



Michael " Mike" DeWitt Fields

September 14, 1959 - August 23, 2017

Michael DeWitt Fields, 57, of Spartanburg, SC passed away on Wednesday, August 23, 2017. Mike was the son of Rev. Dr. George DeWitt Fields and the late Mildred Ammons Fields.

Born in Florence, SC, he was the son of a United Methodist minister and lived in many places including Florence, Andrews, Pickens, Rock Hill and Spartanburg. He especially loved his time at Lake Junaluska, NC spending every summer and living there predominantly in recent years.

Mike loved everything outdoors and was dedicated to outdoor conservation and historical preservation. He helped develop and participated in the Glendale Outdoor Leadership School (GOLS) and in many projects with Palmetto Conservation Foundation. He knew all the hiking trails, waterfall sites and best camping sites in Western North Carolina, thriving on adventure and was a river raft guide for many summers. He enjoyed gardening, forestry, wood-working and was an avid astronomer.

He was a graduate of Dorman High School, Spartanburg Methodist College and Wofford College and also obtained a degree in massage therapy from Spartanburg Technical College.

His survivors include his father; sisters, Grier Fields Diangikes and husband

Billy Diangikes of Spartanburg, SC, Elaine Fields Bermudez and husband Juan Bermudez of Charlotte, NC , Lynn Fields Proctor and husband David Proctor of Spartanburg, SC; nieces, Jessica Diangikes, Emilia Bermudez and nephews, Tommy Diangikes, Nicholas Bermudez and George Proctor.

A memorial service will be conducted at 2:00 pm Saturday, August 26, 2017 at Central United Methodist Church by the Rev. Tom Norrell and the Rev. Ron Robinson. Visitation will follow the service in the church fellowship Hall. A private inurnment will be conducted at a later date at Lake Junaluska Memorial Chapel in North Carolina.

Memorials may be made to Central United Methodist Church, 233 North Church Street, Spartanburg, SC 29306 or to the Fields Lake Endowment, Lake Junaluska Assembly, PO Box 67, Lake Junaluska, NC 28745.

Condolences may be sent through to the family at www.morrisfamilyfuneralhome.com.

Cemetery Details

Lake Junaluska Assembly

Lake Junaluska, NC 28745

Previous Events

Memorial Service

AUG **26**. 2:00 PM (ET)

Central United Methodist Church
233 North Church Street
Spartanburg, SC 29306

Tribute Wall



“ *Michael " Mike" DeWitt Fields*

October 07, 2023 at 11:15 AM



“ *Goodbye my friend. I know you and Malcolm are running and jumping from cloud to cloud now. Rest in never ending peace.*
Rick Wood

Rick Wood - August 28, 2017 at 09:40 PM



“ *To George, Grier, Elaine and Lynn,
My thoughts and prayers are with you at this time. I was sorry to read of Mike's passing. I pray for angel wings to surround you with comfort and love.*
Beverly Barrs

Beverly Barrs - August 27, 2017 at 11:55 AM



“ *My sincere condolence to George and the rest of the Fields family. Mike loved life. He was so full of energy in his youth and adulthood. So sad his life ended so soon.*
God bless.
Wayne Crocker

Wayne Crocker - August 26, 2017 at 10:03 AM

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“ *My thoughts and prayers are with Michael's devoted family. Michael was such a kind soul and his sweet momma greeted him with open arms.*

Lovingly, Margarett Mills

Margarett Mills - August 26, 2017 at 12:15 AM

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“ *Mike was an energetic playmate in our childhood and adolescence as we stormed around Spartanburg Methodist College and it's environs. He always had a great sense of humor and was fun to be around. My sincere condolences to all of his dear family. I will always love and respect y'all.*

Steve Hope

Steve Hope - August 25, 2017 at 05:29 PM