



Ohlrich Allan

September 4, 2012

Allan D. Ohlrich entered the Church Triumphant on the morning of Tuesday, September 4, 2012. At the time of his passing, he was hospitalized at Cleveland Metro Health Center, Cleveland Ohio. He was 55 years old. Born on August 26, 1957 in Defiance Ohio, Allan was the firstborn of the five children of Raymond and Luella (Junge) Ohlrich. He was baptized as a child of God on September 14, 1957 at Hope Lutheran Church, Hamler Ohio, and was confirmed in the faith on April 4, 1971. He graduated from Patrick Henry High School in 1975. As a youth, he attended Hamler School and was active in Boy Scouts. A special highlight of those years was that of attending Philmont Scout Ranch in Cimarron, New Mexico. He had the privilege of making the trek once again to Philmont with his sons when they too were active in Boy Scouts. He married Bonnie Kay Oberhaus on November 30, 1979 at St Paul's Lutheran Church, Napoleon Township, Napoleon Ohio. God blessed their union with the birth of three children, Emily Ann, Timothy Allan, and Michael Allan. He was a loving and devoted husband and father. An active member of St. Paul's, Allan was currently serving as a Trustee. Allan was a Henry County Sheriff's Deputy for 26 years, retiring in April 2011. He served as an advisor for several years for the Henry County Sheriff's Special Deputies and was instrumental in starting the Henry County Law Enforcement Academy. He was currently serving as the Deputy Commander of the Henry County Northwest State Community College Law Enforcement Academy. He owned and operated a seamless eavestroughing business for 30 plus years.

He also raised pheasants and operated a pheasant hunting preserve. If you see a pheasant strutting around Henry County, it is most likely one that he raised. He enjoyed hunting and fishing, and spending time with family and friends. He is survived by his loving wife of 32 years, Bonnie; his daughter Emily and her fiancée Brent Gerken (Napoleon); his sons, Timothy (Liberty Center) and Michael (Paulding); his parents Ray and Luella Ohlrich (Hamler); two sisters: Linda Campbell and her husband Bill (Toledo), and Darlene Hoffman and her husband, Andrew (Holgate); a brother, David Ohlrich (Hamler); nieces and nephews, other relatives, and many friends. He was welcomed home by his Lord and Savior and reunited with his precious little one, an infant sister Cheryl, and his grandparents, Arthur and Martha Ohlrich, and Carl and Minna Junge. Visitation will be held on Saturday, September 8 from 2-8 at Rodenberger Funeral Home, Napoleon and on Sunday one hour prior to the funeral service. Services will be held at St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Napoleon Township at 3:00p.m. on Sunday September 9 with Rev. Dr. Franklin Hays and Pastor Dean Stoner officiating. Memorials may be given to St. Paul's Lutheran Church Memorial Fund or the Allan D. Ohlrich Scholarship Fund (Law Enforcement Academy Scholarship) through Northwest State Community College Foundation.

Tribute Wall



“ To the Ohlrich Family, We would like to express our deepest sympathies to your family. My husband and brother in law went on many pheasant hunting trips over the years and also took my son on his 1st hunting trip. They all have many wonderful memories. We are sorry to not have attended the service but only found out about Allan's passing on Monday, Sept 10 and we were too late. My husband worked with Rich Long and that was how he came to know Allan. Again we are all so very sorry and will keep your family in our prayers. The Carman family.##imported-begin##Tracy Carman##imported-end##

September 10, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ My deepest sympathies for your loss. I knew Deputy Ohlrich from the Law Enforcement Academy at Northwest State Community College. Sincerely, Chris Taylor##imported-begin##Chris Taylor##imported-end##

September 09, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ Bonnie and family, No one can say that you haven't been through a great hardship. But we know that God is faithful and even through the rough times, He is there to comfort and to love. I am so sorry Irv and I cannot be with you for the celebration of Allan's life. But know that all of you are in our thoughts and prayers. Much love to our sister in Christ and her family. Irv and Audrey Stapf##imported-begin##Audrey Stapf##imported-end##

September 09, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ Bonnie, Emily, Tim and Michael May God guide and protect you with his love and grant you inner peace during this very difficult time. Mike and Lynn##imported-begin##Mike And Lynn Thourot##imported-end##

September 09, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ ##imported-begin##Matthew Roesel##imported-end##

September 09, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ Rest in peace my brother... your watch is over... a job well done. Thoughts and prayers go out to the entire family.##imported-begin##Sgt. (ret.) Al Alvord##imported-end##

September 08, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ Our sympathies to you Bonnie, Emily, Michael and Timothy..you have many fond memories of your father that you can hold close to you during this difficult time. He loved you all very much and will be with you in spirit.##imported-begin##Rita And Neal Carter##imported-end##

September 08, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ On behalf of the Criminal Justice Division at Northwest State Community College I would like to pass on my condolences to the Ohlrich family. Allan was a friend and a great leader for our Police Academy. He touched a lot of lives.##imported-begin##Andrew Kozal##imported-end##

September 08, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ We are deeply saddened by the news of Allan's passing and offer our heartfelt sympathy to his family and friends. Our thoughts and prayers are with you all at this difficult time.##imported-begin##Anthony & Michele Lowe##imported-end##

September 07, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ My thoughts and prayers go out to his family. Allan was a wonderful Man that will never be forgotten. We will miss him dearly.##imported-begin##Sandra Conrad##imported-end##

September 06, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ Dear Bonnie and Family, I was truly shocked to hear of Allen's passing from Kori. I am heartsick for you and the family as we have lost a very wonderful, loving ,dedicated and respected man in Henry County. I shall always remember the kind things he did for me, and his good natured spirit. May all of the fond and beautiful memories sustain you through this time of sorrow. Just know I am thinking of you and wishing I were in the area for the visitation, and give you a hug. May God's grace and love always be with you and yours. Allen will be soarly missed by many.Fondly, Jo Lyn Nye##imported-begin##Jo Lyn Nye##imported-end##

September 06, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ We will miss you not being in Wyoming for the fly fishing. God Bless You.Phil and Tammy Martin##imported-begin##Phil Martin##imported-end##

September 06, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ Bonnie, Our prayers are with you and your family. Rest in God's reassurance of peace for Allan. God be with you during this difficult time. Susan (Oberhaus) Jackemeyer and family##imported-begin##Susan Jackemeyer##imported-end##

September 06, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ Allan you will be so dearly missed! Condolinces and prayers to the family!##imported-begin##Doug Helmke##imported-end##

September 06, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ Emily & Ohlrich family, I am so sorry for the loss of your father. Thinking of you & praying for comfort. God's blessings to you all.##imported-begin##Sarah Sweet##imported-end##

September 06, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ Will never forget all the good times we had together. Liberty Center has lost a great man##imported-begin##Jerry-vickie Spiess##imported-end##

September 05, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ Our thoughts and prayers are with your whole family.##imported-begin##Kathy & Steve Lieb##imported-end##

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