



## Joseph Stanchina

August 12, 1982 - October 4, 2020

NORWAY- Joseph Scott “Stubby” Stanchina age 38 of Norway, passed away Sunday, October 4, 2020 of natural causes at his home in Norway.

He was born on August 12, 1982 in Norway, the son of James and Renee (Samborski) Stanchina.

Joe graduated from Norway High School in 2001 and continued his education at Lakeland College in Sheboygan, Wisconsin.

He always enjoyed helping whomever and whenever he could, if it was a friend pouring concrete, small construction projects, helping his father cut wood and trees at camp or helping his brothers whenever he could.

Joe was a hard worker and you always knew when he was around to lighten up a quiet room.

He loved college football and was always willing to give you his two-cents.

Joe loved his nieces and nephews, cheered them on, and always found time to reach out to them. He was more than Stubby, he was a son, a brother, and an uncle, he will be deeply missed.

Joe is survived by his parents Jim and Renee Stanchina of Norway; brothers James (Amy) and Jeremy (Trisha) Stanchina; nieces Kali and Kara; nephews Tristan, Rocco, Emmitt and Emil; paternal grandmother Francella Stanchina; numerous cousins, aunts and uncles who loved him dearly.

He was preceded in death by his maternal grandparents Phyllis and John Falagario and paternal grandfather Emil “Junior” Stanchina.

Family will meet friends on Tuesday, October 13 from 10-11 a.m. at St. Barbara's Church in Vulcan.

A Memorial Mass will be celebrated on Tuesday at 11 a.m. at St. Barbara's Church with Fr. Timothy Ekaitis officiating.

Interment will follow at the Norway Township Cemetery.

# Cemetery Details

## Norway Township Cemetery

Norway Township, MI

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT 13. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

St. Barbara's Church  
159 Mission Street  
Vulcan, MI 49892

## Memorial Mass

OCT 13. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

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159 Mission Street  
Vulcan, MI 49892

# Tribute Wall

MO

“ Mom lit a candle in memory of Joseph Stanchina



mom - October 20, 2020 at 12:40 AM

JO

“ Renee and Jimmy, I can't begin to understand or feel what you are going through now, but I only hope it gets easier for you. No parent should ever outlive their child, but life happens. You are in my thoughts and prayers.  
Judy Occhietti

Judith Occhietti - October 12, 2020 at 08:04 PM

SA

“ Renee, I was saddened to read of the loss of your son. I don't know any details, but regardless, it is very hard. You have my condolences. Sandi Adams

Sandra Adams - October 11, 2020 at 04:20 PM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Joseph Stanchina.



October 10, 2020 at 06:02 PM

SH

“ Condolences to the Stanchina family. I knew Stubby from school and I always liked him. He was never without that little grin and spark of mischief in his eye. His presence lightened the mood. His smile made everyone smile. I'm sure you will miss him dearly. Praying for peace as you grieve and remember Stubby. 💜

Stacy Harrison - October 10, 2020 at 08:49 AM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Joseph Stanchina.*



October 09, 2020 at 06:41 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Joseph Stanchina.*



October 09, 2020 at 06:15 PM

JS

“ *Janet Smith lit a candle in memory of Joseph Stanchina*



**Janet Smith** - October 08, 2020 at 03:49 PM

BD

“ *Renee  
So sorry to hear about the loss of your son. I hope the memories you have will help you now and always. I can't imagine how hard this must be for you and your family. You are on my thoughts and prayers. Hugs, Brenda*

**Brenda DeAmicis** - October 08, 2020 at 02:17 PM

SP

“ *Peace, Love, Strength and God's Blessings to the Family of Stubby.*



**St Mary's Parish** - October 08, 2020 at 01:03 AM



“ *Healing Tears - All White was purchased for the family of Joseph Stanchina.*



October 07, 2020 at 09:30 PM

KS

“ *Renee and family, so very sorry for your loss. My heart aches for you as a mother. Praying for peace and strength for you and your family in the days ahead. Hugs, my friend.*

**Karen Steber** - October 07, 2020 at 07:07 PM

MK

“ *So sorry to hear this very sad news. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. Hugs to all of you.*

**Mary Ellen Kent** - October 07, 2020 at 06:36 PM

CT

“ *Cheryl Tomaszewski lit a candle in memory of Joseph Stanchina*



**Cheryl Tomaszewski** - October 07, 2020 at 01:24 PM

JL

“ *Dear Renee,*

*Words can never take away the pain of losing a child. It never really gets easier, you just find ways to deal with it. My heart hurts for you and your family. I know how you feel, I've been there too. God bless you!*

**Jean LaChapelle** - October 07, 2020 at 01:17 PM

LS

“ *Oh Renee... I'm so sorry. I am thinking of all of you. Biggest hug and praying for some type of comfort. Love Lori*

**lori senatori** - October 06, 2020 at 09:18 PM

CA

*Renee my thoughts and prayers go out to you and your family. We know what it is like to loose a son.*

**cindy annear** - October 07, 2020 at 08:21 AM

RJ

“ *I'm so sorry to hear this. Deepest sympathies to Renee and family.*

**Rhonda Johnson** - October 06, 2020 at 09:00 PM

FD

“ *So sorry for your loss he was a good friend*

**Fieldon Doxtator** - October 06, 2020 at 08:39 PM

HV

“ *I'm so sorry to hear this Renee, and family! My condolences on this terrible loss-  
Hilda Vivio*

**hilda vivio** - October 06, 2020 at 08:24 PM

PB

“ *We are so sorry for your families loss, ❤️🙏*

**Perry Beyer** - October 06, 2020 at 08:18 PM

MS

*j r and renee so sorry to hear of your loss, you and your family are in our prayers and thoughts*

**mary saltz** - October 06, 2020 at 09:06 PM

SG

*Renee and family so sorry for your loss you are in our thoughts and prayers*

**Suzanne Gannon** - October 06, 2020 at 10:49 PM