



Andrew Carl Zimmerman

November 11, 1951 - October 16, 2020

Andrew Carl Zimmerman, age 68 of Jackson passed away at OSU Medical Center. Born November 11th, 1951 to his mother Selma & father Carl Zimmerman.

Married to my mother Jennifer (Ghearing) Zimmerman whom passed June 6th, 2007.

Brother to Steve, Judy, & Richard Zimmerman.

Survived by (myself) his son Phillip Zimmerman, of Columbus, Ohio.

An early basketball star,
a husband, whom married to my mother,
married well.

A welder, an operator, a provider.

Funeral services will be held at the Mayhew-Brown Funeral Home on Friday, October 23rd at 2:00 p.m., with John Pelletier officiating. Burial will follow at Ridgewood Cemetery in Wellston. The family will receive friends at the funeral home three hours prior to the service from 11:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m.

Arrangements are by the Mayhew-Brown Funeral Home in Jackson.

Condolences may be sent to the family at: www.mayhew-brownfuneralhome.com

Cemetery Details

Ridgewood Cemetery

Wellston, OH

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **23**. 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Mayhew-Brown Funeral Home
135 Broadway Street
Jackson, OH 45640
(740) 286-4161

Funeral Service

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Tribute Wall

TM

“ So sorry for your loss. We will truly miss him... and his stories. Thoughts and prayers out to Philip and the rest of the family. With love: Traci, Jim, Nathan and Tyler Malone.



Traci Malone - October 23, 2020 at 07:48 PM

TP

“ Andy was such a sweet man. He will truly be missed

Tracey Pittman - October 23, 2020 at 05:49 PM

LC

“ My condolences to the family. Andy was a kind man to everyone he met. He will be missed! 🙏🏠



LaRae Rader Colorado - October 22, 2020 at 08:19 PM



“ Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Andrew Carl Zimmerman.



October 22, 2020 at 07:04 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Andrew Carl Zimmerman.*



October 22, 2020 at 01:32 PM



“ *Our condolences to the family and loved ones of Andy. I worked many years with him at the A plant and always enjoyed his energetic personality. May you find peace.*
Joe Deffenbaugh

Joe Deffenbaugh - October 22, 2020 at 11:07 AM



“ *So sorry for your loss. He was a very good man with a giant heart, & a friend to many.*

Craig Bringman - October 22, 2020 at 10:54 AM



“ *Sincerely, Doris Snedegar and Family purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Andrew Carl Zimmerman.*

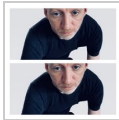


Sincerely, Doris Snedegar and Family - October 21, 2020 at 02:29 PM

PH

“ Andy, for the many of us lucky enough to know him, was a big, warm-hearted, fun-loving guy who laughed easily and often. He was the opposite of many people, in that he was always afraid he'd offended someone, though he rarely did. He had a set of percussive thumbs that could play the beat to any song. He loved music, sports, socializing with his many friends and, most of all, his late wife. One memory of Andy which will endure for me is the picture he kept of her in his wallet and sometimes, late in an evening, would show to those around him. The gesture showed the basic sweetness and generosity of his spirit. Godspeed to you, An-DEE.

Paul Hiers - October 21, 2020 at 10:39 AM



He always did the percussion with his thumbs (ever since I was young I can remember it)...
... he always joked that it was the drum solo to In-A-Gadda-Da-Vida.
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... & I keep a photo in my wallet of her as well, so in that way we are the same.
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Thanks for the memories!

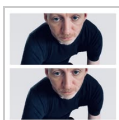
Philip Zimmerman - October 21, 2020 at 04:01 PM



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Jim Uhlman - October 21, 2020 at 10:10 AM



Thanks for the photo. 🙏

Philip Zimmerman - October 21, 2020 at 04:11 PM

JH

A lovely man. He will be missed . ❤️🙏

Jennifer Holcomb - October 21, 2020 at 04:17 PM

JK

Will love and miss Andy FOREVER.....

