



Douglas Holden

July 16, 1965 - October 6, 2020

Douglas Alfred Holden aged 55 of Chesterfield, MO passed away October 6, 2020. Douglas was born on July 16, 1965 in Shelby Michigan, the youngest of three children born to Frederick Ervin Holden and Alfreida P. (Carr) Holden. Douglas Graduated from Mason County Central High School in 1983, and furthered his education at the Dayton, OH Institute of Photography and Technology, pursuing a degree in IT Project Management in 1985. He later returned to school at Lindenwood University and graduated with highest distinction, Summa Cum Laude in IT Project Management in 2013.

Doug made his home in St. Louis, MO where he would meet his wife Lillian. They married in May of 2008, surrounded by family in Scottville Michigan. Not only did Douglas gain a daughter in three-year-old Jessica DeMoor that he would consider his own, he also had the desire to have a child of his own which came true with the birth of their son Alexander Ervin Holden. Both children brought such joy to Doug as he enjoyed being a father to them both.

Doug was preceded in death by his father Frederick E. Holden, and his nephew Frederick M. Holden. Doug will be greatly missed by his wife Lillian Holden, their children Jessica DeMoor and Alexander Holden of Chesterfield MO; his mother Alfreida P. Holden of Scottville; his brother Frederick L. (Ashley) Holden of Scottville; his sister Deloris Stewart of Springfield VA; his nieces Kristina (Mike) Harmon of Muskegon, and Grace Stewart of Alexandria

VA, as well as several great nieces and a great nephew.

A graveside service will be held at 3:00 pm on Friday, October 16 at the Brookside Cemetery in Scottville. The family invites you to join them as they lay Douglas in his final resting place. Those who wish to remember Doug with a memorial donation are asked to make it to any cancer research program you wish in Doug's name.

Cemetery Details

Brookside Cemetery

950 W. State Street
Scottville, MI 49454

Previous Events

Graveside Service

OCT 16. 3:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

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“ Oh, my goodness. We did not know. Was looking for his address to send a Christmas card. We are so sorry. Doug worked for us, Kramer Photography, Etc. in Middletown, Ohio, back in the 1970s? and we lost track of him. Harold and Carolyn Kramer. We are retired now and still reside in Middletown. rhkramer@cinci.rr.com

Carolyn & Harold Kramer - November 23, 2025 at 11:39 AM

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“ Fare well Doug - see you on the other side - it was a privilege knowing and working with you - slow hand salute!
Menko Christoph

Menko Christoph - October 17, 2020 at 01:50 PM

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“ Doug and I were inseparable best friends at M.C.C.H.S. both in and out of High School. We worked together at Nichol's Drug Store, watched The Muppet Show at his Mom and Dad's and generally attempted to stay out of trouble. He was an awesome best friend and will be fondly remembered. Love you bud. Sincerely, John Fallon.

John Fallon - October 14, 2020 at 03:50 PM

PA

“ I worked at Nichols Drug Store from 1976-1984, I enjoyed working with Doug, alway a smile on his face, very pleasant young man! Always had fun when working with him!! My deepest sympathy to his mom & family!! Pat Taylor

PatTaylor - October 13, 2020 at 02:08 PM