



Timothy S. Pryson

June 29, 1963 - August 8, 2020

Pryson, Timothy S. August 8, 2020 Age 57. Loving husband of Rosemarie. Dear father of Victoria and Scott Pryson. Son of Karen Boss and Michael(Marlene) Pryson . Grandson of Angie Wittrock. Brother of Michael T.(Lori) Pryson, Briana "Buffy" Pryson (Will) Simpson, Joel Pryson and Mikelle Martin. Uncle of Paige, Haylie, Chloe and Patrick. Tim was a Senior Manager of Engineering at Yazaki North America and loyal employee for 33 years. He was a member of the Society of Automotive Engineers. He loved home improvements and being Mr. Fix-It. Tim was an avid golfer and bowler, and enjoyed tennis at the Novi Sports Club. He loved to snowboard with his children, Victoria and Scott. Visitation 4-8 pm Thursday, August 13, 2020 at the O'Brien/Sullivan Funeral Home 41555 Grand River Ave., Novi MI 48375 (248-348-1800). Funeral mass 10:30 am Friday, August 14, 2020 @St. James Catholic Church 46325 Ten Mile Rd. Novi. With visitation 10 am until time of mass Interment Mount Olivet Cemetery, Kalamazoo, MI. Memorial contributions may be directed to American Cancer Society[click here to contribute]www.cancer.org, United Way [click here to contribute]www.unitedwaysem.org or Midwest Rabbit Rescue and Re-Home [click here to contribute]www.rabbitrr.org. Expressions of sympathy www.obriensullivanfuneralhome.com

The family wishes that after paying your respects in the funeral home that you can go out to the tent area and have further social distancing visitation.

Events

AUG **Visitation** 04:00PM - 08:00PM

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O'Brien/Sullivan Funeral Home

41555 Grand River Avenue, Novi, MI, US, 48375

AUG **Visitation** 10:00AM - 10:30AM

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St James Catholic Church

46325 W. Ten Mile, Novi, MI, US, 48374

AUG **Liturgy** 10:30AM

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Comments



“ Dear Rosemary,

Our prayers and thoughts are with you and your family. Please accept our deepest condolences.

Lisa & Abraham

Lisa Tang - August 17 at 12:07 AM



“ Lighting a candle in your memory Tim. One of the biggest personalities in Churchill Crossing, with the biggest heart and always smiling and joking. We will miss you very very much.



Rita Bhattacharyya - August 16 at 10:26 PM



“ I am so sorry to hear of your loss.
My thoughts are with you and your family.

Tetsuya Yamamoto



Tetsuya Yamamoto - August 16 at 09:29 PM



“ Sincere condolences. May the soul rest in peace.
My indirect manager with at Yazaki during my short tenure 2015-17.

As noted, extremely hands-on, knowledgeable person with excellent sales and

marketing skills, through his unmatched, unparalleled, next to none communication skills on any topic that comes up.

It is purely a gift by birth that lord bestows on a select few..



Bharath K Pai - August 16 at 02:10 PM



“ When I was worked at YNA, Tim helped me all the things what I wanted to do. Not only for the work but for supporting the life in Michigan. I must say thank you for his kindness. I was looking forward to seeing him again if I could make business trip to YNA from Japan.

My condolences go to the whole family.

Tomohiro Masuda
Yazaki Corporation

Tomohiro Masuda - August 16 at 04:38 AM



“ Eugen Sumindan lit a candle in memory of Timothy S. Pryson



Eugen Sumindan - August 14 at 03:04 PM



“ Leticia Gilbert lit a candle in memory of Timothy S. Pryson





Leticia Gilbert - August 13 at 11:24 PM

“ Vanessa Carthron lit a candle in memory of Timothy S. Pryson



Vanessa Carthron - August 13 at 09:08 PM

“ A sympathy card was purchased for the family of Timothy S. Pryson.



August 13 at 08:56 PM

“ Dear Rosemarie and family,



I remember Tim from when I worked at Yazaki. Such a nice guy. May you find peace and comfort in the memories of his life.

Sending love and prayers.

Darlene

Darlene - August 13 at 07:07 PM



“ Dawn Eastman lit a candle in memory of Timothy S. Pryson



Dawn Eastman - August 13 at 06:44 PM



“ Our deepest sympathies are with you and your family. We met Tim and Rosemarie on the sideline of a soccer game our boys were playing in. Who would have thought a simple meeting like that would lead to such a wonderful friendship.

