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Carroll Max Irelan, 61 of Centerville, passed away Tuesday, November 10, 2020 at MercyOne in Centerville. Max was born to Gerald and Martha (Hetzler) Irelan on February 20, 1959 in Centerville. Max graduated from Centerville High School in 1977 and went on to attend Indian Hills to get his AA in Computer Programming, graduating in 1987. While in school, Max loved playing in the band and was known for being ornery. He worked as a salesman for many years of his life, a career he loved dearly. Max was married to Stacey Stelzer in 1985, and to this union two children were born: Nick and Elizabeth Irelan. Max and Stacey were later divorced. He was married to Melissa Ellis in 2003, and to this union a son, Sammy, was born. Max's children were the loves of his life, and he always looked forward to attending their activities. Max was a baptized member of the First Baptist Church in Jasper, Indiana. He will be remembered for his sharp wit and sense of humor. Max was always looking for ways to make excitement happen. In his spare time, he enjoyed watching NASCAR and going to concerts. You could oftentimes find Max listening to his favorite talk radio, and he spent a lot of his time outdoors, fishing and hunting. Max is survived by his mother Martha Irelan, sister Nancy Stickler (Rodney), children Nick and Elizabeth Irelan and Sammy Irelan, nieces Kaitlin Woodward (Jeff) and Taylor Phillips, great nephew Milo Phillips and numerous extended family. He is preceded in death by his father Gerald Irelan. A funeral service for Max will take place at 2:00 PM on Friday, November 13, 2020 at the Thomas Funeral Home in Centerville with interment at Sunset View Cemetery in Moulton directly following the service. Visitation will be held on Thursday evening, November 12, 2020 from 5-7:00 p.m. at Thomas Funeral Home in Centerville. Memorials can be made to the family to be designated at a later date. Due to Covid-19, the family asks that masks be worn and social distancing is practiced. Condolences may be shared at www.thomasfh.com or facebook.com/thomasfuneralhome. To send flowers or a



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Max Ireland

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memorial gift to the family of Max Ireland please visit our Sympathy Store. Cemetery Details Sunset View Cemetery Moulton, IA Visitation NOV 12. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CST) Thomas Funeral Home - Centerville 501 North 18th StreetCenterville, IA 52544 Funeral Service NOV 13. 2:00 PM (CST) Thomas Funeral Home-Centerville 501 North 18th StreetCenterville, IA 52544<http://www.thomasfh.com>



Tribute Wall

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Thomas Funeral Home posted:

October 21 at 3:44 PM



Thomas Funeral Home shared an album called **Obituary Wall**.



October 13 at 5:42 PM



Melinda Trawibuchanan posted:

Max and I were classmates in school and during our last class reunion we sat together during pep chapel. I was so pleased to see Max looking so well and dressed so spiffy! We enjoyed sitting together and catching up, we often 'talked' via Facebook and email though I must admit we had fallen out of touch over the last 18 months or so. I will miss Max's wit and wild commentary of the world goes on, he certainly had a unique point of view at times. Nancy, I am so sorry for your loss, I will be thinking of you.

November 19 at 7:00 PM



Leeanne Stevens posted:

Sorry for your loss. Max was a great guy And a great friend. I knew him since I was very little. My grandma visited a lady named Vi I think or Vea and Max was related to her and we would play hide and seek and games when I saw him there. Anyway, very sorry to hear this.

November 16 at 7:00 PM



Kenny Hogg posted:

Kenny Hogg lit a candle in memory of Max Irelan

November 13 at 7:00 PM



Carolyn Bauman posted:

al am sorry Martha and family but feel it is not wise for me to get out. Will be thinking of all of you.

November 12 at 7:00 PM



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DL

Dennis & Beverly Sisul Laurson posted:

Dennis & Beverly Sisul Laurson lit a candle in memory of Max Irelan

November 11 at 7:00 PM

JC

Joetta Cortesio posted:

Martha and family, so sorry to hear. Thinking of you!! Steve & Joetta Cortesio

November 11 at 7:00 PM

JP

Jeanie Pratte posted:

Jeanie Pratte lit a candle in memory of Max Irelan

November 11 at 7:00 PM

FB

Florene Brown posted:

martha and family, so sorry to hear about max's death. may God be with you all. From Florene Brown and family.

November 11 at 7:00 PM

FS

Floor Plant For Sympathy posted:

Floor Plant for Sympathy was purchased for the family of Max Irelan.

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