



Edward E. Pickett Jr.

October 8, 2020

Edward E. Pickett Jr., age 63, of Penn Hills, passed away on Thursday, October 8, 2020. He was born on December 18, 1956 in Wilkes Barre, PA to Joan (Washick) Pickett and the late Edward E. Pickett Sr. Edward graduated from GAR High School in 1974 and was an avid Steelers fan. He graduated from Penn State University with a degree in Psychology and earned his Master's degree in Psychology from Indiana University of PA. He spent some years as a counselor at group homes. He was the owner of Edwards Landscaping In Indiana, PA. for over 30 years. Along with his mother, he is survived by his sisters, Tina McKeown and Sharon Balz and a brother, Kyle Pickett (the late Carol); four nephews, two nieces and one great niece and one great nephew; also survived by his best and lifelong friend, Kevin Farren, and his dog Bella. Service and interment will be private.

Tribute Wall

JC

“ My name is John Cafaro,i own Cafaro Contracting. I was friends with ed from 2007,until he passed. I backed him up in Indiana,when he couldn't keep up. Also when he fired Olton,i had people covering my work,and i went with ed to catch him up on his lawns. He was a very nice guy. He always made me laugh so hard.Putt Real Estate hired me when ed couldn't take no more work. ed and wally putt were key in setting up shop in Indiana. Helping me store equipment up there,and finding 3 guys that lived in Indiana to run my crew up there.I will be forever grateful to him. I will miss that smile.
R.I.P.,AND GOD BLESS!

John Cafaro,Cafaro Contracting. - July 12, 2024 at 03:43 PM

JC

He mentioned all of you to me from time to time. Ed and i were very close. When i helped him sometimes on certain days.I would leave my other truck behind in Swissvale where i grew up,and take 2 buses to Penn Hills. And get off at the Shopping Center on Frankstown Rd. And i waited at the top of his hill. And he would pick me up and head out to Indiana. He trated me very well. So if i was with him,and he asked if i could work the next. I did not hesitate. I would get right on the cell phone,and change my schedule around,and many doctors appointments. I would really like to hear from you Tina, because i just found out he passed. Stoney,Olton,or ed's neighbor Bob(who is an old Friend of mine) never called me.

John Cafaro,Cafaro Contracting. - July 15, 2024 at 02:42 AM

JC

Tina,Sharon,or T.J. Please call me.Ed talked about you alot. I remember him telling me about your Family living and growing up in Wilks Barre,and that your Father was a fireman there. Could one of you please give me a call. I just found out Ed passed away. Stoney,olton,or Ed's neighbor Bob(an old Friend of mine from the 70's)never called me to tell me that Ed passed.

John Cafaro,Cafaro Contracting. - July 15, 2024 at 05:05 AM



“ A sympathy card was purchased for the family of Edward E. Pickett Jr..



October 22, 2020 at 08:03 PM



“ Glenn Fuller lit a candle in memory of Edward E. Pickett Jr.



Glenn Fuller - October 11, 2020 at 02:40 PM



“ Ed was a peaceful soul. I've always enjoyed his company. Rest In Peace my friend. You will be fondly remembered.

Lara Lampenfield - October 11, 2020 at 02:39 PM



Ed was a trustworthy and humble person. He was always pleasant and had a quick smile. I wish him peace and happiness in his new world.

Terry Ray - October 15, 2020 at 12:44 PM



Ed was a special guy and good friend. He worked hard for many years for our family business. He was a dedicated and loyal employee. Our conversations, though few after he left town, were always pleasant and enjoyable. I would call on his birthday and he was always appreciative. I loved working with him. You couldn't ask for a more loving and honest person. May you rest in peace Ed. Until we meet again. Laurie Lubold

Laurie Lubold - October 22, 2020 at 07:37 PM



I was shocked to hear the sad news of Ed's passing, which I just learned from IUP Magazine. Ed and I were friends and roommates in graduate school. He was a fine man and a good person, and I have fond memories of our friendship.

Robert Van Dame - March 19, 2021 at 12:53 PM