



Mykl J. Hensley

February 3, 1959 - December 7, 2016

Sun up 2/03/1959

Sunset 12/07/2016

Mykl J. Hensley, age 57, of Boulder Junction and spouse of his best catch, Joni L. Hensley.

Mykl was an EMT and Firefighter for Boulder Junction for a combination of over 20 plus years. He was involved with Headwaters Search and Rescue for 17 years and worked with Universal Tracking Service in Field Tracking. Mykl felt very strongly the importance of teaching children about hunter safety and snowmobile safety. Mykl donated much of his time to volunteering in his community. He enjoyed working with his search dog, Ani; as well as hunting, fishing, and just being outdoors. If you met Mykl, you never forgot him... He is the son of the late Arlene and John Hensley. He is preceded in death by his sisters, Debra (Joe) McWilliams and Kim Hensley. Mykl is survived by his brother, John (Rosa) Hensley and their children, Amber and Autumn; niece, Brandy Miller (Neil Roder) and her daughter, Ashley Hamilton and niece, Elizabeth (Darren) Phillipich and their son, Gabriel. A Memorial Service will be held at 12:00 Noon on Saturday, December 17, 2016 at the Community Church of Boulder Junction. Following the service, a Celebration of Life will be held at the Boulder Beer Bar. Memorials may be given to the Boulder Junction Gun Club – Hunter Safety Program.

Hey Myk,
Sometimes even Trumpeter
Swans find it challenging
walking around with
their big bodies and
giant wing span.
But they are at their best
when they swim with
the Big Fish.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

DEC 17. 12:00 PM (CT)

Community Church of Boulder Junction

10445 Main St

Boulder Junction, WI 54512

<http://www.commchbj.org>

Tribute Wall

TB

“ *Joni, I am so sorry to hear about Myk. I just read about it in the Lakeland Times. You are in my thoughts and prayers.*
Tori Peterson Brunold

Tori Peterson Brunold - December 26, 2016 at 07:23 PM

DS

“ *Dear Johnny,*
I am very sorry to hear about Myk's passing. I remember him more when we were kids. He was a very good guy. I will keep you and he in my prayers.
My Deepest Sympathy,
Deborah Stevens

Deborah Stevens - December 18, 2016 at 08:15 AM

DM

“ *So sorry to hear about Mykl passing on. I enjoyed being on the town's bike committee with him. He was a pleasant fellow, very friendly, and always had mischief in his eyes. He truly cared about the town of Boulder Jct. We will miss him. Sincerely, Diane Muri and John Aldridge.*

Diane Muri - December 16, 2016 at 04:02 PM

JM

“ *Jodi Mallas purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Mykl J. Hensley.*



Jodi Mallas - December 15, 2016 at 11:21 AM

JM

“ 4 files added to the tribute wall



Jodi Mallas - December 15, 2016 at 10:33 AM

MN

“ *Joni, I was so sorry to hear about Mykl's passing. I wish you peace in the coming days. Mykl was a unique individual who could make people laugh or confuse them ...in a good way. I enjoyed knowing him.*

M.E. Norton - December 15, 2016 at 09:04 AM

GS

“ *Our family is lucky to have known Mykl! We especially loved his stories and humor. He always had a sense of mischief about him that was so entertaining to our kids. Many of our Boulder memories include Mykl! We always made sure we had a can of blueberry pie filling in the cupboard in hopes of luring him over for a pudgie pie by the fire. Sorry for your loss Joni, stay strong....he will be missed.*

Gary & Tricia Stellmacher - December 14, 2016 at 11:20 PM

DH

“ I was deeply sorry to hear about Myk. I have wonderful high school memories of him, he was a true "Boulder Boy". Peace, Prayers and Blessings for his family.
Diane Stelter Hakala

Diane Stelter Hakala - December 14, 2016 at 06:04 PM

SH

“ Uncle Myk always made the family Christmas celebration lighthearted and fun. I think it's important to carry on the tradition of balling up wrapping paper and throwing it at people's heads as we open presents. ;) Uncle Myk was vibrant and funny and caring -- I will miss him. So much love to you, Auntie Joni!

Shanda Hunt - December 14, 2016 at 08:16 AM

MB

“ As I think back over all of the time that I have known Mykl, beginning when we were in grade school together, all of the memories I have of him bring a smile to my face and I can only think of fond ones... and a lot of goofy ones. He is clearly one of the most fun loving people I've known and a master of subtle humor.

