



John Paul Rone

February 28, 2017

Rone, John Paul, 46, passed Tuesday, February 28, 2017, surrounded by loving friends and family. He was a loyal and happy employee of Logan Teleflex, and enjoyed all of the great people that worked there. He loved going to Rough River with his boat, and watching UK games. John was preceded in death by his father, Gerald Rone; and grandfather, Buster Rone. John is survived by his grandmother, June Rone; his parents, Sandy and George Downs; his loving partner of 12 years, Kim Grassman; three sons, Gerald (Desiree), Trenton, and Matthew Rone; a brother, Tommy Downs (Susan) and little Fiona; four sisters, Autumn Warren (Rich), Jeana Stutzenberger, Marcie Rone; and Courtney Downs; a grandchild, Skylar; an uncle, Jim McClellan (Robyn); a great Aunt, Barbara Pait; a great uncle, Tom Filben (Barbara); he also has what he considered step-children, Tyler and Erica Grassman (Lawrence), and little Lauren. He had many loving and supportive friends and relatives during his three month fight with cancer. Funeral services will be Monday at 12:00PM at Owen Funeral Home, 5317 Dixie Highway; burial is in Louisville Memorial Gardens, West. Visitation is Sunday 2:00-8:00 PM. Expressions of Sympathy may be made in his memory to Gilda's Club.

Tribute Wall

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“ Dear John, it is hard to believe you are gone. You will not sneak in on me and rub my shoulders again. I remember when you asked if you could keep your boat here and asked me how much I would charge you. I laughing said; "Oh, I think a hamburger should do it." You showed up some time later with a CHEESE burger. I ate it. About a month later you again showed up with another CHEESE burger. I ate that one also. Well John, I have kept quiet long enough. I DO NOT LIKE CHEESE on my hamburgers! I should have told you. I thought you knew after all of the grilling we had done over the years. We never did get the triplets out on your boat. That's OK. I will tell them about you and how you loved them. Karina cried yesterday. She loved you so much. I always called you "my other son" you will always be that to me. You showed us love all of the time and we all benefited by your love, in turn, you were loved...I can say that as long as I am alive, your memory, your love and my love for you will always be. I love you...Connie

Connie` Coater - June 28, 2018 at 04:35 PM

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“ It's truly hard to hear about the loss of John. I will remember all the times we shared growing up and getting into trouble. You were a great friend and will be missed greatly. My condolences to the family and friends of a great man! Wish I could be there to show my respect to you and your family.

Christopher Nordmeyer - June 28, 2018 at 04:35 PM

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“ I'm so sorry for your loss. He will be missed at work. May God give you all peace and comfort in this trying time.

Donna dadisman - June 28, 2018 at 04:35 PM

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“ So sorry for your loss.

Karen Brown Williams - June 28, 2018 at 04:35 PM

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“ On behalf of the entire Education Service staff at Robley Rex VA Medical Center, I want to express our sincere sympathy for the entire family. Our thoughts are with you in this sad and difficult time.

Gail Sprigler - June 28, 2018 at 04:35 PM

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“ Words cannot begin to express the sadness that all of us at Logan Teleflex, Inc. feel at the loss of our wonderful co-worker & friend, John. He was as loyal & hard-working as they come. A beautiful spirit who always had a smile or joke to share. He will never be forgotten. His Logan family sends thoughts & prayers to all of John's family & friends at this difficult time. God bless all of you.

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