



ERVIN L. OLSHESKE

February 12, 1944 - February 26, 2016

Obituary of ERVIN OLSHESKE

Ervin L. Olscheske, 72, of Weirsdale, Florida, passed away Friday, February 26, 2016, at Leesburg Regional Hospital from complications after open heart surgery. He was born February 12, 1944, in Milwaukee, Wisconsin, a son of Ervin Olscheske and Catherine (Williamson) Olscheske.

Ervin was a pastor and traveling evangelist in the region of the Midwest and Southeastern United States for many years. He continued his service to the Lord in piano and song until the time of his passing. He also served as a supervisor of transportation for the Lake County School District for 21 years. In addition to his ministry and secular work he could, and often would, build anything that needed building, fix anything that needed fixing and in general was the family handyman. Most of all, he was a man of good works and a man in a lifelong pursuit of God. Everyone who knew him speaks of his kindness, gentleness and generosity. He was a friend to all and a true reflection of the God he served.

He is survived by his wife of 53 years, Wanda Deal Olscheske of Weirsdale; sons, Ervin (Wanda) of Knightstown, IN; Steven (Vonda) of Kissimmee, FL; daughters, Lavonne (Mark) Ayoub of Tavares, FL, Tonja(Neil) Stackman of Hohenfels, Germany; 12 grandchildren, 7 great grandchildren; siblings Shirley

(Bob) Arnt, Bob (Kathy) Olsheske; many nieces, nephews, in-laws and other family members.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by sisters Kathie Reed and June Olsheske.

Funeral services will be held 1:00 p.m., Thursday, March 3, 2016 at the Eustis Church of the Nazarine with Pastor Ed Ames officiating. Interment will follow at the Greenwood Cemetery in Eustis. The family will receive friends 6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m., Wednesday, March 2, 2016 at the Funeral Home.

Tribute Wall

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“ I worked with Ervin for 13 years of the 18 years I have been with Lake County Schools. He was an awesome teacher, a giver, a fixer, a thrift store shopper and a wonderful human being. The fondest memories I have are when we had potluck dinners at the Groveland Bus Lot and Ervin would say a few words and then bless the meal. A good time was had by all, because he was there.

Marsha Taylor - March 02, 2016 at 12:00 AM

DR

“ My families thoughts and prayers to your family during this difficult time. I so enjoyed the music at Eustis Church during the summers while I spent time with my Grandparents Art & Louise Edwards. I admired how easily the Word of God would flow from his mouth during the services. Each time my wife hears the song "There's Something About That Name", she is reminded of Ervin playing at the piano. Blessing to your family.

Daniel & Rebecca Rushing - March 02, 2016 at 12:00 AM

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“ To my friend Ervin, Words cannot express how much you will be missed, you have touched many lives with your kindness, understanding, compassion and leadership for the 17 years I have known you, it's been privilege having you in my life, you are truly missed, With much love and respect, your friend Trish

Trish McQuaig - March 01, 2016 at 12:00 AM

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“ I always enjoyed any time being able to be around him. A Great man of God and will surely be missed. May prayers be with you.

Pepper - March 01, 2016 at 12:00 AM