I heard that Mykl went into Coon Tail one day and the cookie jar there said; "Take One", so he took the whole jar and gave out the cookies around town and asked Joni to return the jar for him, but didn't bother to tell her the beginning or middle part of the story.

I also heard that one time their neighbors wind chimes were annoying Mykl, so he built wind chimes from 4' tall oxygen tanks. Touché!

The stories go on and on and we will truly miss you Mykl, you are a special treasure!

Mike Bartling

Mike Bartling - December 13, 2016 at 05:11 PM

CD

“ Myk was someone I always looked up to, always admired. He stood for what was right even if that was the harder choice. Always kind and always made me laugh whenever I would see him. He was genuine and that made him special to all of us. So sad to have to say goodbye to a truly good man.

Cindy Dunbar - December 12, 2016 at 06:11 PM

KB

“ Joni, sending my condolences, thoughts prayers and love to you. I am so sorry to hear of Myk's passing.

Kristy Bishop - December 12, 2016 at 11:25 AM



“ *Pam Diane Robbins lit a candle in memory of Mykl J. Hensley*



Pam Diane Robbins - December 11, 2016 at 07:28 PM

KC

“ *Boulder will never be the same! We will miss you Myk.*



Kirk & Jean Cavanaugh - December 11, 2016 at 06:03 PM

PD

“ *Peggi Dry lit a candle in memory of Mykl J. Hensley*



Peggi Dry - December 11, 2016 at 04:53 PM

PD

“ I don't know where to begin....I've known Mykl most of our lives, it's way to hard to decide on one memory..from the high school pranks, (Boulder Boys) to the honor from the Boulder Jct Fire Department he has touched all of us in so many way..... he has been friend and family to me, my family and to many others in the Boulder Jct Area... He has brought love and laughter to our lives...my trips back home will never be the same... I will truly miss him... God Speed MYKL, RIP my Friend!!

Peggi Dry - December 11, 2016 at 04:49 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Mykl J. Hensley.



December 11, 2016 at 01:35 PM

HP

“ *Headwaters SAR, Membership Past and Present* purchased the *Strength & Solace Spray* for the family of Mykl J. Hensley.



Headwaters SAR, Membership Past and Present - December 11, 2016 at 01:10 PM

JP

“ Josh And Gayle Pellett lit a candle in memory of Mykl J. Hensley



Josh and Gayle Pellett - December 11, 2016 at 12:29 PM

JH

“ Boy we are going to miss this guy big time. What a treat to have known him.



jim halverson - December 11, 2016 at 11:45 AM

MC

“ No words can express how sad this makes me...Myk was truly one of a kind. So kind and funny and quirky in a loveable sort of way. I'm so glad that I was able to reconnect with him in the last couple of years. Joni- I've thought of you so often and prayed that God gives you the strength you need to get through this. Please know that I'm there with you in spirit and wishing you peace in the upcoming days and weeks. Michelle (VanRossum)

Michelle Cieslak - December 10, 2016 at 09:30 PM

BH

“ Our thoughts are with you and your family! I have to say Myk has been always so kind to me and my family and we are so grateful To have had him as a friend. I will miss is Awsome smile! The Hamiltons



Betty Hamilton - December 10, 2016 at 05:41 PM

JG

“ *Joni so sorry to hear of Myk's passing. Keeping you and your family in our thoughts and prayers. May your memories comfort you in the days to come. Jeff and Becky Gibson.*



Jeff and Becky Gibson - December 10, 2016 at 04:57 PM

JK

“ *Jay And Nikki Kassien lit a candle in memory of Mykl J. Hensley*



Jay and Nikki Kassien - December 10, 2016 at 02:30 PM

PO

“ *Preston Overshiner lit a candle in memory of Mykl J. Hensley*



preston overshiner - December 10, 2016 at 01:22 PM

TS

“ *Joni: Sally & I were deeply saddened to learn of Mykl's passing. Mykl was a unique wonderful man who we will never forget. He not only cared for our home when were gone but always did more than was necessary. His bright smile and devilish sense of humor brightened everyone's day. We send you our hugs and our love. TOM & SALLY BASTING*

Thomas J Basting Sr - December 10, 2016 at 12:20 PM

GF

“ 6 files added to the album Myk



Greg Friese - December 09, 2016 at 05:07 PM

SD

“ *Our hearts are heavy since hearing the news of Myk's passing. Joni, we are so sorry for your loss. We loved Myk and enjoyed our conversations and gracious hospitality shown to us. His sense of humor and kind heart are something we will always remember him for. God bless you and your family during this difficult time.*

