



## Mark A. Dougherty

September 10, 1962 - March 20, 2019

Dodgeville / Ridgeway – Mark A. Dougherty age 56, of Dodgeville, died unexpectedly Wednesday, March 20, 2019 from a massive brain bleed at St. Mary's Hospital in Madison.

He was born on September 10, 1962 in Dodgeville, a son of Jack and Phyllis (Tourdot) Dougherty. He attended River Valley Schools and then went to work on the family farm. Mark owned Jack's Never Inn, a restaurant/tavern in Ridgeway, Wisconsin for 11 years with the help of his companion, Diane O'Neill. After that he assisted Jerry and Jackie Hodgson farming, as well as, Wohl Woodworking in Ridgeway Township.

Mark enjoyed his freetime with his friends whether riding his Harley or just visiting at The Wheel in Ridgeway Wisconsin.

Mark was a very giving person, which continued after his death. His liver, lungs, kidneys, skin and eyes continue to live, helping others.

Mark is survived by his mother, Phyllis Dougherty of Dodgeville; his fiancé Ann Rasmussen; his brothers, FarmerJohn (Richel) and Steve (Darcey); his nephews Jack and Hank Dougherty, Augie Dougherty, Matthew Roco; his nieces Marcella Dougherty, Jamaica, Hanna, Jesha Roco, Phyllis Johna Dougherty.

He was preceded in death by his father, Jack Dougherty in 2007.

We would like to thank the staff at St. Mary's Hospital and the organ procurement team.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 11:00 a.m. on Saturday, March 30, 2019 at ST. BRIDGET'S CATHOLIC CHURCH in Ridgeway. Fr. Stephen C. Petrica will officiate. Friends may call from 4:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. on Friday at the GORGEN-McGINLEY & AYERS FUNERAL HOME in Dodgeville and from 10:00 a.m. until time of Mass on Saturday at the church.

In lieu of flowers, memorials to the family appreciated.

# Cemetery Details

## St. Bridget's Cemetery

Cemetery Road  
Ridgeway, WI 53582

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR **29**. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Gorgen-McGinley & Ayers Funeral Home  
400 East Grace Street  
Dodgeville, WI 53533  
(608) 935-5222  
gorgenfh@mhtc.net

## Visitation

MAR **30**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

St. Bridget's Catholic Church  
803 Main Street  
Ridgeway, WI 53582

## Mass of Christian Burial

MAR **30**. 11:00 AM (CT)

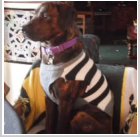
St. Bridget's Catholic Church  
803 Main Street  
Ridgeway, WI 53582

# Tribute Wall



“ *Mark A. Dougherty*

November 15, 2022 at 06:49 AM



“ *Wendi Speigle lit a candle in memory of Mark A. Dougherty*



**Wendi Speigle** - September 12, 2020 at 09:46 PM



*My heart is aching to hear of this, even this long after his death. I had no idea. lighting a candle in your Memory Mark*

**Wendi Speigle** - September 12, 2020 at 09:47 PM

DA

“ *This going to be the hardest day in our life. Never thought this for sure. So glad he was able to help out so many people. Marky forever in all heart's. Will never forget you brother!!!*

**Darcey** - March 28, 2019 at 11:43 PM

ML

“ *I'm so glad I got to see Mark not that long ago, he always had a good hug to go with some good conversation. My heart goes out to all, he will be missed by many,*



**Marie Lewis** - March 27, 2019 at 02:30 PM

DA

“ *Darcey lit a candle in memory of Mark A. Dougherty*



**Darcey** - March 27, 2019 at 12:41 AM

DA

*Marky our life will never be the same without you. So know how much we all loved you! So many great memories that we will hold tight to our heart's. Love you and rest in peace!*

**Darcey** - March 27, 2019 at 12:44 AM

MA

“ *Phyllis, John and clan, my heart is breaking! I am so saddened by this news and am holding you all close in my heart. Sending you wishes for strength and healing and knowing that despite our sadness there have been many happy reunions in heaven this past week!*

*Mary (Russell) Whitmar*

**Mary** - March 26, 2019 at 02:12 PM



“ *Small Garden Dish was purchased for the family of Mark A. Dougherty.*



March 25, 2019 at 03:55 PM