



## Doug Mechelke

December 31, 2019

Doug Mechelke, age 49, passed away Tuesday, December 31, 2019. Beloved husband of 8 years to Jen (nee Blauman). Loving son of Ray and Jackie (nee McGuire) Mechelke. Dear grandson of Dorothy Taylor. Brother of Michele Gajewsky (Dan). Uncle of Brandon and Clayton Gajewsky. Cherished brother-in-law and uncle. Papa to beloved pets Chloe, Chopper, Gemma, Leo, Molly and Duke. Doug was a Gulf War Veteran of the U.S. Marine Corps. Family will receive friends in THE VODRAZKA FUNERAL HOME OF INDEPENDENCE, 6505 BRECKSVILLE RD., (RT. 21, S. OF ROCKSIDE), SUNDAY, JANUARY 5, 2020 FROM NOON – 4 P.M., with a funeral service to follow at 4 p.m. Interment will take place Wednesday, January 8, 2020 at 10:30 a.m. at Ohio Western Reserve National Cemetery, 10175 Rawiga Rd., Rittman, Ohio, 44273, with Military Honors. (PLEASE MEET AT THE CEMETERY GATE AT 10:15 A.M.)

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN **5**. 12:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Vodrazka Funeral Home  
6505 Brecksville Rd  
Independence, OH 44131  
[vodrazkafuneralcare@gmail.com](mailto:vodrazkafuneralcare@gmail.com)  
<https://www.vodrazkafunerals.com>

## Funeral Service

JAN **5**. 4:00 PM - 4:30 PM (ET)

Vodrazka Funeral Home  
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Independence, OH 44131  
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## Cemetery

JAN **8**. 10:30 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Ohio Western Reserve National Cemetery  
10175 Rawiga Rd.  
Seville, OH 44273

# Tribute Wall

MS

“ *Mike Shaw purchased the Fairest of All for the family of Doug Mechelke.*



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**Mike Shaw** - January 05, 2020 at 12:49 PM

MD

“ *Mr & Mrs Robert Dixon lit a candle in memory of Doug Mechelke*



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**Mr & Mrs Robert Dixon** - January 05, 2020 at 12:44 PM



“ *Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Doug Mechelke.*



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January 05, 2020 at 10:34 AM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Doug Mechelke.*



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January 05, 2020 at 09:33 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Doug Mechelke.*



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January 03, 2020 at 08:29 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Doug Mechelke.*



January 03, 2020 at 11:46 AM

JM

“ *“Remember I love you ,remember I care. I will always be with you though you don’t see me there.”I would write this at the end of letters that I wrote to him when he was with the Marines. Miss you and will forever love you. Mom*

jackie mechelke - January 03, 2020 at 11:29 AM

RD

*We are so sorry for your loss Jackie we are praying for you and your family.  
Robert and Beverly Dixon.*

robert and Beverly Dixon - January 05, 2020 at 12:20 PM

DC

“ *Hi Jen my condolences. I was very sorry to hear about your husband. If you ever need someone to talk to I can be reached at 216-692-0978. Debbie Calhoun*



Debora Calhoun - January 03, 2020 at 08:21 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Doug Mechelke.*



January 03, 2020 at 05:43 AM

DM

“ *Had one of the greatest times of my life when me and him Went to Kentucky This year to visit with his marine buddies*

David Moorman - January 02, 2020 at 01:45 PM



“ *Doug was married to my daughter, Jenny. Chuck and I have wonderful memories of their wedding at Niagra Falls. We also had a fun trip to the Henry Ford Museum. Zome really good times.*



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**Catherine Finley** - January 02, 2020 at 01:08 PM