



Michael Thomas Crappa III

October 23, 1936 - June 17, 2017

Michael Thomas Crappa III departed this earthly life on June 17, 2017. Michael was born October 23, 1936 in Los Angeles, California to Josephine Helen Roccaforte and Michael Thomas Crappa, Jr. A few years after Michael was born, he welcomed his sister Janice Marie Salvato (Ross) into his family.

In his younger years he enjoyed Gymnastics, Speed and Figure Skating. On April 28, 1956 he was married to Patricia Julia Hoevel. Michael and Patricia had five children, Robin Elaine Miller (Larry), Dana Michelle Hudrlik (Bill), Scott Michael Crappa (Mary), Todd Patrick Crappa (Ronda) and Patrick Michael Crappa (Debra). Michael was a grandfather of 22 and a great grandfather of 14. While raising his children Michael held many jobs, however he always seemed to be pulled back to sports and worked many years as a sports official for Basketball, Baseball, Softball, Volleyball and Water Polo. Michael and Patricia lived in Southern California and Oregon while raising their children. After they retired, they also lived in Colorado and most recently in Utah. Michael and Patricia were members of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints. Michael had a very hard exterior and was a challenge for many to get to know him, yet once you were able to get through that exterior, Michael could talk your ear off and he would do anything he could to help his friends.

Michael was preceded in death by his mother and father. Michael will be cremated and his ashes will be interred at the Toquerville, Utah Cemetery.

A memorial service will be held to celebrate the lives of Michael and Patricia Crappa when Patricia departs this earthly life.

Tribute Wall



“ *Michael Thomas Crappa III*

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“ *I had some great times together with Mike officiating volleyball matches and being life long friends with the Crappa family. Your family is in my thoughts and prayers.*

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