Jeffrey D. Kuhn - October 21, 2020 at 09:40 PM

MA

*So sorry for your loss, Phillip. Your dad was a wonderful person as was your mother. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family! 🙏
🙏 ~Your Fifth Grade Teacher, Mrs. Anderson*

Mary Anne Anderson - October 26, 2020 at 09:50 PM

RS

“*Ryan, Joana, Mike, Karin Shaughnessy purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of Andrew Carl Zimmerman.*



Ryan, Joana, Mike, Karin Shaughnessy - October 21, 2020 at 09:48 AM



“*Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Andrew Carl Zimmerman.*

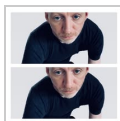


October 21, 2020 at 09:48 AM

MS

“ It was a pleasure getting to know Andy over the last 20 years of his life. My wife and I met Andy through his son Phillip. Phillip and our son were roommates at Ohio State. We've often enjoyed Phil's company over the years, and periodically had opportunities to golf and play cards with Andy over the years. Andy was friendly, easy to meet, always smiling, and a very warm person. As I write this, I'm feeling for Phil. The loss of someone as nice and caring as Andy will be a huge hole for Phil in his life. Best wishes to Phil and everyone close to Andy.

Mike Shaughnessy - October 21, 2020 at 09:22 AM



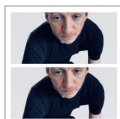
Thanks Mike... 🙏
... a lot of emotion this week. Up and down.
... hopefully you can make it to the funeral, & that I see you all soon. 🙏

Philip Zimmerman - October 21, 2020 at 09:41 AM

SD

“ Andy was a great guy and great teammate! We had a number of really fun years playing basketball together both on Friday nights and in pick up games wherever we could find. I was lucky to have had that time with him. Prayers to his family!...Skip Downard

Skip Downard - October 21, 2020 at 08:48 AM



Some of my best memories of my dad are of seeing him play in the Wellston Alumni tournaments (I wish I could have seen my dad play in high school). 🏀 🏠 ♂

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He was dominant (draining 3's at the buzzer) & being young I was in awe! 🙏

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Thanks for the memory!

Philip Zimmerman - October 21, 2020 at 09:52 AM

SW

“ Suzie & Woodie Perkins, Cindy & Ron Wilder purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Andrew Carl Zimmerman.



Suzie & Woodie Perkins, Cindy & Ron Wilder - October 21, 2020 at 06:46 AM

DM

“ Dave and Ginger Mullen purchased the Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet for the family of Andrew Carl Zimmerman.



Dave and Ginger Mullen - October 20, 2020 at 08:58 PM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Andrew Carl Zimmerman.



October 20, 2020 at 07:51 PM

KC

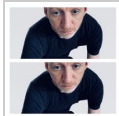
“ Prayers to the Zimmerman Family. Andy was a good guy. He would play basketball pickup games in the early 1970's against us during the summer season at the old west end basketball courts near the strip mine lakes. I attended church services with Andy during the 1960s through the 1970's at the First Baptist Church in Wellston. BTW, where he also played on our First Baptist Church Basketball Team with Tom Compston, Henry Perdue and others in the mid-1970's that played in a Church League at Central gym. He always tried to motivate us as youths to play basketball to our best potential at the courts. Calling us future Golden Rockets. The last time I saw Andy, was about six years ago at Bob Evans in Jackson. He had not changed a bit. Same big smile, a humble man with stories to tell. RIP my brother.



Respectfully

Kevin Compston

Kevin Compston - October 20, 2020 at 07:49 PM



Basketball was always a passion for him (he played anytime he got the chance, would come home sweaty, & mom & I would always tease him). 🏀 🧡 ♂

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... & I remember those stories about him driving the bus for First Baptist, he loved that. 🙏

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Thanks for the memories!

Philip Zimmerman - October 21, 2020 at 10:01 AM

RG

“ Regina G. purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Andrew Carl Zimmerman.



Regina G. - October 20, 2020 at 06:34 PM

JZ

“ My memory is one ABOUT Andy. He always had a positive outlook and was generous to a fault. He was gregarious and he never met a stranger. How could you not like Andy? He will be missed.

Jeff Zupp - October 20, 2020 at 06:21 PM

CW

Andy was my brother in law as he was married to my sister Jennifer Ghearing Zimmerman. Andy was a large part of the Ghearing family and we loved him. I have so many , many great memories of Andy and Jenny and I will miss him so , so much.

Cindy Wilder - October 22, 2020 at 09:35 PM

LC

You have our deepest sincerest sympathy. Andy was such a friendly man. Every time my husband and I ran into him he always had the biggest smile:) I am not sure how this got started but Andy and I shared the love of the song "HAPPY" by Pharrell Williams and every single time I ran into him one of us would always play HAPPY! Every time I hear that song I will think of Andy and his contagious smile!

Linda and Tim Castle - October 23, 2020 at 07:01 AM