



Anthony M. "Tony" Risley

April 14, 1964 - January 31, 2016

RISLEY, Anthony M. "Tony" age 51 of New Carlisle passed away unexpectedly at his residence on Sunday, January 31, 2016. He was born on April 14, 1964 in Montclair, New Jersey to Mary Angerosa Risley and Martin (Bev) Risley. In addition to his parents, Tony is survived by his siblings: Michael (Sharon) Risley, Karen (John) Henz, Steve (Paige) Risley and Joe (Andrea) Risley; nieces and nephews: Christopher Boian, Zachary, Alex and Jessica Henz, Mac and Mitch Risley and Dominic Risley; Tony's step-sons whom he helped raise and was very close to: Josh and Justin McDevitt and former wife, Nancy Risley. He is preceded in death by maternal grandparents, Joseph and Susan Angerosa; paternal grandparents, Mary and Mark Risley and uncles: Nick Angerosa Ph.D and Mark Risley. Tony was a 1982 graduate of Tecumseh High School and JVS where he studied carpentry; he then went on to graduate from Clark State Police Academy. He was a police officer for 30 years working at various police departments, gaining 1,134 hours in advanced law enforcement training, but his heart was full when he became a D.A.R.E officer. He thoroughly enjoyed working with the kids at Graham and Greenon Schools where he made a large impact through the D.A.R.E program. Tony was also a kitchen designer and mill work specialist at Home Depot in Springfield but he had also worked at multiple lumber yards through the years. A visitation will be held on Thursday, February 4, 2016 at JACKSON LYTTLE & LEWIS LIFE CELEBRATION CENTER from 4:00-6:00 p.m. with the service beginning at 6:00. In lieu of flowers, the family wishes

memorial contributions be made to the Clark County D.A.R.E program or the American Diabetes Association in Tony's honor. Condolences may be forwarded to the family by visiting www.jacksonlytle.com

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 4. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Jackson Lytle & Lewis Life Celebration Center
2425 N. Limestone St.
Springfield, OH 45503
(937) 399-2811

Service

FEB 4. 6:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

B#

“ *RIP Tony, I really enjoyed working with you. You always greeted everyone when arriving at work, no matter what was going on in your life , good or bad. Loved your positive attitude.*

Becky Brown #3867 - February 04, 2016 at 03:38 PM

LC

“ *Worked with Tony in St. Paris. He was one of a kind. So very sorry to hear this. Just way too young. RIP dear friend. Linda*

Linda Massie Coleman - February 03, 2016 at 01:14 PM

SH

“ *Praying for your family during this time. Tony was very inspirational to so many. Rest in heaven, Tony.*

Stacey H - February 03, 2016 at 10:41 AM

DT

“ *Tony was a good man a wonderful police officer in St. Paris. He was always very sincere and caring and loved his work. I can't remember a single negative thing about his work serving the people of St. Paris. He was always a professional, courteous, and kind in his work even when people were difficult to deal with and causing a problem. My daughter is a federal agent and he was a professional when she stopped to just visit St. Paris P.D., on a courtesy basis, and he was present. Thanks Tony for your service to so many. We share our prayers for your family and loved ones during this time of sadness and loss. Blessings and prayers! ~ Duane & Mary Tron, St. Paris, Ohio*

Duane Tron - February 02, 2016 at 08:59 PM

GS

“ My heart goes out to all of Tony's family and Tony's friends. I didn't know him well, but no one who lived in New Carlisle back then didn't at least know or know of the Risley family, Tony most certainly included. I had the opportunity to get to know him a bit better through the Explorer post at NCFD. An all around great guy with a ready sense of humor and infectious laugh. I remember later on hearing that he had gone into law enforcement, and thinking some community somewhere was quite lucky to have him.

My deepest condolences to all who knew and loved him.

Garry Staples - February 02, 2016 at 05:55 PM

GG

“ We worked at Catawba PD together in 1985. So sorry and prayers to his family and coworkers. Rest peacefully Tony.... you will be missed

Gerry Gustin

Gerry Gustin - February 02, 2016 at 05:38 PM

JM

“ Mary and family. So sorry to hear about your loss. May he rest in peace.

Jim and Ruth Meyers



Jim and Ruth Meyers - February 02, 2016 at 01:09 PM



“ I work at the #3867 home depot store that he worked at and let me tell ya...he was hell of a good associate...always was sweet to us, and the customers, always got the job done and more...he will be truly missed...

Darylanna Cooper - February 02, 2016 at 09:32 AM

NR

“ Sharon, Mike, and the rest of the Risley family, our hearts go out to you and know we are sending love and good thoughts your way.
Noelle Sean and Chris

noelle rothwell - February 02, 2016 at 09:04 AM

LM

“ Karen and family I am so sorry for your loss! Prayers for you all!
Lisa

Lisa Norman Mckenna - February 02, 2016 at 06:40 AM

CH

“ To my father Mike Risley i'm very sorry for the loss of your brother stay strong things will get better just know he is in a much better place with the Lord Jesus Christ from your son Christopher boian

Christopher - February 02, 2016 at 03:53 AM



“ Mike and Family, I learned of Tony's passing yesterday. It appears from the obit that he may have suffered diabetes. I also fight that battle everyday. God give all of you peace and the strength to endure his loss.



Cheri Robbins - February 01, 2016 at 10:59 PM

DO

My condolences to the family. I worked with Tony for a few years in Enon. He was a good friend and brother and will be missed by me and other officers. I enjoyed our talks everytime I would go into Home Depot. May the Lord Bless you and keep you.

David Oty - February 02, 2016 at 08:04 AM

KB

I met Tony through his family, I didn't know him very well or very long, but I could tell he had a sweet spirit and enjoyed his smile. My thoughts and prayers are with the family...Keep your faith and it will carry you on the darkest days. Know I'm here Mary, Sharon, and Mike if you need anything. I'm only a phone call away. Rest in Peace Tony and know that your work on Earth is done but the lives you have touched will live on forever. Karen

Karen Butler - February 04, 2016 at 12:19 PM

T#

“ *You are an awesome guy Tony. Was a pleasure to work with you at HD #3867. May you rest in peace with no more pain.. RIP. You will be missed.. Tammy Starr*

Tammy Starr #3867 - February 01, 2016 at 10:46 PM

 Sandy Chatfield

“ *Mike, Karen, Steve and Joe, my thoughts are with you all and your families. The loss of a sibling in a family as strong as yours is tremendous. May that strength hold you all through this time and days ahead.*

R.I.P. Tony

Thank you for all your service to the communities you served, and the lives you influenced. You will be missed at Home Depot as well.

Sandy (Gossett) Chatfield

Sandy Chatfield - February 01, 2016 at 07:47 PM

IC

“ Tony,
*Thank you for all your knowledge and great customer service at
Home Depot 3867. May you rest in peace now.*
Tom & Ida Conley

ida conley - February 01, 2016 at 06:50 PM