



## Mr. Frank E. Huntley

March 6, 1960 - September 8, 2011

Frank E. Huntley, age 51, of Gobles, entered into his new life on Thursday Sept. 8, 2011. Frank was born March 6, 1960 in Grand Rapids, MI the son of Harold Huntley and Nora and Lyle Goding. Frank was an avid outdoors man who enjoyed the peacefulness of being on the water fishing, in the woods hunting and keeping all those prized mushroom hunting spots a secret. He had an infectious personality that was charismatic, magnetic and fun-loving, always one for a good joke and laughter. Surviving are Catherine, his wife of 23 years, parents Nora and Lyle Goding, sisters Ronda (Ron) Ouderkirk, Karen Ward, DeeAnn (Bob) Blanton, Cindy (Terry) Kozminski. In-laws Jerry & Sandy Lentz, Jerry (Kathy) Lentz, Jim Lentz, Chris (Julie) Lentz & many nieces and nephews along with his dog Syd. And a special brother, Steve Hamilton. A Celebration of Life is to be held Saturday Sept. 17, 2011 at 1PM at Journey Family Church 313 Depot St. Gobles, MI with Pastor Gary Napp officiating. In Lieu of flowers, memorial contributions should be made to the Journey Family Church building fund which was near and dear to Frank's heart.

Arrangements by Gobles Chapel, D. L. Miller Funeral Home.

# Tribute Wall

CH

“ *C. Huntley sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Frank E. Huntley*



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**C. Huntley** - May 04, 2014 at 02:13 PM

C.

“ *C.--- lit a candle in memory of Mr. Frank E. Huntley*



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**C.---** - September 06, 2013 at 11:51 PM

CA

“ *Cath lit a candle in memory of Mr. Frank E. Huntley*



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**Cath** - July 19, 2013 at 09:58 PM

CA

“ *Catherine sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Frank E. Huntley*



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**Catherine** - May 14, 2013 at 08:00 PM

CA

“ Cath lit a candle in memory of Mr. Frank E. Huntley



Cath - January 03, 2013 at 07:59 PM

CH

“ Catherine H lit a candle in memory of Mr. Frank E. Huntley



Catherine H - September 10, 2012 at 08:22 PM

CA

“ Cath lit a candle in memory of Mr. Frank E. Huntley



Cath - July 07, 2012 at 12:03 PM

HO

“ Holly lit a candle in memory of Mr. Frank E. Huntley



holly - March 25, 2012 at 11:43 AM

CA

“ Catherine lit a candle in memory of Mr. Frank E. Huntley



Catherine - March 24, 2012 at 07:34 PM

CH

“ All I can say is that I love the great man you were, but I love even more the icredible man you became.....I am grateful I was and am able to live that every day. Love you!

Catherine Huntley - September 29, 2011 at 08:11 AM

DC

“ Thought of you today Frank, while visiting the Whiskey Run River.  
Deb Cox

Deb Cox - September 25, 2011 at 08:19 PM

BG

“ Sorry to hear of Frank's passing. So glad he is a Christian -- we will see him again on the other side!  
Our deepest love and sympathy to Lyle, Nora and the rest of the family.  
Much love from all your extended family in Idaho.  
David and Betty Goding  
Ralph and Beverly Goding and kids, Glade, Wayne, Sammy, Serena, and Bobbi  
Maxine Kingston and son, Tim Hulsey



Beverly Goding - September 17, 2011 at 02:37 PM

CB

“ Frankie, Tomorrow we will all gather at your Church for you. I know there will be many. You touched so many lives. You will be missed, but I know you are loving where you are. I will see you again. Keep dad away from the turtle food.....  
ILOVEYOUFOREVER.....

cbabe5 - September 16, 2011 at 10:02 PM

JB

“ Janet (Anderson) Brotherton lit a candle in memory of Mr. Frank E. Huntley



Janet (Anderson) Brotherton - September 15, 2011 at 08:21 PM

JB

*I will always remember the fun he and I had at Kelloggsvile High.*

Janet (Anderson) Brotherton - September 15, 2011 at 08:23 PM

 Kelli Biesbrock

“ Frank embodied the Christian spirit, heart and soul and his faith will live on in many, as his courage graced us everyday, and lifted our spirits. He was always happy to share a conversation, and what's for lunch foods, Spaghetti O's! Oh yeah! I amongst many, give thanks for the friendship shared, thanks for the memories Frank, and the one last hug! My Hubby was thrilled to share the deer story with you, and the visual aid was priceless!  
So many hearts grew bigger because of you!

*Love you! Mike and Kelli Biesbrock*

Kelli Biesbrock - September 15, 2011 at 08:41 AM

JK

“ We are missing you Frank, when you were in the room there was always laughter.

