



Michael T. Mahan

October 4, 1957 - October 25, 2025

We regretfully announce the passing of Michael Timothy Mahan, age 68. He was the son of the late Frank and Jean Mahan, brother to Martha, Nancy, and Pete, father to Michael Lee, uncle to Tyler, Amy, Peyton and great uncle to Zhora and Johnnie. He was born an Air Force brat in Wiesbaden, Germany on 10/04/1957, passing away from a long battle with COPD on 10/25/2025. Mike was no stranger to anyone, having many friends, always enjoying having a good time. He grew up in Germany, camping all over Europe in a pop-up camper and Volkswagen van. Got to see the Berlin Wall, learned to ski in Germany, Austria and skiing off a train in the Swiss Alps. Mike also went to a bull fight with dad in Madrid. We got our first German Shepherd in Germany and came over from Europe on a ship with Heidi and a VW bug. We lived in Massachusetts and got to go on Air Force One when JFK was president, stealing the matchbooks and gum off the tables. While living in Texas we visited our grandparents and went to the Ft. Worth Stock Show and then we moved on to California where Mike played baseball as a left-handed pitcher for the State little league championship. When dad retired from the Air Force, we all thought we were heading to Fort Worth, but dad made a trip to Muskogee to visit Dr Robert Brownell, who we knew in Germany. He came back from that trip and informed mom and us that we were moving to Oklahoma. Dad said he almost got divorced over that! Dad had planned on moving to Fort Gibson, but they could not find a house big enough for four kids, 2.5 horses and at that time, 3 full grown German shepherds. We first

lived on Haskell Blvd in a 3 bedroom house for a year. Mike enjoyed sneaking out and driving dad's VW. Then dad got the house and property on York street.

He enjoyed learning how to water ski and going to the lake with his brother and his friends. Mike took up guitar playing while in Muskogee and enjoyed late night jams at his house. He grew up first loving the Beatles, then the Rolling stone and John Prine.

Everyone enjoyed coming home for the holidays and stopping by to visit mom and dad. He graduated from Muskogee High school in 1975. Mike went on to OSU Okmulgee Tech to become a carpenter and then to NSU graduating in business. He worked for MPSI as a marketing consultant, traveling to major cities in the US. There are so many good times and memories involving Mike, he will be missed.

Mike is preceded in death by his grandparents, Pete and Sis Mahan of Panama, Oklahoma, Richard and Elgia Gaedke of Fort Worth, Texas and his parents, Frank and Jean Mahan of Muskogee. In lieu of flowers, please make a donation in honor of Mike.

The family will plan a service at a later date.

Tribute Wall

SL

“ I moved to Muskogee the same summer as Mike and his family. He had a gold Trail 70 Honda and we rode everyday that summer. He was actually the second person I met here. The first time he snuck that VW out, I had to drive as he couldn't drive a standard transmission. I think Frank found out because I hit the curb on Okmulgee and 17th and messed something up. Mike first turned me on to Black Sabbath and The James Gang. We would open his bedroom windows up and smoke cigarettes while listening to his albums. Frank never caught us doing that! Lol As of late we had talked of cruising around Tenkiller again in my car but things always seemed to get in our way. It's odd knowing he is gone, but I have many great memories of him. I am sorry he has gone on.

Steve Looper - November 04, 2025 at 10:40 PM

MM

I remember that, were you with him when he egged our house?

Martha Mahan - November 06, 2025 at 04:50 PM

BB

Mike to me was a trend setter of sorts, fun to be around him; especially enjoying watching the jam sessions he and our friends always had back in the day. And I'll never forget those Christmas to New Year's parties at Dr. Frank and Jean's home with all the friends and family. Good times. Never forget to remember them.

