

The Obituary

Michael Fredrick Pecore was born and raised in South Porcupine, Ontario. He was an accomplished Mechanical Engineer in the Plumbing & Heating field and had many hobbies such as hunting, fishing, camping, and carpentry, and even built a house, several boats and a small plane. He was an avid sportsman as a pro hockey player, pro drag racer, a licensed pro stock and fuel funny car driver scuba driver, and a black belt in marital arts. All of this was accomplished before the age of 27. He was an amateur Ham Radio operator for 40 years and worked with Crime Stoppers. Mike was also a public speaker with the local school boards for the P.A.R.T.Y. program, speaking to groups of high school students about the realities of drinking and driving.

Mike enjoyed the King of the Hill drag races, car shows, movies, festivals, concerts, hiking trails, picnics at the beach, tent camping, weddings, reunions, births of grandchildren, dinners out with family and friends and even just plain old grocery shopping. Michael had a zest for life that wouldn't stop no matter what. He lived a miraculously long and fulfilling life, despite his challenges, that most would get exhausted just hearing about it.

Michael passed away peacefully with family and friends at the age of 65. Mike was predeceased by his parents Marie (nee Tokar) and Don Pecore and his sister Donna (nee Pecore) DeLuca. Mike is survived by his wife Valorie Pecore and his daughter Dana (Denis) Boulanger, and stepchildren Luke (Lisa) Stoa, Kimberly (Luigi) Alvisi and Brian Knechtel; as well as his grandchildren Matthew, Brittney, Courttney, Megan, Anthony, Gavin, Hailey and Robert. In addition, his siblings Tom (Cathy) Pecore, Pete (Carla) Pecore, Tina (Paul) Bagordo, and Susan (Dan) Montrose.

He was an inspiration to all and will be greatly missed by his family, friends and community.