



Michael W. Dietiker

August 12, 1948 - April 22, 2025

Michael Wayne Dietiker, 77, of Cape Girardeau, Missouri died Tuesday, April 22, 2025, at Mercy Hospital Southeast.

He was born August 12, 1948 in Cape Girardeau to John Dietiker, Sr. and Sarah Pippin.

Michael and Dorothy Ozment were married August 11, 1967, at New Hope Baptist Church in Cape Girardeau.

He was a family man first and foremost. He loved spending time traveling and taking vacations with his family, his favorite spot being Branson, MO. He enjoyed rodeos and hunting. Michael was interested and dabbled in photography when he was younger, even having a dark room at his house. His work ethic and dedication to his craft, lead to him being employed at Southeast Missouri State University for 20 plus years. That same dedication was evident in his involvement with the First Pentecostal Church. He will be dearly missed.

Survivors include his wife, Dorothy Dietiker; daughter, Sherry Dietiker; Son, Michael D. Dietiker; two brothers, Frank Dietiker and John Dietiker; two sisters, Janet Amelunke, and Betty Dietiker; two grandchildren, Caitlin Dietiker and Cooper Rodgers. He is also survived by his first great grandson, Isaac

Chiles.

He was preceded in death by his parents; son, Dwayne Allen Dietiker; three brothers, Rusty, Robert and Jim Dietiker; and sister, Shirley Hutchason.

Visitation will be 11:00 am to 12:00 pm on Wednesday, April 30, 2025 at Ford & Sons Mt. Auburn Chapel in Cape Girardeau.

Funeral Service will be at 12:00 pm Wednesday, April 30, 2025 at the funeral home with the Rev. Darrell Faire, Sr. officiating.

Burial will be at New Lorimier Cemetery in Cape Girardeau.

Memorial contributions may be given to American Cancer Society.

Online condolences may be made at www.fordandsonsfuneralhome.com.

Ford & Sons Funeral Home - Mt. Auburn is in charge of arrangements.

Cemetery Details

New Lorimer Cemetery

Cape Girardeau, MO 63701

Previous Events

Visitation

APR **30**. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

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1001 N. Mt. Auburn Rd.
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Tribute Wall

FB

“*Sorry for your loss. Prayers for the family and his friends. Worked with Mike many years ago. He did like photography. He was also a very nice guy to be around. He will be missed.. Fred. Bollinger*

Fred. Bollinger - May 01, 2025 at 11:16 AM

DC

“*I worked many years at Cottonwood and I so enjoyed seeing and talking with Mike almost daily. He was a kind person and I know that he'll be missed by many. My prayers and sympathy to his family. Dixie Crites*

Dixie Crites - April 29, 2025 at 05:23 PM

LA

Prayers and sympathy to his family.

Louise Armstrong - April 29, 2025 at 06:18 PM

TG

“*My deepest sympathy to Dorothy and the Dietiker family. I grew up with Mike and Dorothy and can still hear Mike's laugh at some joke he had to tell. Rest well Mike.*

Trudy Weaver Garland - April 29, 2025 at 04:23 PM

ME

“*I send my deepest sympathy and prayers to the family. Mike was a dedicated person to his family and his work. He was always kind and respectful to all.*

Marylène Elliott - April 28, 2025 at 08:09 PM

