



## Michael R. Kirsch, Sr.

April 19, 1945 - May 14, 2007

Michael R. Kirsch Sr., 62, of Evansville, Indiana passed away Monday, May 14, 2007 at Deaconess Hospital due to complications of leukemia.

Mike is survived by his wife of 40 years, Susie; four children, Michael Kirsch Jr. and his wife Amy, David Kirsch and his wife Deborah, Deborah Record and her husband Tom, and Angela Strehl and her husband Eric; and 10 grandchildren. He is also survived by 6 brothers, Charles Kirsch Jr., Bernie Kirsch, Tom Kirsch, Joe Kirsch, Tony Kirsch, Bob Kirsch; 2 sisters, Elizabeth Tucker, Mary Kirsch, and many nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents Charles J. and Loyola (Wolf) Kirsch.

Mike was a retired plumber with Plumbers and Steamfitters Local 136, having been a member for 40 years. Mike was president of the Plumbers and Steamfitters Apprenticeship Committee for 15 years. He volunteered as a CPR Instructor for 28 years and also as an Instructor Trainer with the American Red Cross. He also volunteered as a greeter at Deaconess Hospital for 3 years. In Mike's younger years, he was a member of the Indiana National Guard. Mike graduated from Rex Mundi High School.

He was a member of Resurrection Catholic Church, the church choir and was inducted into the Brute Society. Mike enjoyed working outside, traveling, and

playing with his grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held at Resurrection Catholic Church at 10:00 A.M. Saturday, May 19, 2007. Burial will follow in St. Joseph Cemetery

Friends may visit with the family from 4:00 until 8:00 P.M. Thursday and 2:00 until 8:00 P.M. Friday at Pierre Funeral Home, 2601 W. Franklin Street and from 9:30 A.M. until service time Saturday at Resurrection Catholic Church.

A memorial service will be held at Pierre Funeral Home at 2:30 P.M. Friday by members of Resurrection Catholic Church.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Leukemia and Lymphoma Society, Resurrection Catholic Church, Little Sisters of the Poor, or American Red Cross–Safety Services.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAY 17. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Pierre Funeral Home  
2601 West Franklin Street  
Evansville, IN

## Visitation

MAY 18. 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Pierre Funeral Home  
2601 West Franklin Street  
Evansville, IN

## Visitation

MAY 19. 9:30 AM - 10:00 AM (CT)

Resurrection Catholic Church  
5301 New Harmony Road  
Evansville, IN

## Service

MAY 19. 10:00 AM (CT)

Resurrection Catholic Church  
5301 New Harmony Road  
Evansville, IN

# Tribute Wall



“ *Michael R. Kirsch, Sr.*

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January 16, 2023 at 06:53 PM



“ *Kirsch Family,*  
*I was very sorry to hear about Mike. I often think about the "Youth Group" days and the fun that we had. Susie, you and Mike did a wonderful job volunteering your time and leading this group. You are all in our thoughts and prayers. Scott & Mindy McDurmon##imported-begin##Scott & Mindy McDurmon##imported-end##*

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May 22, 2007 at 01:13 PM



“ *To the Kirsch Family,*

*May you discover comfort with your wonderful memories and with your numerous Deaconess friends and supporters. We at Deaconess are thinking of you throughout this most difficult time of grief and sorrow.##imported-begin##Linda E. White##imported-end##*

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May 21, 2007 at 09:46 AM



“ You're all in my prayers...It's a hard thing to lose such a special person. Mike was definitely a man of great strength, character and integrity and raised his children to be the same way. Susie, Mary, Mike Jr, David, Deb and Angie-You all hold a special place in my heart and I'll keep you in my prayers during this difficult time.  
Julia###imported-begin##Julia Schapker-Lothamer###imported-end##

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May 19, 2007 at 10:43 AM



“ I sorry to hear that Mike died. I am not able to attend the funeral because I am working in Atlanta, Georgia. Susan, Angie, Debbie, Mike jr., and David I will pray for your families.  
Chris and Audra Brown###imported-begin##Chris Brown###imported-end##

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May 19, 2007 at 09:51 AM



“ Our thoughts and prayers are with the family during this sorrowful time. Rely on them for support and comfort. We did not know Michael but Joe is our brother-in-law and if he anything like Joe, we know he was a wonderful husband, dad and friend.

Beth Kirsch is Gloria's sister.###imported-begin##Gerry and Gloria Rexing###imported-end##

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May 17, 2007 at 09:15 PM



“ We are so sorry for your loss. Our prayers and sympathy go out to all of you.###imported-begin##Chuck & Diana Petranek###imported-end##

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May 17, 2007 at 06:51 AM



“ Mary & family my deepest condolences for your loss. I know how close your family was because of the stories Mary would tell of your times together. May your memories of Mike keep you strong. He is with God now and the memories of your times together will keep you strong. God Bless and keep you all. Dawn###imported-begin###Dawn Gregory###imported-end##

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May 16, 2007 at 11:54 AM



“ My prayers are with the entire family. Mike was bigger influence on my career and live than he evey knew. He touched many lives through the apprenticeship program and all of his volunteer work. He will be missed by all.###imported-begin###Mike Falkenstein###imported-end##

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May 16, 2007 at 09:39 AM



“ To the Kirsch Family ~

*You are in our thought and prayers. With our deepest sympathy to all of you.*

*Our love,  
The Schaefer family###imported-begin###Pam Schaefer###imported-end##*

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May 15, 2007 at 08:49 PM