



## Mark A. Matisak

May 5, 1972 - January 6, 2014

Mark A. Matisak, 41 died Monday January 6, 2014 at St. Peter's University Medical Center in New Brunswick, NJ with his loving family by his side. He was born in Somerville, NJ the son of Irene and the late Francis Matisak. He was a lifelong resident of Manville, NJ. Mark worked for the Bridgewater Board of Education as the head custodian for many years and he most recently worked for the Bedminster Board of Education as the custodian supervisor. He was a member of the Manville-Hillsborough Elks 2119 where he held the position of Lead Knight. Mark was a past Commissioner of the Manville Youth Athletic League (MYAL). He was also an avid NASCAR and football fan. Mark was loved by his family and friends and will be sadly missed. He was predeceased by his father Francis Matisak in 2009. Mark is survived by his wife Laura A. Matisak of Manville, NJ, his mother Irene Matisak of Manville, NJ, his daughter Veronica Matisak of Manville, NJ, his son Jared Matisak of Manville, NJ and his step-son Marc Hagin of Manville, NJ, his sister Sharon Monto and her husband Robert of Manville, NJ and his brothers Rick Matisak and his wife Kathy of Washington Boro, NJ and Joseph Matisak and his wife Paula of Green Brook, NJ. He is also survived by nieces and nephews Natasha, Christopher, Justin, Brandon, Alec, Jason, Joshua, Karyl Ann, George, Tyler, Gage and Lilly. The viewing will be on Thursday January 9, 2014 from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 PM at the Ketusky Funeral Home, 1310 Brooks Blvd., Manville, NJ. (908)575-8512. The funeral will be on Friday January 10, 2014 8:15 AM from the Ketusky Funeral Home followed by a 9:00

AM Mass at Christ The King Roman Catholic Church in Manville, NJ. Burial will follow at Sacred Heart Cemetery in Hillsborough, NJ. Donations may be made in his memory to: Manville-Hillsborough Elks 2119, 1500 Brooks Blvd., Hillsborough, NJ 08844. For additional information please visit our website at [www.ketusky.com](http://www.ketusky.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Sacred Heart Cemetery

1096 Millstone River Road  
Hillsborough, NJ

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 9. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

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## Visitation

JAN 9. 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

SH

“ *Shar lit a candle in memory of Mark A. Matisak*



Shar - February 05, 2014 at 03:28 PM

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“ *Shar lit a candle in memory of Mark A. Matisak*



Shar - January 30, 2014 at 02:15 PM

MT

“ *My deepest sympathy to the Matisak family during this difficult time. Always remember memories live a lifetime.*

Margaret Thomas - January 09, 2014 at 08:08 PM

 CJ  
Matisak

“ *CJ Matisak lit a candle in memory of Mark A. Matisak*



CJ Matisak - January 09, 2014 at 08:33 AM

DR

*DEAR MARK, I DIDNOT KNOW YOU WELL, I WISH I DID. BUT I KNOW YOUR WIFE LAURA, AND I KNOW FOR SURE YOU MUST HAVE BEEN A WONDERFUL PERSON, BECAUSE SHE LOVE YOU SOOOO MUCH. REST IN PEACE IN THE LOVING ARMS OF GOD!*

**DEBRA RAMRATTAN** - January 09, 2014 at 07:25 PM

CJ  
Matisak

“ 1 file added to the album *New Album Name*



**CJ Matisak** - January 09, 2014 at 08:33 AM



*The happiest day of my ligr. The day we became husband and wife. I love you*

**Laura Matisak** - January 09, 2014 at 08:41 AM

KW

“ *Mark, you are truly my Best Friend, more so my brother. No day was complete unless we spoke, nor will anymore to come. Cherish memories, laughs and time we had together will stay close to my heart forever. Love you now and forever. Until we meet again my friend. Karl*

**karl wiedwald** - January 09, 2014 at 05:26 AM



“ *Sacred Cross Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mark A. Matisak.*



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January 08, 2014 at 08:29 AM



“ *With deepest sympathy to the Matisak family. May Mark rest in peace. You're in our thoughts and prayers. May God bless you....*  
*Claire Phillips*

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**Claire Phillips** - January 08, 2014 at 05:53 AM



“ *Your story has not ended but a new chapter has been started. Your story will be told over many times by family, friends and loved ones. Memories help add the pictures of your story and the good Lord knows there are many. Our deepest condolences to Laura, Jared, Ronnie and the Matisak family for their great loss. His memory will remain alive by all who knew him. God Bless---Dan, Brenda, Victoria and Daniel Bickar*



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**Brenda Bickar** - January 07, 2014 at 09:15 PM



“ *Thoughts and prayers for Marks family.*

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**Christine Homicki** - January 07, 2014 at 09:10 PM

