



Michael Joseph Sauro Jr.

February 16, 1957 - December 7, 2025

Michael Joseph Sauro Jr., age 68, of Sault Ste. Marie, Michigan, died on December 7, 2025, at Medilodge of Sault Ste. Marie. He was born on February 16, 1957, in Sault Ste. Marie, to Michael Sr. and Donna (Brown) Sauro.

Michael spent his life in his hometown, attending Sault Area Public Schools and building a career marked by dedication and reliability. He worked in several roles over the years, beginning at Kewadin Casino as a security guard and later serving as a surveillance officer until his retirement in 2023.

He was a proud member of the Christopher Columbus Society.

Michael will be remembered for the things he loved most, the excitement of gambling, peaceful days spent golfing, collecting treasured items, and most of all, the time he shared with his family.

Michael is survived by his daughter, Michelle (Matt) Molnar; granddaughter, Alexandra Steffes; great-granddaughter, Paisley Lawrence; siblings, Pam Sauro, Steve (Linda Moan) Sauro, Lori Sauro, and Sandy (Jimmy Kosiewicz) Sauro; many nieces, nephews, great nieces and nephews, aunts, uncles, and cousins; life-long friends, Sam and Nick Mourufas and Tim Gordon.

Michael is preceded in death by his parents, Michael and Donna.

Visitation will be held Friday, December 12, 2025, from 12:00 Noon to 2:00 PM at Family Life Funeral Homes, 4951 S. M-129, Sault Ste. Marie, MI 49783. The Funeral Service will follow immediately beginning at 2:00 PM.

Michael's final resting place will be at Hillcrest Cemetery in Brimley, Michigan.

Michael will be deeply cherished by his family and friends.

Family Life Funeral Homes – Sault Ste. Marie assisted the family with arrangements. Condolences may be given to the family at www.familylifefh.com.

Cemetery Details

Hill Crest Cemetery

M-28
Brimley, MI 49715

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 12. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Family Life Funeral Homes - Sault Ste. Marie
4951 S. M-129
Sault Ste. Marie, MI 49783
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<https://www.familylifefuneralhomes.com/>

Funeral Service

DEC 12. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Michael Joseph Sauro Jr..*



December 11, 2025 at 12:53 PM



“ *AMI Industries planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Michael Joseph Sauro Jr..*

AMI Industries - December 11, 2025 at 12:53 PM



“ *Jill Ogston purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Michael Joseph Sauro Jr..*



Jill Ogston - December 10, 2025 at 06:52 PM



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JS

“ Joey and jodie sauro planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Michael Joseph Sauro Jr..

Joey and jodie sauro - December 10, 2025 at 12:35 PM



“ Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Michael Joseph Sauro Jr..



December 10, 2025 at 12:35 PM

BN

“ Bob and Nancy purchased the Basket of Memories for the family of Michael Joseph Sauro Jr..



Bob and Nancy - December 09, 2025 at 08:25 PM

FS

“ From Steve's Friends, Tim & Bev Suggs. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Michael Joseph Sauro Jr..

From Steve's Friends, Tim & Bev Suggs. - December 09, 2025 at 07:08 PM

FS

“ From Steve’s Friends, Tim & Bev Suggs. purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Michael Joseph Sauro Jr..



From Steve’s Friends, Tim & Bev Suggs. - December 09, 2025
at 07:08 PM

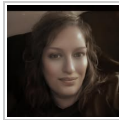
SA

“ Michelle and all of Mike's family, I am so sorry for your loss. 🥺💔
You are all in my thoughts and prayers.



*I met Mike through Jim many years ago. We golfed together for a few years. Jim and Mike were partners at the CC Hall in the cribbage league for several years. I'd see him in surveillance when Jim had me bring lunch. Lots of memories. I can picture Jim and Mike up there BSing, drinking coffee and playing cribbage. RIP Mike you'll be missed by many.
~Sheri Ailing ~*

Sheri Ailing - December 09, 2025 at 03:03 PM



And they are belly laughing at everything silly! I also would like to offer my condolences to the family. Mike and I worked in Surveillance together and we had a love/hate relationship. Pranking each other any chance we had. He wasn't the easiest to love but once I learned that was just the "cover". Rest easy brother. You did a fantastic job and we will all see you soon enough.

Selina (McLean) Smith

Selina Smith - December 11, 2025 at 10:53 AM

AO

“ Pam, Steve, Lori and Sandy, I am so sorry to hear of Mikey's passing. I have only fond memories of him from back in the day on Maple street. My condolences to the family. Rest in peace Mike.

Annette Olson - December 09, 2025 at 12:42 PM

EP

Sorry to here of Mikeys passing, heck of a guy

Ernie Povey

Ernie Povey - December 09, 2025 at 12:49 PM

BS

Condolences to the Sauro Family! Lots of great memories... RIP Mikey!

Bonnie Stewart - December 10, 2025 at 08:30 AM

CS

So very sorry to hear of Mike's passing. Condolences to all the family. I worked with Mike at Kewadin for many years. What a great guy ... fly high, Mikey.

Carol Syminow - December 10, 2025 at 09:24 PM