972. John had a successful career as a technical representative for Xerox Corporation that spanned 40 years before retiring in 2011. John was a loving husband, devoted father of 3 and grandfather of 4. The love that he had for his family, friends, baseball and golf permeated every part of his life. His wit, humor, and strength has far reaching impacts that will continue to positively ripple through many lives for generations to come. He set the standard for integrity and lived his life as he coached us all through the ups and downs of everyday life. John was endlessly selfless and continuously supportive. He is greatly loved and will be deeply missed by the ones that remain behind.

He is survived by his wife of 49 years, Kristin; his children John, Marty, and Katie (Mike) Gabris; grandchildren, Benjamin, Zachary, Amber, and Michael; sisters, Madeline (Don) Shaw, and Virginia Elle; and sister-in-law, Carol Michalisko.

He is preceded in death by his parents; and brother, Martin Michalisko.

A Memorial Service will be held Tuesday, July 6 at 12 Noon at Willow Creek Community Church, 38W133 Huntley Rd. in Huntley.

Visitation will be Tuesday prior to services from 10 to 12 PM at the church.

In lieu of flowers, memorials in his name may be directed to Ann & Robert H. Lurie Children's Hospital of Chicago at <http://www.lurieschildren.org> or the Glioblastoma Foundation at <http://www.glioblastomafoundation.org> or the American Diabetes Association at <http://www.donations.diabetes.org>

Events

JUL Memorial Visitation 10:00AM - 12:00PM

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Willow Creek Community Church
38W133 Huntley Road, Huntley, IL, US, 60142

JUL Memorial Service 12:00PM

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Comments



“ So sorry to hear of John's passing. We always enjoyed his company and his kind smile.

Tim and Ann Essig

Ann - July 08 at 09:20 AM



“ Dear Kris and family, so sorry to hear of John's passing. Wish I could have come to the service but am having more health issues. Our memories of those baseball seasons with the boys are filled with fond memories of all of you. You all will be in our thoughts and prayers.

Judi Rotondo - July 07 at 01:31 AM



“ John was a dear friend for over 60 years. He was always a joy to be around. We had so much fun over the years. We traveled together, we visited when we could and we had so many fun times. There was always a fun John story to share with others! He would call just to see how we were and though the miles separated us over the last years we always got together when we could and the laughter always picked up where it had left off. Kris and John are dear friends and our thoughts are with her and the kids today. You will be sorely missed John. Rest in peace. Greg and Sue Steiner

Sue Steiner - July 06 at 08:39 AM



“ Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of John P. Michalisko.



July 02 at 07:51 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of John P. Michalisko.



June 30 at 08:54 AM



“ With saddened hearts we remember one of our dearest friends John, whom Jim and I have known 49 years. Sharing these many years you really get to know the character of a person and John was a truly good man. Always hard working...always willing to step up to the challenges of helping others....being a great role model for his children and truly living it out by example and dedication. His love for Kris was endless and the rock for such a solid foundation in their marriage. We gathered with them over the years, laughing so hard we thought we'd get kicked out of the restaurant. Such good times we had! A lot of conversation always came back to sports of course. How John did love his sports. Anything with a ball. Whether football, softball, little league or golf. He was all in. He was a die hard Cub fan. I could go on and on with so many wonderful things to say but there are not enough words to convey how our hearts are breaking for our dear friend Kris who has lost her soulmate and our buddy as well. Be at peace John and know that you take much love with you.

Jim and Gail Haligarda

Gail Haligarda - June 29 at 01:34 PM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of John P. Michalisko.



June 28 at 11:00 AM



“ John, was one of the best team player for the 12” GROUND CREW / CENTURIONS and great partner in our Tuesday golf league. He will be missed. Eddie Fabro

ED FABRO - June 26 at 03:45 PM