*I was touched by your amazing spirit and strength and so happy for your connection with GOD. I am sure you have your wings already and are smiling down on us.....*

*RIP*

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jan k - September 15, 2011 at 06:46 AM

SR

“ I was so happy to be able to reconnect with Frank thru FaceBook. I am not at all surprised at how God used Frank during this past year. What an awesome witness.....I am going to miss his daily postings. I will always remember Frank's humor and wit....and also what a charmer he was. In spite of everything he was going through, he made it a point to pray for my daughter during her health troubles. I feel like she now has a special angel watching over her. My heart breaks for Nora, Franks sisters and his beautiful wife Cathy. May you find comfort in knowing that Frank touched so many during his life and we are all better for having known him. God bless you!

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Stacey Farrow Reed - September 14, 2011 at 07:38 PM

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Christine Cole - September 14, 2011 at 06:12 PM

CH

Thanks for posting these great photos, Christine! :)

Catherine Huntley - September 14, 2011 at 06:27 PM

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Christine Cole - September 14, 2011 at 06:11 PM

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Christine Cole - September 14, 2011 at 06:08 PM

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Christine Cole - September 14, 2011 at 06:07 PM

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**Christine Cole** - September 14, 2011 at 06:05 PM

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**Adam Hawley** - September 14, 2011 at 08:57 AM

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*Thanks for the laugh, Adam.....I am sure Frank is laughing too! :)*

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**Catherine Huntley** - September 14, 2011 at 12:47 PM

RW

“ *Frank and Harry together again ! Look out lord ! Caloose !*

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**Richard A Woodard** - September 13, 2011 at 09:39 AM

RK

“ My brother just picked my grandpa up from the hospital and stopped by Whiskey Run. Frank hooked into a salmon and handed the pole to my grandpa. This was the first salmon my grandpa had ever fought. Frank told my brother to go down and net the fish and clean it up however my pa wanted. This was the last day of salmon season and Frank not only gave up the chance to fight the fish, but was so gracious to even give it to my pa. This gesture made my grandpa's day and will never be forgotten. Frank was a great man and I will always remember all the great times we had at Whiskey Run.

*Ryan Kniss*

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**Ryan Kniss** - September 13, 2011 at 12:00 AM

BB

“ Love you Uncle Unk. I can hear you laughing as I type this. Like always, it's making me smile.

*You will forever have a special place in my heart. The 33 year old "man" is at peace that you are free of pain but the 8 year old "man" will sure miss my Unk.*

*Rest in peace Frank E. Huntley, heaven just welcomed one of the good guys home.*

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**Bob Blanton** - September 12, 2011 at 10:24 PM

DB

“ I will never forget a night out with Frank and Cathy and Bob and Dee. Dee and I were doing a fast dance with Frank and he said he felt pretty cool dancing with two beautiful woman. What a sweet thing to say. Made my night! He always made us laugh. always!  
Love and Prayers,  
Gary and Deb Blanton

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**Debra J. Blanton** - September 12, 2011 at 09:38 PM

JW

“ I met Frank, Kathryn & Sid many years ago camping in northern Michigan at Twin Oaks. Always some of my favorite people. Frank always with a smile, always with a joke or wise crack. Loving good people. I was blessed to see them again on 4th of July. Rest in peace Frank. You were loved by so many for the joy you brought into their lives. Kathryn our prayers are with you to give you strength in this terrible time. We love you both always ... the gang at Twin Oaks



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**Jackie Weller** - September 12, 2011 at 09:08 PM

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**Catherine Huntley** - September 12, 2011 at 08:58 PM

CS

*Franky my dear, you are just a voice call away... even a whisper, when your family needs you now. Because God decided he needed you, and you answered his call. Celebrate, Rejoyce, and Exhault him, as never before. You have just begun your journey to eturnity. Keep an eye on us down here, but enjoy your new home, new body, and life. You will be missed, but you shared the Light!, We know we will see you again... I will be looking for that Mini bike Burn...:) you know what I mean... John 3:16.. its that easy...*

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**C Simmons** - September 14, 2011 at 07:17 AM

JW

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**Jackie Weller** - September 12, 2011 at 08:57 PM

CK

“ *Cindy Kozminski lit a candle in memory of Mr. Frank E. Huntley*



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**Cindy Kozminski** - September 12, 2011 at 08:34 PM

CK

*Frank, I will miss you so much, I enjoyed all your posting on facebook about the Lord, I do hope you knew what a great inspiration you were to so many people, I will miss your jokes you sent to me and the songs we shared and my heart still hurts a lot due to losing you but what does help me is I know without a doubt you are with Jesus and surrounded by more love than what we all could ever imagine and I know we all will be together again and you are cancer free praise God, you will be in my heart till I get to come home and you can show me around God's kingdom love you brother*

