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Maas, Michael James SAN DIEGO — Michael James Maas of San Diego, CA passed away January 8, 2014. Michael was born November 5, 1959 in Quincy, IL to his late mother Charlene and father Richard who is currently living in Kearney, MO. Michael attended Quincy Notre Dame High School in Quincy, IL. After high school he attended Indiana University Bloomington and the University of Illinois Champaign where he excelled in law enforcement studies. Michael went on to obtain his Bachelor of Arts degree in Organizational Leadership from Chapman University California in 2007. In 1979, Michael completed Police academy training and join the Quincy Police Department where he served his hometown community with honor and dedication. Michael went on to pursue his law enforcement career in California and completed California Highway Patrol Academy training in 1982. For the next 29 years, Michael would excel in the CHP achieving numerous awards for his exemplary performance, dedication and service to his community. Michael's career as a CHP Officer began in San Francisco, then San Juan Capistrano, Malibu, and Public Affairs Officer Southern Division. As a CHP Sergeant, Michael served the communities of West Los Angeles, and El Cajon. Michael continued his service with honor to his community within the CHP. As a CHP Lieutenant he served the communities of Indio, Oceanside, Border Division, San Gorgonio and San Diego. He was loved by many and will be missed by all. Michael is survived by his partner Jesse Guerra; his father Richard Maas and his wife Joanie of Kearney, MO; stepbrother Shawn Russell of Elgin, South Carolina and countless members within the CHP, many community leaders and numerous friends. Funeral services will be held Tuesday, January 14th, 11 a.m. at the Immaculate San Diego Parish, 5988 Alcalá Park, San Diego, CA, located on the campus of University of San Diego. For those of you wishing to honor Michael in memory, the family has asked that you make a donation to:

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SR

Shari Ressel posted:

May your memory be a blessing.

March 7 at 5:00 PM

MM

Marty Martinez posted:

Mike, I have very fond memories our days at the CHP academy. You were one of the best greatest people I have ever met. May you rest in peace my friend.

February 4 at 5:00 PM

TH

Tia Hopkins posted:

Mike, I remember when you used to tease me mercilessly in grade school at good old St. Peter. What a fine person you grew up to be. So glad I knew you. Rest in peace.

January 17 at 5:00 PM

OO

Oblique Oblique posted:

Mike, I can still remember when you came to me and stated you were assigned as my Police partner at the Quincy P.D. You grew a lot in a short time, and I understood why you went to Ca to join the CHP. You touched a lot of lives along your journey so rest peacefully with your God. Jim Rost; Retired QPD

January 15 at 5:00 PM

OO

Oblique Oblique posted:

MikeYou have touched the lives of so many people. You have made me a better person and I will never forget you for how you helped me. You will always be loved and missed. Rest in peace .Debbie Claire

January 15 at 5:00 PM

CF

Catherine Frost posted:

Mike was one of the best men I ever met and had the pleasure to work with. He will be missed by so very many people!

January 14 at 5:00 PM



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OO

Oblique Oblique posted:

Mike Maas was truly a caring, compassionate and wonderful friend. The people of the State of California were fortunate to have Mike serving them during his long career.CW2 Mike Grogan, USAR

January 13 at 5:00 PM

EM

Edward Maghakian posted:

It is with great sadness that I send this but also with compassion to know your suffering has ended. You were a great man, leader, and friend. We will all miss you with great sadness. I know you are with the Great Master of The Universe and I will miss you very much. May your journey give you the answers you have always sought.

January 13 at 5:00 PM

RR

Rev. Henry Rodriguez posted:

Mike,Rest in the peace of the Risen Lord, Thank you for sharing your life journey and friendship and faith...Fr. Henry Rodriguez,SDPD Chaplain

January 13 at 5:00 PM

GL

Gary Lofgren posted:

Mike,You fought a long hard battle no one can say you didn't try! I will never forget all the fun times we have had since 1983, especially the father/son dinners with Rich and Mike Grogan. You have been the best friend anyone could ask for and I am proud to be your California Dad! Gary

January 9 at 5:00 PM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Michael by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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