



## Mr. George G. Karapanos of McHenry

June 19, 1971 - November 4, 2021

George G. Karapanos, 50, of McHenry, Illinois; passed away on November 4, 2021. George was the loving husband of Melissa A. (nee Dodaro), affectionate and devoted father of Nikolas, Christian and Gianna; loving son of Kosta and the late Clara (nee Legones); fond son in-law of Rocco (Eileen) Dodaro and brother in-law of Kimm Dodaro and Jennifer (Todd) Sauer; the loving uncle of Rocco, Santino and Mattea Sauer as well as a kind and dear nephew, cousin and friend to many.

Visitation will be Monday, November 15, 2021 from 3:00 to 8:00 P.M. at Morizzo Funeral Home and Cremation Services, 2550 West Hassell Road, (Northeast corner at Barrington Road), Hoffman Estates, Illinois 60169; and Tuesday, November 16, 2021 from 10 A.M. until time of prayers at 10:30 A.M. proceeding to St. Nectarios Greek Orthodox Church, 133 S. Roselle Rd. Palatine, IL 60067 for a 11:30 A.M. service. Interment to follow at St. Michael the Archangel Cemetery, Palatine, Illinois. In lieu of flowers, donations may be directed to the family.

The family has created this Life Tributes page to make it easy to share your memories, photos, and videos. For further information please contact the Morizzo Funeral Directors at 847.752.6444.

Arrangements entrusted to Morizzo Funeral Home and Cremation Services,

2550 West Hassell Road, (Northeast corner at Barrington Road), Hoffman Estates, Illinois 60169.

\*\*Due to COVID-19 pandemic: Please note that all visitors are required to wear a mask when entering the funeral home\*\*

# Cemetery Details

## St. Michael the Archangel Catholic Cemetery in Palatine

1185 West Algonquin Road  
Palatine, IL 60067  
(847) 397-3284  
<http://www.catholiccemeterieschicago.org/locations.php?cem=38>

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV 15. 3:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Morizzo Family Funeral Home, Cremation Services, and Cemetery Memorials  
2550 Hassell Road  
Hoffman Estates, IL 60169  
(847) 752-6444  
[ross@morizzofuneralhome.com](mailto:ross@morizzofuneralhome.com)  
<https://www.morizzofuneralhome.com>

## Final Viewing and Prayers

NOV 16. 10:00 AM - 10:30 AM (CT)

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## Funeral Service

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NOV **16**. 11:30 AM (CT)

St. Nectarios Greek Orthodox Church  
133 S. Roselle Road  
Palatine, IL 60067

# Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. George G. Karapanos of McHenry*

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November 04, 2022 at 06:54 PM

ME

“ Hello, this is Attorney Mike Edmunds and I am an old friend of George's. George and I attended Holmes Jr. High School from 1982-85 and were best friends. We had the same nickname for each other "Mo." We both played a lot of golf and we spent the night at each other's houses all the time. I especially loved spending time with George's parents because they were so sweet and loving, but when they fought each other they would yell in the Greek language.

After junior high, George went to Fairview and I went to Rolling Meadows. He was so upset when Fairview closed and he was forced to go to Meadows. We were on the golf team together and really enjoyed the competition. George had a terrible slice, but he made it work to his advantage on doglegs!

After high school, I went to Illinois State and graduated from Univ of Ill - Urbana. George and I didn't really keep in touch after I left Illinois and finished law school in Atlanta, GA where I currently live.

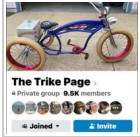
After several years of not keeping in touch, my sister, Kim, told me George was at Northwest Community Hospital expecting the birth of your first child. My sister worked at that hospital in the department that created birth certificates and completed paperwork on newborns. I was so happy to hear that George was a father.

I wanted you to know that George was a great friend to me and a good person to everyone around him way back in the 80s. I am so saddened by the sudden loss of my old buddy, and I wish your family the very best.

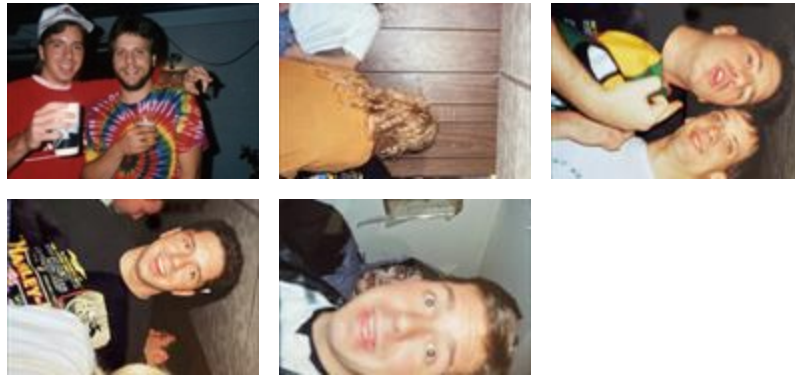
Mike

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Michael Edmunds - February 28, 2022 at 04:29 PM



“ 6 files added to the tribute wall



Roger Christenson - November 16, 2021 at 09:19 AM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Mr. George G. Karapanos of McHenry.



November 15, 2021 at 01:04 PM



“ 6 files added to the album Memories Album



Chris Williams - November 12, 2021 at 02:14 PM



“ *Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of Mr. George G. Karapanos of McHenry.*



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November 10, 2021 at 09:07 PM



“ *Aunt Joanne, Maria, and Paul. purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Mr. George G. Karapanos of McHenry.*



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**Aunt Joanne, Maria, and Paul.** - November 10, 2021 at 10:02 AM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Mr. George G. Karapanos of McHenry.*



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November 09, 2021 at 06:59 PM