



Michael Patrick Dennehy

April 9, 2022

Michael Patrick Dennehy, 44, a lifelong resident of Johnston RI., passed on April 9th after a long battle with Cancer.

Michael graduated from Johnston Senior High School in 1995 and went on to earn a degree in Criminal Justice from CCRI, a BA in Criminal Justice from Rhode Island College, and a BA in Digital Media Production from New England Institute of Technology. Michael also earned the rank of Eagle Scout with Troop 20 Johnston, Boy Scouts of America, and was a member of the Johnston Police Explorers.

Michael spent many hours behind the camera, photographing numerous family events, scout events, airshows, and walks in the woods with his Dad. He loved bike riding with his Dad on numerous Rhode Island bike trails. He was also instrumental in the production of the history of the Rose Island Lighthouse for PBS.

Michael's love for his family was only superseded by his love for all things Disney. His numerous trips to Disney World, Epcot, Animal Kingdom, Hollywood Studios and Disney Cruises with his family will leave many happy memories for all.

Michael was employed by Rhode Island Bureau of Investigation,(RIBI),

managing the Warwick campus of New England Institute of Technology.

Michael is survived by his parents, Donald and Sandra Dennehy of Johnston, brother Donald Dennehy Jr and his wife Alison of North Kingstown, RI, and sister Susan and her husband Matthew DeAthos of Johnston, RI. He will also be missed by his nephews Sean Dennehy, Aidan and Jamison DeAthos, who were all constantly spoiled by Michael.

Visiting hours will be April 20 from 5:00 pm to 8:00 pm at Winfield & Sons Funeral Home, 571 West Greenville Road, Scituate RI. A Mass of Christian Burial will be held April 21 at St. Joseph Church, 144 Danielson Pike, North Scituate, RI at 10:00 a.m. followed by internment at Highland Memorial Park Cemetery, 1 Rhode Island Ave., Johnston RI.

In lieu of flowers, please consider making a donation in memory of Michael to Friends of Scouting, Johnston-Troop 20, c/o Susan DeAthos, 6 Cedar Grove Ct, Johnston, RI 02919.

Cemetery Details

Highland Memorial Park Cemetery

Rhode Island Avenue
Johnston, RI 02919

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 20. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Winfield & Sons Funeral Home and Crematory
571 West Greenville Road (Route 116)
Scituate, RI 02857
(401) 647-5421

Mass of Christian Burial

APR 21. 10:00 AM (ET)

St. Joseph Church
144 Danielson Pike
Scituate, RI 02857

Tribute Wall

PM

“ *To the Dennehy family....with my deepest and most sincere sympathy on your beloved Michael. Michael will be truly missed but never forgotten at New England Tech. May he rest in peace.*
Pam Moffatt-Limoges

Pamela Moffatt-Limoges - April 20, 2022 at 01:54 PM

LG

“ *My condolences to Michael's family and friends. I will miss walking into New England Tech and chatting with Mike in the mornings. Mike was a great people person and very good at his job. He will be missed! God bless!*

Leni Garcia - April 18, 2022 at 09:01 AM

DC

“ *My condolences, thoughts and prayers to Michael's family and friends. Michael always had a smile and an upbeat personality. I enjoyed chatting with Mike almost daily at the Warwick campus of NEIT. Michael took pride in his work and new his job to the letter. A good man taken to soon, he will be missed but he's certainly will not be forgotten. God bless.*

Dave Caruso, adjunct teacher, NEIT CJ

DAVID CARUSO - April 16, 2022 at 01:26 PM

MP

“ My deepest sympathies to Mike's family and friends. Mike was such an integral part of the Access Rd. campus and part of the the CJ Family here at NEIT. He was extremely diligent at his job and took his responsibilities to heart. We looked forward to seeing him around the school and he was always quick to share a smile or a story. Mike will be sorely missed and never forgotten.

Michael Pezzullo - April 15, 2022 at 08:36 AM

RI

“ Condolences to Mike's family and friends. Mike was one of the first people I met when I started at NEIT in the Criminal Justice Dept. on Access Rd. I knew right away he was the man with the answers. To say he managed that campus is an understatement in a way. He ran it in every way, every day he was there. Nothing got by Mike! I learned early on, he was the anchor on the campus. Almost weekly since he got sick, I would have a question about something and think, let's check with Mike! He is, and always will be, part of NEIT and especially our CJ family. I will miss him telling me about the family vacations and everything that happened while he was away. Much respect to him as he fought long and hard. Rest easy Mike and you are in our hearts and never forgotten.
Prof. Ray Angell and the entire CJ Faculty, Staff, Graduates, and Students.

Raymond Angell III - April 14, 2022 at 05:45 PM

MN

“ I remember Michael and my little brother (Paul Nadeau) playing all the time at our house or Michael's. If they weren't playing GI Joe's, He-Man action figures, they were in the yard or forest beating each other over the head with wooden swords and shields !! I am so sorry for loss. Michael battled hard and will be greatly missed by many friends and his wonderful family. God bless you Michael. You are in a peaceful place without any pain and filled with pure unconditional love.

Mark Nadeay - April 14, 2022 at 01:16 PM