



Michael E. Abner

August 7, 1963 - July 16, 2010

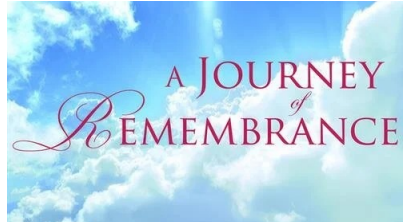
RICHMOND, Ind. - Michael E. Abner, age 46, of Richmond, died Friday, July 16, 2010, at Reid Hospital. Born August 7, 1963, in Richmond, to Robert Junior and Irene Abney Abner, he was a life-long resident of Richmond. Mike worked as an auto body technician at Abner Body Shop and worked at Rogers Pest Control. He was owner and operator of Yard Guard, working in landscaping and yard-care. He enjoyed gardening, canning, cooking, fishing, NASCAR (a huge Mark Martin fan), and spending time with his family and friends. Survivors include his wife, Sarah Ann 'Sally' Yount Abner; daughter, Amanda Brock (Shane) of Boston, Indiana; grandchildren, Ashley and Isaac Brock; mother, Irene Abner Barron; siblings, Mary Ann (James) Eversole of Hagerstown, Robert N. (Janet) Abner of Richmond, Oscar R. (Rhonda) Abner of Richmond, Andy W. Abner of Richmond, Lisa (Tommy) White of Richmond, Terry Abner of Richmond, Rodney Abner of Richmond, Casey Abner of Richmond, Steven (Julie) Lakes of Kentucky, Jeanette Lakes of Kentucky, and Jimmy Abner of Kentucky; aunts; uncles; cousins; nieces; nephews; and many friends, including his best friend, his dog Moose. He was preceded in death by his father and sister, Charlotte Abner. Visitation for Michael E. Abner will be from 4 to 8:00 p.m. Tuesday, July 20, 2010, at Doan & Mills Funeral Home, 790 National Road West, Richmond. Funeral service will be at 10:00 a.m. Wednesday, July 21, 2010, at Doan & Mills Funeral Home with Pastor Gilmer Smith officiating. Memorial contributions may be made to: American Diabetes Association, 644 Linn Street, Suite 304, Cincinnati, OH 45203 or

Help The Animals, 2101 West Main Street, Richmond, IN 47374. Condolences may be sent to the family via the guest book at www.doanmillsfuneralhome.com.

Tribute Wall



“ *Doan & Mills Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Michael E. Abner*



Doan & Mills Funeral Home - July 16, 2010 at 12:00 AM

JT

“ *I had just heard about your loss. I'm sorry..My thoughts and prayers are with You and Your Family..may "GOD BLESS YOU".We lost a Good Man and a Great Father..Your Friends :The Taggart Family*

James and Matthew Taggart - July 26, 2010 at 02:16 PM

NA

“ *I'm sorry for your loss..May "GOD BLESS YOU AND YOUR FAMILY" for this try'ing times.He will be missed..Our thoughts and prayers will be with you and your family..He is now walking with "GOD"..Your friends the Alvey Family:(*

Norman&Ada Alvey - July 26, 2010 at 01:05 PM

AB

“ You will be missed more than you'll ever know. I don't know if I can begin to explain how much you meant to all of us. The last few years were the happiest my mom had ever been, and it was all because of you. You were the best dad ever. Always there for your family no matter what battles you were going through, and the strongest person I've ever know. Through your strength and love I know that mom will be ok. Thank you for all the laughs and talks, you were always there for me. I love you and miss you so much. But It brings me peace knowing that you aren't suffering anymore and that you are a guardian angel on our side....one day we will all be together again. Your Loving Daughter,Amanda

Amanda Brock - July 24, 2010 at 11:01 AM

MJ

“ So very sorry to read of Mike's passing. I shared many bowls of ice cream on my front porch in Holsapple with Mike when we were in kindergarten. In reading his obituary I can tell he had a wonderful life full of the love of family and friends.

mj - July 21, 2010 at 11:32 PM

DF

“ To the Abner family- I am so sorry for your loss and you to know you are in my prayers. Mike was one of those special people that we who knew him count ourselves as lucky. He never complained and always had a smile and nice word for everyone. He was always more than willing to lend a helping hand to all who needed it. Howard considered him one of his best friends and was waiting to give him a big hug when he stepped into Heaven. God Bless you all through this trying time and the days to come.

Dawn Hamm and Family - July 20, 2010 at 11:21 PM

PI

“ *Lisa, Tommy and Oscar - You all are in our thoughts and prayers.*

Paul and Lynda Isaacs - July 20, 2010 at 01:43 PM

JR

“ *Mike we loved you and we'll miss you, keep a seat warm for us.*

Jean & Kenny Roberts - July 19, 2010 at 05:56 PM

HN

“ *Thank you for my big purple chair i love it. My prayers are with you. '*

haley sue mae mullins great great nieces - July 19, 2010 at 08:58 AM

AV

“ *`MIKE I WILL MISS THAT LITTLE VOICE OF YOURS. BE WITH GOD NOW. I LOVED YOU*

AUNT VIRGINIA - July 18, 2010 at 10:44 PM

LH

“ TO EVERYONE IN THIS FAMILY. WE HAVE LOST A GREAT PERSON WITH THE WILL OF FOUR STRONG MEN. MIKE YOU ALONE HAVE PUT UP A FIGHT THAT WOULD HAVE MADE A LOT OF US LAY DOWN AND NOT GET UP , BUT SWEET MIKE NOT YOU. YOU SHOWED US HOW TO BE STRONG AND FIGHT THIS HORRIBLE THING THAT THEY CALL DIABETES. I'VE CALLED YOU AND ASKED FOR ADVISE AND YOU WOULD TELL ME TO HANG IN THERE, AND I HAVE, BUT I KNOW HOW YOU MUST HAVE SUFFERED WITH YOUR FEET AND HANDS, BUT YOU NEVER ONCE COMPLAINED TO ANYONE HOW BAD IT REALLY IS. I KNOW SWEET MIKE WHAT YOU WENT THROUGH, SO I'M AT PEACE WITH YOU LEAVING US TO GO AND REST. YOU ARE WITH A LOT OF PEOPLE I HOPE TO SEE SOMEDAY. TELL MY DAD HELLO. LOVE YOU ALWAYS LEONA GAIL

leona gail handley/bruner - July 18, 2010 at 10:39 PM

JN

“ Oscar, My prayers go out to you and your family during your loss. May God hold all of you in His loving arms.

Jeff Norris - July 18, 2010 at 12:00 PM

LP

“ Amanda - I'm so sorry for your loss.

Laura Poe - July 18, 2010 at 11:36 AM

DL

“ lisa an tommy i am so very for your loss . an the losses u have had this past yr. may god give you comfort at your time of need . if there is anything we can do we r a call away .. R.I.P.-mike an god bless all!!!

Deanna & steve Lohmoeller--(riley) - July 18, 2010 at 08:24 AM

TA

“ *My sincere sympathy to Mike's family. You are in my thoughts and prayers.* ”

Tim Adamson - July 17, 2010 at 04:44 PM

DH

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family during this difficult time.* ”

David Lydick and the staff of Doan & Mills Funeral Home. - July 17, 2010 at 02:37 PM