## Randall W. Bickel(1949 - 2016)



Randall W. "Randy" Bickel 1949-2016

67, of Massillon, passed away unexpectedly on Tuesday morning, Oct. 25, 2016. Born in Massillon, June 26, 1949, to the late Delmar E. "Pete" and Donna Mae (Rink) Bickel. Randy graduated from Tuslaw High School with the Class of 1967. An honorably discharged Veteran with six years of service in the U.S. Naval Reserve. Randy was the owner of the former Souper Bowl restaurant at Amherst Shopping Center and managed the Elks Club BPOE 441 in Massillon. He retired from EMSCO in 2011, where he had served as a Chairman of the Piedmont Chapter of The American Foundry Society. An active and faithful

member of Central Presbyterian Church in Massillon, he served the ministry of outreach by preparing meals for the "Need a Lunch" program, since its inception 20 years ago. His passion was cooking but he also loved to travel and play golf. He was a friend to all he met and his passion for life extended well beyond his immediate family. Stories and jokes will live on forever in the hearts and minds of all who knew him.

Randy is survived by his wife of 46 years, Charlene A. (Brediger) Bickel; and their sons, Brian (Anna Luxenburg) and Chad (Michelle Sales), all of Massillon; grandchildren; Matthew, Camrynn and Morgan – of whom he was so very proud; sister, Cathy Jo (Chris) Evans, of Massillon; and brothers, Blair M. (Carole) Bickel, of Columbus and Bruce E. (Janet) Bickel, of Massillon; and his mother- and father-in-law, Kenneth (Jean) Brediger, of Brewster.

A memorial service celebrating the life of Randy Bickel will be held at 11:00 a.m. Friday morning, Oct. 28, 2016, at Central Presbyterian Church in Massillon. Rev. Larry Lalama will officiate. There will be no calling hours. In lieu of flowers the family sincerely encourages memorial contributions made in care of the "Need a Lunch" program at Central Presbyterian Church, 47 – 2nd Street N.E., Massillon, Ohio 44646. Arrangements have been entrusted to Atkinson Feucht Hare Funeral Home of Massillon. To sign our on-line guestbook, please visit:

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