



# Michael G. Bachler

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**M**ichael G. Bachler, age 63, of Marine City, passed away peacefully at home on June 22, 2025 surrounded by his family. He was born on May 19, 1962 to the late Joseph and Mary Bachler.

Mike was a graduate of Marine City High School, class of 1980. He married Donna Chmielewski on January 12, 1990. Mike grew up working for family-owned businesses including Bachler Electric in Marine City. He went on to represent the Bachler name and proudly ran Bachler Realty as a third-generation broker.

Mike served families all over Michigan in the Real Estate industry. He made numerous friends and loved working with his clients. Those relationships were a big reason why Mike worked as a broker for over 35 years. In his spare time, Mike was an avid gun collector, who would go shooting with his brother and father.

He enjoyed golfing, from local courses to family trips up north. He was a Detroit sports enthusiast, mainly supporting the Lions and especially the Tigers. He enjoyed many family snowmobiling trips. Mike took great pride in his lawn, making sure it was always cut and looking good.

Above all, Mike cherished the time he spent with his family, especially his grandchildren. His sense of humor, dedication, and generosity will be missed by all who knew him. He is survived by his loving wife of 35 years, Donna Bachler; sons, Trent (Megan Schalk) Attebury, Zach (Ashley Zwack) Bachler, Aaron Bachler; grandchildren, Madison, Charlotte, Dalton, Evelyn; brothers, Mark Bachler, Scott (Eileen) Bachler; brother-in-law, Sam Polio, as well as several other relatives and friends.

He is preceded in death by his siblings, Susan Polio, Joseph Bachler III; sister-in-law, Carrie Bachler. A funeral service will be Tuesday, July 1st at 11:00 a.m. at Young Funeral Home, China



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Twp. Visiting hours will be on Monday, June 30th from 2:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. as well as one hour prior to the service on Tuesday.

In lieu of flowers, memorials are suggested to the wishes of the family. To leave a message of comfort visit [www.youngcolonial.com](http://www.youngcolonial.com).

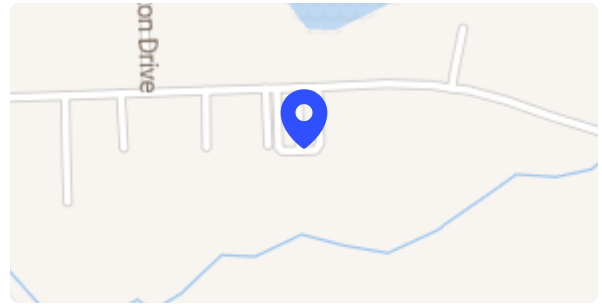


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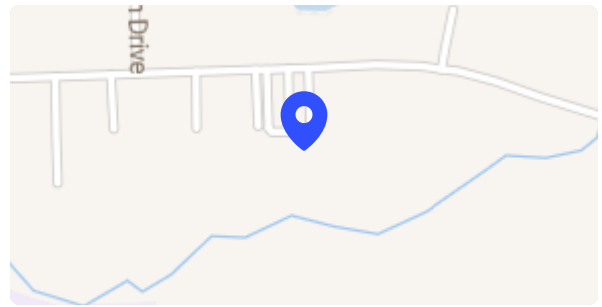
## Visitation

- Monday**, June 30, 2025
- 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM ET
- Young Colonial Chapel Funeral Home, Inc.**  
4061 Saint Clair Hwy, East China MI 48054
- Visitation one hour prior to service, 10-11 am



## Service

- Tuesday**, July 1, 2025
- 11:00 AM ET
- Young Colonial Chapel Funeral Home**  
4061 Saint Clair Hwy, East China MI





# Tribute Wall

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**Dave Follebout** posted:

I worked with Mike at Skipper's TV and Appliance, the old Bachler Electric, back in high school. Mike was easy going and fun to work with and he was always very pleasant to be around. I learned a lot about being respectful to others from working with him those few years. Although our paths did not cross much after that I'm glad that I had the opportunity to get to know him back then.

July 3 at 12:02 PM



**Anita Wesley** posted:

RIP dear Mike. We sat at the same table in 6th grade, Mrs. Tomlin's class. We had so much fun and Mike was such a cool guy. Our kids were friends in school too. Sorry for your loss, Donna and kids and all the family, we send thoughts and prayers today. Anita Wesley (Mike's class), Jerry and Family

July 1 at 12:32 PM



**Kay Carlisle** posted:

I don't know if you remember me, but I wanted to let you know my thoughts and prayers are with you at this time. Kay Carlisle

June 29 at 1:46 PM



**Anonymous** sent an Emerald Garden Basket to the Bachler family.



June 28 at 8:19 AM



**Anonymous** sent a Beautiful in Blue to the Bachler family.



June 28 at 4:38 AM



**Anonymous** sent a Sentiments of Serenity Spray to the Bachler family.



June 27 at 4:24 PM



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**Anonymous** planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Michael.