Cindy Kozminski - September 12, 2011 at 08:46 PM

RO

*“ frankie!!!! my baby brother, there just are no words to say how much I love you and am going to miss you!!!! you brought joy no matter where or who you were with. your sense of humor was the best. your love for your life and what God blessed you with while you were here on earth showed in your smile and in your loving eyes. I will miss you greatly until we meet again baby brother I love you.....ronda you big sister*



ronda ouderkirk - September 12, 2011 at 07:47 PM

SB

*“ Frank was a shining light for all of us, and a reminder to never give up. Deepest condolences to Cathy and the entire family....will miss you, Frank, but will never forget you!*



Shelley & Dan Brindley - September 12, 2011 at 07:40 PM

WF

“ I met Frank years ago at a favorite Salmon fishing spot! I could tell right from the beginning he loved fishing. My son was fishing one night and his Gram-pa pulled up to the guard-rails to see what the action was like. Right then Frank hooks a fish steps back and hands the fish to Pa (Grand-pa) so he steps over the guard-rails and starts fighting the fish just a smiling! Another fisher man goes to net the fish and Frank say's you better let the Grand-son get that one! He got the fish and took it home! Frank really made their day and mine also!

I will really miss Franks post on Face-book I enjoy the songs he would post and still play them to this day! I am thankful to be your friend and what a blessing you have and always will be! Your Friend Wes!

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**Wesley M. Frisbie** - September 12, 2011 at 06:25 PM

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**DeeAnn Blanton** - September 12, 2011 at 03:27 PM

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*he loves you just for a couple of days! :) .....ok forever too!*

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**Catherine Huntley** - September 12, 2011 at 05:42 PM

RV

“ Many wonderful memories but a couple of my favorites were, sipping a few cold ones on the back deck of a cabin overlooking Traverse Bay, and playing horseshoes at Wellston. What an honor and blessing to know you Frank you touched so many, and you still are. Thank you for the scriptures and funny emails and all the laughs. I know your having a blast right now and in the blink of an eye we will all be together again. Praise God Our Father for that opportunity!! Love you Frank and see you on the other side. Your cuz, and brother and sister in Christ. Rick and Mel

rick vigland - September 12, 2011 at 02:18 PM



“ We met Frank & Cathy when we were on a cruise round the carribean. Do you remember Cathy we had no luggage for the first week, and Frank was always there to cheer me up. He was the life and sole of the party, and we are so sad to hear of Franks death. Mark and I send our love and a big hug to you from Edinburgh, and thinking of you and Franks family, god bless.



Love Mark and Jackie  
Edinburgh, Scotland  
xx

Jackie Delves - September 12, 2011 at 02:14 PM

KW

“ I met Frank after he and Cathy moved to North lake in Gobles and got better acquainted when they moved into town. I have to many memories to post her but my main one is going to Gr with Cathy and Frank for pizza and never getting Pizza. all the different places we traveled to. just so many fond memories. My deepest Sympathy to Cathy, her family, and Franks family. I am gratefull that he came into my life. I will miss him.

Kay Wesler - September 12, 2011 at 12:32 PM

JL

“ Frank has been one of my best friends and brother-in-law for over 23 years...lots of fond memories and fun times! Frank, I love you, miss you and praise God for you. - Jerry

Jerry Lentz - September 12, 2011 at 12:13 PM

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“ Frank and I graduated H.S. together, over 32 years ago. We reconnected through facebook! It was wonderful to be in touch with him again after all this time. He was an inspiration to many... posting bible scriptures, other quotes or videos. We will miss him dearly. May God bless all of you and give you peace and comfort during this difficult time. You are in my heart, thoughts and prayers.



Sherri Craver (Marlette) - September 12, 2011 at 11:58 AM

JL

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**Jerry Lentz** - September 12, 2011 at 11:58 AM

MB

“ *"Frankie" never let a moment go by that he didn't take the opportunity to make someone laugh or smile! He always brought joy to everyone around him! I'll NEVER forget the Good times we all shared! My prayers are with the family during this time. I'm SO thankful that he came to know the Lord and that he's hanging out with Jesus even now!*

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**Mark Burd** - September 12, 2011 at 11:45 AM

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**Sherri Craver (Marlette)** - September 12, 2011 at 11:35 AM

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*I thought this was the most perfect picture. Frank is now in the Loving arms of Jesus our Lord and Savior in Heaven.*

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**Sherri Craver (Marlette)** - September 12, 2011 at 11:37 AM

JB

“ Our sincere sympathy to Dee and Bob, and to all Frank's family. May you find some healing in your grief. Love, Jackie and John Bartley

Jackie Bartley - September 12, 2011 at 10:43 AM

JR

“ Keeping you all closer than ever in our hearts. Love always, Jack and Julie Ridl

Jack Ridl - September 12, 2011 at 10:26 AM

PB

“ I did not know Frank personally, but if he was anything like his sister Cindy...He had to be a good man..I know he will be missed..Prayers to the family.

Patsy Bennett - September 12, 2011 at 09:56 AM

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ILOVEYOUFOREVER

DeeAnn Blanton - September 12, 2011 at 10:54 AM

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Sherri Craver (Marlette) - September 12, 2011 at 11:29 AM