

Michael J. Kiffmeyer, 64
Sauk Rapids, MN
July 5, 1952 - July 17, 2016



Mass of Christian Burial was at 10:30 a.m. on Wednesday, July 20, 2016, at Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Sauk Rapids for Michael J. Kiffmeyer, age 64 who passed away Sunday, July 17 as his body gave way to cancer at Good Shepherd Lutheran Home in Sauk Rapids. Rev. Ralph Zimmerman officiated and entombment was at Sacred Heart Mausoleum in Sauk Rapids.

Michael John Kiffmeyer was born on July 5, 1952, in St. Cloud to Raymond and Mary Ann (Terwey) Kiffmeyer. He married Renee Skuza on April 20, 1972, in Waite Park and they later divorced in 1991. Michael grew up in Mayhew Lake on the family farm with his nine brothers and sisters. He worked as a brick layer for Lommel Construction for many years and was a member of the Bricklayers Union. He was very skilled at his craft. In his later years Michael be-

came a master gardener and had beautiful flower and vegetable gardens. He was also known for his wood-working skills, especially making bird houses and feeders. Michael enjoyed and was very proud of his grandchildren and loved spending time with family, eating, playing cards and visiting.

Survivors include his daughter and sons, Shannon (Jason) Adamski of Sauk Rapids, Chad (Karen) Kiffmeyer of Tinley Park, IL and Mitchell Kiffmeyer of St. Cloud; grandchildren, Madelyn, Paige, Lucinda and Owen; sisters and brothers, Joyce Steman of Minneapolis, Gerald (Georgie) of Osseo, Ken (Joanne) of Brooklyn Park, Ralph (Mary) of Big Lake, Karen (Richard) Schmitt of Clear Lake, John (Barb) of St. Cloud, Marvin (Chad Kaushagen) of St. Cloud; sisters-in-law, Becky Kiffmeyer of Crystal and Jan Kiffmeyer of Aitkin. He was preceded in death by his parents; brothers, Donald and Thomas; brother in law, Maynard Steman and godson, Michael Schmitt.