June 27 at 4:24 PM



**The Senger Girls** sent a Your Light Shines to the Bachler family.



June 26 at 8:19 AM



**Robert Follebout** posted:

Mike and I went thru school together, can't say we were close but we were always friends. Mike was one of the kindest most genuine people I've ever known. He will truly be missed by all that have known him. My heart goes out to his family and friends. Robert Follebout

June 25 at 5:51 PM



**Ken Baxter & Cathy Baxter** sent a Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum to the Bachler family.



June 25 at 3:06 PM



**Gloria, Mary, Tony And David** sent a Peaceful White Lilies Basket to the Bachler family.



June 25 at 6:19 AM



**Anonymous** sent a Sweet & Savory Snacks Gift Basket to the Bachler family.



June 24 at 7:29 PM



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**Nancy Brown** posted:

Mike was an incredible professional. He assisted our family on multiple occasions with real estate transactions. Always so helpful, highly competent and a straight shooter. I am so very sorry for your loss.

June 24 at 7:04 PM



**Jeff M.** sent a Yellow Tulips and Purple Iris (Silk Cemetery Flowers) to the Bachler family.



June 24 at 6:14 PM



**Jeff M.** planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Michael.



June 24 at 6:14 PM



**Mike Mclean** posted:

It's very sad and unbelievable to read about Mike's passing. Mike had an old soul, as they say, even when we were kids he always seemed like an adult; seemed to be involved in something larger than bratty kid stuff like me. He was always so kind and thoughtful. We will remember Mike's calm. He enjoyed good jokes and fellowship with everyone. Mike will always have a very special place in our hearts. Donna and the family are in our thoughts and prayers. The McLean Family

June 24 at 5:48 PM

**AW** **Anne Whaling** June 25 at 4:50 AM  
Well said, Mike



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**Craig Zimmerman** posted:

Mike was a lifelong friend who was so even-tempered for all 58 years of interacting with him, from grade school all the way up to six weeks ago. I highly doubt you could find a human on Earth who would say a bad word about him. Our fathers were friends for over seven decades, and we played together in Little League, hung around in middle and high school, coached our kids, watched our kids play sports, and even did many business deals with each other; it simply was "a wonderful life" that we enjoyed. And even though it's sad that we won't be able to sit in his office and discuss the state of the real estate market or Marine City in general, I am certainly thankful for the lifetime friendship we enjoyed. R.I.P., Michael G. and condolences to the entire Bachler family.

June 24 at 5:42 PM



**Tom Emig** posted:

My sincere condolences to Donna and the entire Bachler family on Mike's passing. Mike was always a man I greatly respected not only for his business acumen but for his integrity and kindness. It is truly very sad for all that knew him and for community, He will be missed God Bless Tom and Terri Emig

June 24 at 2:32 PM



**Randy & Julie Debeul** sent a Country Basket Blooms to the Bachler family.



June 24 at 12:47 PM



**Anonymous** sent a Beautiful in Blue to the Bachler family.



June 24 at 12:08 PM



**Georgiana Burns** posted:

So sorry for the Bachler family. Knew his Moms family well.

June 24 at 10:37 AM



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**Larry Aspenleiter** posted:

Joe helped me get my 1st home and then mike my last 3. Remember going as a kid to bachelor electric as a kid with patents to buy home needs. Amazing dedicated family to one and all. God bless

June 24 at 10:03 AM



**Connie Parmer** July 4 at 3:24 PM

Mike and I knew each other years ago when he was in Florida. I'm so sorry to hear of his passing. He was one of the warmest, most easy-going people I've ever known. He will always have a special place in my heart. My thoughts and prayers are with the whole family.—Connie Parmer



**Janet Demist** June 24 at 5:19 PM

RIP Mike - there are no words but - Such a kind & caring man who took care of his business & family & friends. I will always be thankful for all his help in sales - he sure knew his "stuff." Sincere Sympathy to you Donna & the rest of the family. God Bless !



## **Memories only last if you share them**

Join us in honoring Michael by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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