



## Robert "Mike" O'Malley

July 30, 1941 - December 16, 2018

Robert "Mike" O'Malley, 77 of Bonita Springs, FL passed away Sunday, December 16, 2018 at Hope Hospice. Formerly of West Lafayette, IN he had been a Bonita Springs resident since 1987. He was born July 30, 1941 in Danville, IL a son of the late Clement James and Alice Longworth (Finch) O'Malley. Mike was raised in Ambia, IN and graduated from Ambia High School in 1959. He enjoyed attending the Ambia Alumni dinners. Mike was a corn and soybean farmer, entrepreneur and real estate developer in both Indiana and Illinois. Mr. O'Malley was a member of the Knights of Columbus, Catholic Order of Foresters and The Bonita Bay Club. He was an avid golfer who also enjoyed fishing and more recently playing pickleball. Mike was also a fan of the Notre Dame Fighting Irish. Mike looked forward to going back to Indiana in the midwest in the summers to look at the crops and visit with family and friends. Survivors include his beloved wife, Nicole Buckmaster; loving children, Shane (Margaret) O'Malley of Oxford, IN, Shannon (Brian Scott) O'Malley of Lafayette, IN; brothers, Patrick (Maureen) O'Malley of Three Rivers, MI, Thomas (Deb) O'Malley of Lafayette, IN; sister, Cathy McElhaney of Bonita Springs, FL; and cherished grandchildren, CJ Sondgerath, Kyle (Ryan) Puetz, Mitch O'Malley and John O'Malley. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his siblings, Jane Rasmussen, Mary Ann Galloway and Peggy O'Malley.

Memorial visitation Friday, January 18, 2019 from 5-8PM at Hippensteel Funeral Home, 822 N 9th Street, Lafayette, IN. Mass and burial, Saturday, January 19, 2019, 10:30 AM, Saint Mary's Catholic Church, Dunnington, IN. Share memories and condolences online at [www.hippensteelfuneralservice.com](http://www.hippensteelfuneralservice.com)

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# Comments

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“ Deepest sympathy for your loss, Nikki, Shane and Shannon. Mike and I had many good times together.

Jim Berry

Jim Berry - January 20 at 04:20 PM

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“ I have had occasion to be at various functions and golf outings over the years, which were also attended by Mike. Mike was always fun to be around. He always treated me nicely. He was one of the "good guys." So sorry for your loss. Please accept my sympathies and prayers.

Jim Barton - January 18 at 01:21 PM

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“ Dearest Nikki and Family, so sorry for your loss of Michael. May he Rest In Peace.  
Art and Lila



Art and Lila Shaw - January 11 at 12:07 PM

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“ Mike I'll always remember our days at AHS. You were the big Jokester !! Go with God my friend , Billye

Billye Kane - December 23, 2018 at 01:15 PM

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“ Shannon, Shane & Margaret, so sorry to hear of this. I always enjoyed being around Mike. Great memories - takes me back to the 80's & 90's. Wrapping you all in hugs.  
Theresa



**Theresa Fischer** - December 22, 2018 at 08:22 PM

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**Theresa Fischer** - December 22, 2018 at 07:25 PM

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“ I enjoyed talking with Mike as we played pickleball. He was a very friendly guy to all the players. We will miss him coming for the summer.

Dick Wiegand



**Dick Wiegand** - December 22, 2018 at 04:26 PM