Steve & Barb Dreger - December 09, 2016 at 03:29 PM

DF

“ *Joni, Molly and I are so sorry to hear of Myk's passing. Myk was a true joy to spend time with as he combined his quick wit and humor with knowledge of the Northwood's that only an ambassador could share. I loved talking to him about our Northwood's home history, hunting grouse, dogs, fishing, and anything to do with outdoor experiences. We also are so deeply grateful for the care and love that he showed towards our property. We always felt the house was in perfect hands and never had to worry about anything which made our times there more relaxing. I will never forget I was coming up for a quick weeknight, middle of the winter stay in the house and it was easily 25 below. Myk knew our family is very involved in ice hockey so I was pleasantly surprised to walk in to the house, lights and heat on, as well as the NHL Network already booted up on the TV...oh, and a 6-pack of Millier High Life waiting! Need I say more.*

We will miss Myk forever and I am sure we will always look out our windows as we drive through downtown Boulder hoping to see Myk walking the streets or sitting outside Knitt's Hardware holding court. RIP Myk and stay strong Joni.

David and Molly Fritz and Family

David Fritz - December 09, 2016 at 01:12 PM

CL

“ *Joni, on behalf of all the Lappins, we are deeply sorry to hear of Myk's passing. He was a wonderful man and great friend to the family. We will forever cherish the memories we shared during our time in Boulder. His kindness towards all of us was immeasurable and so greatly appreciated. He will be truly missed and fondly revered by all of us.*

Chris and Sylvie Lappin - December 09, 2016 at 09:38 AM

HB

“ *Mykl would always put a smile on your face. He had a heart of gold and will be missed by all that knew him. Joni we are so sorry for your loss and you are in our thoughts and prayers.* ”

Henry & Lois Bauers - December 08, 2016 at 05:58 PM

MT

“ *2 files added to the album Myk* ”



Margie Titel - December 08, 2016 at 04:27 PM

EP

“ Joni:

The town of Boulder Junction has truly lost a good person and a good friend. He never said hello to me without first asking about my wife Rosa. Always had that dry mysterious humor that only he could pull-off. The first time that Rosa and I met Myk was when we walked into the beer bar about 35 years ago. He got up from a bar stool and asked if we were on our honeymoon; at the same time poured us a beer. The funny thing was Myk didn't even work there. He also gave us a few lessons on how to ice fish at Wittig's , knowing that Rosa was from Puerto Rico and never even stood on ice. "what a guy"! I think that Myk really liked my shot of him as a camo face hunter holding an arrow. Of course Myk did his own makeup with the camo paint.

*Joni, no words can express our sorrow for the lost of our friend Myk; and we sincerely unite in your pain.
It is hard, but try to be as strong as he was in every sense of the word.
Ed & Rosa Hoppe*

ed hoppe photography - December 08, 2016 at 03:37 PM

SG

“ Joni...so sad to hear of Myk's passing...I will always remember him as the quickest wit and biggest smile in Boulder Jct. we had some crazy fun during youth group outings didn't we? Our prayers are with you and yours...

susan govier - December 08, 2016 at 12:34 PM

MW

“ *Mark & Nancy Wahlgren lit a candle in memory of Mykl J. Hensley*



mark & nancy wahlgren - December 08, 2016 at 11:27 AM

MS

“ *Joni, our deepest sympathy to you and your family. Mykl was a joy to know. He always had a smile and something to say when we saw him. We'll remember all he did for us and his practical neighborhood jokes. Hugs!*



Myrna Schmuhl - December 08, 2016 at 10:53 AM

HK

Joni, sorry for your loss, Mykl was a great woodsmen and a real asset to Headwaters SAR . He will be missed. Howard Kislewski

Howard Kislewski - December 09, 2016 at 10:54 AM

PO

Joni we are so sorry for your loss. Myk was the best friend I had and he will be missed.

preston overshiner - December 10, 2016 at 01:24 PM

TK

Joni, so sorry to hear of Myk's passing. Thoughts and prayers with you.

Tanya Kramar-Heuser - December 11, 2016 at 04:37 PM

GB

*Joni
so sorry to hear of you loss. my thoughts and prayers are with you.
Gordon BiGGAR*

GORDON BIGGAR - December 12, 2016 at 01:25 PM



Sorry to hear of Mykls passing. Our group the Iron Junction crew always enjoyed Mykls company when we were out and about. Boulder truly lost a great one. THE IRON JUCTION HUNTING CLUB HWY H.

Steven Mueller - December 14, 2016 at 08:46 PM