Barry Boren - November 12, 2025 at 01:24 PM

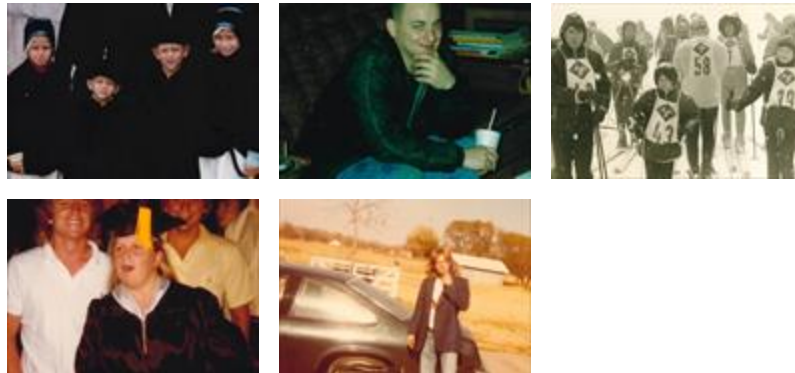
SL

I don't remember being involved in the egging but I think I knew about it. Lol

Steve Looper - May 19 at 09:07 PM



“ 17 files added to the album Memories Album



Cornerstone Funeral Home and Crematory - November 04, 2025 at 12:42 PM

SS

“ Prayers for all of you. Just want you to know ME and Beth had the biggest crush on Mike, he was so so cool and never knew, way back in the 70's. Rest in peace Mike



Sarah Seward - November 04, 2025 at 12:15 AM

MM

Yes, he was a chick magnet!!

Martha Mahan - November 06, 2025 at 04:51 PM

BW

“ Beth Seward Warwick lit a candle in memory of Michael Mahan



Beth Seward Warwick - November 03, 2025 at 01:14 PM

BW

*I shared under one of Mikes Pics but will share here as well. I knew Mike back in the 70's, he was so good looking full of life always having great time...
Wonder wonder did Mike make the secret wall???
RIP Mike you will be missed❤️*

Beth warwick - November 06, 2025 at 12:24 PM



“ *Fly high and rest in paradise friend.*



Diane Kivisto - November 02, 2025 at 10:45 AM

MS

“ *Fly high with the Angels*



Michelle S Stamper - November 01, 2025 at 12:07 AM

CK

“ *I had a lot of fun times with Mike, spending 2 years riding together at Tech in Okmulgee. Happy hour at the Mahans on Fridays with Frank. Most of all just being friends. You are finally at peace, it was a great journey. Charles Kosko*

Charles Kosko - October 31, 2025 at 11:02 AM

MM

Thanks Kosko!

Martha Mahan - November 06, 2025 at 04:54 PM

TM

“ *Tammy Martin lit a candle in memory of Michael Mahan*



Tammy Martin - October 31, 2025 at 08:02 AM

DW

“ *Dana Wheeler lit a candle in memory of Michael Mahan*



Dana Wheeler - October 30, 2025 at 01:04 PM

JW

“ *My friend. My brother. A teacher. A conversationalist. A debater (we had some good ones!). Bandmate. Thanks for all of the great memories of nearly 50 years. God Speed.*

Johnny Winkle - October 30, 2025 at 11:56 AM

MM

Thanks, Johnny, for all your support for our family. Can not believe it has been 50 years!!

Martha Mahan - November 06, 2025 at 04:54 PM

MM

“ *Martha Mahan lit a candle in memory of Michael Mahan*



Martha Mahan - October 30, 2025 at 11:27 AM

SL

Martha, will there be no service?

Steve Looper - October 30, 2025 at 04:18 PM

ND

“ *I am so grateful to have been able to get to know you over the last two years. I am so glad my work allowed us to meet. It will be difficult to go to work knowing you aren't there. Rest in peace, cuz. I love you.*

Nancy Dean - October 29, 2025 at 09:41 PM

MM

Thank you, Nancy, you are really like family, cuz!

Martha Mahan - November 06, 2025 at 04:55 PM



“ 7 files added to the album Memories Album



Cornerstone Funeral Home and Crematory - October 29, 2025 at 06:19 PM

SC

I feel so grateful for having Mike has a close friend, he was very special friend for the past decade. He was always there when I needed help. We had some fun times. I could sit for hours listening to his stories and his rock n roll collection was amazing. He was one in a million and greatly missed. RIP MY DEAREST FRIEND.

Sheila Reese Czarniak - October 30, 2025 at 10:25 PM