SS

“ *Such fun memories of growing up in the neighborhood. Rest in peace. Blessings and prayers to the Matisak family. Susan Day Schilp & family*

Susan Schilp - January 07, 2014 at 08:24 PM

CB

“ *Very Sad to hear about your passing! You were always a great guy!!! Rest In Peace my friend. The Matisak family, I am so so sorry for your loss. Craig Buchman*



Craig Buchman - January 07, 2014 at 08:05 PM

JK

“ *Mark,  
I was very sadden by the news of your passing. We haven't seen each other in quite sometime obviously, but I will never forget all the great and wonderful times we shared. You were a kind and gentle soul and you will never be forgotten. Thanks for the memories.  
Keep on smiling!  
Love you, Jen Kosiba "Latsko"  
The Matisak family,  
I am truly sorry for your loss.*

jennifer kpsiba - January 07, 2014 at 07:28 PM



“ *Secret Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Mark A. Matisak.*



January 07, 2014 at 05:49 PM

MH

“ I would like to say to Marks family I am so sorry for your loss. Mark was always very kind and gentle and will be deeply missed. My thoughts and prayers go out to you all.

Michelle (Toth) Harmon - January 07, 2014 at 04:31 PM

MH

“ I would like to say to Marks family I am so sorry for your loss. Mark was always very kind and gentle and will be deeply missed. My thoughts and prayers go out to you all.

Michelle (Toth) Harmon - January 07, 2014 at 04:31 PM

VM

“ Veronica Matisak lit a candle in memory of Mark A. Matisak



Veronica Matisak - January 07, 2014 at 04:07 PM

VM

“Dad,  
*This is a girl's first love, the one that will always be in her heart as the first man that she ever loved. Her king and the one that she can always count on no matter what. A love that can never be torn apart no matter how hard you try. I will always be daddy's little girl no matter how old I get. We've been through a lot and we are still close and no one can break the bond that we have. Now that I'm older, I have a better idea of everything you did for me when I was growing up. You worked so hard to make sure I was happy and healthy and had everything I needed... I don't think I'll ever be able to thank you enough for all you've done for me, but, today and always, please know how truly grateful I am. I love you and couldn't ask for a better dad. For the next week or so I am going to be as strong as I can for you. "There's two things I know for sure: She was sent here from heaven and she's daddy's little girl." You are everything to me and I know we had our ups and downs but you still are and always will be my dad. I love you with all my heart. Love, Peanut*

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**Veronica Matisak** - January 07, 2014 at 12:47 PM

MP

“Please accept our most heartfelt sympathies for your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with the Matisak family during this difficult time. We pray the Love of God enfolds you during your journey through grief. May Mark Rest in Peace.

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**Mark Porchik** - January 07, 2014 at 12:37 PM

JM

“Mark was a sweet man and always smiling with kinds words for everyone. He was part of our Bradley Gardens Family. My deepest sympathies to his family and loved ones.

*Jen Minnichelli*

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**Jen Minnichelli** - January 07, 2014 at 10:33 AM

JE

“ Sorry to hear of your passing Mark..... May god give your family the strength to get through this with all the wonderful memories they have. God bless your children and god give them strength they need right now! Hard to believe a former classmate of mine is gone!! Rest in Peace Mark!

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**Jennifer** - January 07, 2014 at 09:39 AM

KB

“ I still can't believe you're gone. You will be deeply missed. My thoughts and prayers are with your family. Watch over them...they will need you always. Soar with the angels, Mmmaarrkkuuss. Love you

*Kim. Michael and Evan Bias*

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**kim bias** - January 07, 2014 at 08:57 AM

LM

“ Love you baby. I will always be your "chewy". I was blessed the day that I met you, and you continued to bless me with your presence the rest of our lives together, You made me the happiest woman in the world when you made me your wife in front of our family and friends. You will always be with me forever, I will never forget you love. I know am again blessed to be part of the family that you loved so much. Thank you my love. I miss you, and I will never be able to replace the void that is in my heart. Your smile and laugh is forever itched in my memory. I love you



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**Laura Matisak** - January 07, 2014 at 08:43 AM

LM

“ *Laura Matisak lit a candle in memory of Mark A. Matisak*



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**Laura Matisak** - January 07, 2014 at 08:34 AM

DK

“ *Rest in Peace, our dear friend. We will miss you so much. You fought so hard, but God won when he took you to Heaven. So glad we were able to make that trip to MB together. Our sympathy to Laura, your sweet wife and wonderful children, Ronnie and Jared and your loving family. Love, Deb (your ELK wife), Mike, Michael and Sammy*



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**Deb Knitowski** - January 07, 2014 at 06:01 AM