



Timothy A. Polke

February 5, 1965 - January 2, 2023

Timothy Alan Polke born February 5, 1965 - died Monday Jan. 2nd, 2023 peacefully at home in Roselle, surrounded by family & close friends.

Preceded in death by his grandparents, Tim is survived by his wife Antoinette (née Fato), daughter Katherine Griggs (Matthew), Granddaughters - Emma & Abigail, step daughter Angelina Fato, father William Polke Sr & wife Carol, mother Carol Lee & husband Tommie, brother Bill Polke, sisters Lisa Becher & husband John, and Leah Marshall & husband Rob, and nieces and nephews; Robert, Melissa, Megan, Gil, Gregg, Cam, Jared, Dannica, Haylee, and Asher.

Tim was a dog lover and dedicated Cubs & Bears fan who bled orange and blue. He lived passionately, was a devoted husband and friend to many. He loved music, AC/DC, Van Halen, Ozzie Osborne, Kiss. He also loved life.

He worked as a Warehouse Technician at Abbey Medical/Apria Health Care for 23 years. He enjoyed hard work and took pride in his work. He would do anything to help others. He was a volunteer at Swoboda Deaf Center and was proud working as a caretaker

Tim loved to spend time with his best friend Ed Glennon when he wasn't with his wife and family. He was a true friend to us all and will be missed by many who loved him.

In lieu of flowers donations in honor of Timothy made to Swoboda Deaf Center are greatly appreciated.

www.swobodadeafcenter.org/donate

Facebook: Swoboda Deaf Center,

Mail: Swoboda Deaf Center, attn: Jose Roman, 7050 West Belmont Avenue,
Chicago, IL 60634

<https://www.facebook.com/SwobodaDeafCenter>

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 6. 3:00 PM - 9:00 PM (CT)

Schielka Addison Street Funeral Home
7710 West Addison Street
Chicago, IL 60634
(773) 625-3444

Lie in State

JAN 7. 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM (CT)

St Francis Borgia Deaf Center
8033 W Addison St
Chicago, IL 60634

Funeral Mass

JAN 7. 10:30 AM (CT)

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Committal Service

JAN 7 (CT)

Elmwood Cemetery and Mausoleum
2905 Thatcher Ave.
River Grove, IL 60171

Tribute Wall



“ *My Condolence and Sympathy for Tim Polke. I met him a long time ago. He is nice and fun man. Send my Prayer for his family and friends. I wish to come but. I have to work. Huggg ily (heart).* ”

Yvette M. Cotey - January 08, 2023 at 01:00 AM



“ *Our Condolence and Sympathy with Tim's wife and his Family. Our prayers goes with them Amen.* ”

Robert Holubik - January 06, 2023 at 05:32 PM



“ *Your loved one will be warmly remembered. We love and miss him. Rita & Walter Niesluchowski* ”

Walter Niesluchowski - January 06, 2023 at 10:49 AM



“ *Blue Caribbean Bouquet was purchased for the family of Timothy A. Polke.* ”



January 05, 2023 at 04:35 PM



“ *Be My Love Bouquet with Red Roses was purchased for the family of Timothy A. Polke.*



January 05, 2023 at 02:13 AM



“ *Blue Caribbean Bouquet was purchased for the family of Timothy A. Polke.*



January 04, 2023 at 01:48 PM



“ *I always enjoyed working with Timmy at Apria all those years. He used to get frustrated with all the things I bothered him about trying to find things in the Warehouse but he always knew the right place to look for what I needed. He liked to joke and brighten everyone's day -sending his beautiful family prayers and love. Thanks Timmy for the joy you brought my working days. You'll be missed.*

Maria Malak - January 04, 2023 at 09:16 AM



“ *I will miss you Dad, I love you so much*



Katherine Griggs - January 03, 2023 at 09:04 PM

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Tim was a nice guy. I enjoyed working with him. I do remember one day at the Elmhurst location when Tim was in his vehicle with the stereo full blast, I think it was Metallica. He said he could feel the beat. That's kinda cool Tim. You will be missed. My prayers for your family.

Mark Thoma - January 04, 2023 at 11:11 PM