



## Michael Thomas Owens

January 16, 1960 - July 21, 2025

Michael Thomas Owens was born January 16 1960 in New Haven, CT to the late William and Mary Owens. Michael fell asleep in death on July the 21st 2025.

Michael was employed at Goodwill Industries at the time of his passing as a driver. He attended the Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witness. Mike loved music and sports, he was a very talented musician that played the guitar with many bands.

He was married to the love of his life Stephanie Owens for 22 years. He is survived by his wife Stephanie Owens of West Haven, CT, two step sons Torres Anthony Derr, Vincent Ambros Derr of Bridgeport, CT on Step Daughter Brandi Monique Derr of Philadelphia, PA. A sister Robbin Owens of New Haven, CT and a niece Robbin Benefield of New Haven, CT. A brother Leon Barger of North Carolina, three nephews Nicholas Leon Barger, Jonathan Leon Barger of Florida, Leon Barger Jr of North Carolina. Also survived by a host of Aunts, Uncles and Cousins.

# Previous Events

## Calling Hours

JUL 28. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

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New Haven, CT 06511  
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## Funeral Service

JUL 28. 11:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

LK

“ Lori King purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Michael Thomas Owens.



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Lori King - July 27, 2025 at 06:40 PM

LK

“ Lori King planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Michael Thomas Owens.

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Lori King - July 27, 2025 at 06:40 PM

CT

“ I met Mike eight years ago. I remember it was my first time back working after some years. He could sense that I was nervous, but he made sure I knew the job the proper way. Our bond grew tighter over the years, and that was when he became Uncle Mike to me. He always made me feel comfortable and always showed nothing but love and respect to me. You couldn't tell me I wasn't his adopted niece. We talked about just about everyone, but our best talks were our love for sneakers. He was always happy for me when I accomplished goals for myself. I am going to miss our conversations. There were many times when I felt low, but Uncle Mike would always have the best encouraging words. I thank God for allowing us to cross paths.

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Candis Thomas - July 26, 2025 at 06:30 PM

CP

“ I Christopher Przybylowski is a client of Goodwill of Southern New England and I would like to say that Mike was a very intelligent person with a good personality and I am very sorry for your loss. May God rest in his arms and let the light shine upon him always. May God bless his family. Christopher Przybylowski



Christopher Przybylowski - July 25, 2025 at 02:57 PM

CP

“ I Christopher Przybylowski is a client of Goodwill of Southern New England and I would like to say that I'm so sorry for your loss. Mike Owen's was a great intelligence person and he had such a great personality. Every time when I saw him he would always had a great smile. May God rest in his arms and let the light shine upon him always in God's presence. May God bless his family forever, rest in eternal peace Mike Christopher Przybylowski

Christopher Przybylowski - July 25, 2025 at 02:32 PM

MD

“ I remember when you played in the band with Jack you were a great musician and a great friend to many may you rest in peace my prayers are with the family

Mia Donnelly - July 24, 2025 at 06:11 PM

CC

“ Mike always had a cheerful hello in the morning for me in the morning hours of work and was very pleasant to our client,he will be greatly missed.



Cookie Curson - July 24, 2025 at 02:59 PM

SO

*“ Michael was the love of my life .I have to figure out how to continue to live my life without that love .I will miss him so much . He was a wonderful man and I'm so thankful God let me have him for the time I had him. Stephanie Owens*

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**Stephanie Owens** - July 24, 2025 at 12:23 PM

MK

*Michael was my nephew. I can't believe he's gone. I know that God's Word says that we don't know the day or the hour. I will miss him. He was very loving and caring.*

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**Mildred Kenny** - July 24, 2025 at 08:23 PM

AL

*RIP IN Peace dear Michael you were a good friend. I totally enjoyed the great times of going to the guitar store and eating at Denny's Restaurant back in the day. Thank you for your friendship I will never forget you! Rip Allyson*

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**Allyson** - July 26, 2025 at 02:05 AM