We have shared many memories with Tim and his family from pizza at Benito's to painting team tiles on Super Bowl Sunday. Most every time we were at Tim's house, he would have our kids stand at the hallway to his garage and record their height so we could see how they had grown.

We know at times like this it's hard to see past the sorrow, but we hope reflecting on these wonderful memories we have shared with Tim, will help you know how much he meant to us. Tim will truly be missed by everyone. We love you guys!

Love,

The lalungo Family - Armon, Donna, Anthony, Nicholas and Christopher.



The lalungo's - August 13 at 05:34 PM



“ Rosemarie, Victoria and Scotty,

Our hearts are saddened to learn of your loss. Our loss. Tim was a wonderful man and always made us feel warm and welcome in your home. He was thoughtful of others and one of the best story tellers / natural entertainers I've come across. He was truly a pleasure to be around and to listen to. We will always think of Tim when we watch the John Wick movies - one of our favorites. It always made us laugh how excited Tim was about the movies and watching him in the home theater, even those Rosemarie didn't quite enjoy them as much as he did. Sending you each all the love in our hearts. It will be challenging, but try and remember during this time to have compassion for yourself and allow yourself to feel all of the things... your feelings, whatever they are, are valid and natural. Thank you, Tim, for sharing your light with us - we are forever grateful.

-Rachel & Craig



Rachel - August 13 at 04:45 PM



“ Dear Rosemarie, Victoria and Scott

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This is your cousin Lisa. I just found out about the service today. I would have come to see you. I am sending my love and prayers during this sad time. We send our love and prayers to you and will be here if you need anything we can do. With love and care.

Lisa Tang - August 13 at 04:41 PM



“ Pam P. purchased a sympathy card for the family of Timothy S. Pryson.



Pam P. - August 13 at 02:47 PM



“ Rosemarie, Victoria, Scotty,

I worked with your father my entire career, he taught me many things and we shared some great memories. My most sincere condolences to all of you.

Sincerely,

David Scheffler

David Scheffler - August 13 at 01:40 PM



“ As I take a moment to reflect on the few short years that I have known Tim and Rosemarie, I feel like I have known them for many more. I first met Tim in a school cafeteria consuming the various baked goods, after a community choir concert, in which I doubt he really wanted to attend. Being a colleague of Rosemarie and forming a wonderful friendship, Tim’s warm smile and acceptance was all it took to form an immediate bond. We shared a love for bologna sandwiches, in which many jokes were shared. My love and prayers are with Rosemarie and family.



Jason A. Liston - August 13 at 01:15 PM



“ My sincerest condolences to the Pryson Family. I had the pleasure of working and having a few beers with Tim. He was always straight forward and sincere. Tim was a true engineer and a really good person. My thoughts and prayers are with the Pryson family.

Sincerely,
Robert Cooney

Robert Cooney - August 13 at 01:03 PM



“ I met Tim back in 1988 at Yazaki and the one thing that continues to come to mind when I think of him is how kind & caring he was to all and always willing to help others. RIP Tim, you will be missed by so many!

Sending prayers to the entire Family!

Pam Pechin

Pam Pechin - August 13 at 11:52 AM



“ I worked with Tim for over 25 years at Yazaki throughout his career ~ He was such a mentor to me throughout the years and such an inspiration on learning new technology and his patience to teaching us. His dynamic talent and humor!

Sending my thoughts and prayers to the Pryson Family and the Engineers and the

Yazaki Family.

Sincerely,

Michelle Murray

Shelley Murray - August 13 at 08:50 AM



“ I worked with Tim for 22 years at Yazaki. His dynamic presence always energized the room! He will be greatly missed!! My thoughts and prayers are with the Pryson family.

Lynette Okragly - August 13 at 07:53 AM



“ My sincere condolences to the Pryson family! He will be missed! God Bless



Francis Roberts - August 12 at 11:23 PM



“ Still trying to process all that happened. Last week gave us the happiest and then saddest news! Two extreme events that only the guy up there gets to plan. My mind keeps getting flashbacks of the day almost 2 decades ago when we first met you by the poolside of River Oaks! Our kids are about the same age so we started talking and within few mins, we found out we were building houses in the same sub! I remember you had gone the same evening to see how far our houses were from each other and as luck would have it you were right across from my sister and not too far from us! And since then Prysons were a big part of our lives - more than a family!

We always admired your kindness, high energy, humor, desire to achieve perfection in everything you did. Your creativity and willingness to take any challenge head-on was unparalleled! When kids were young - Pryson home was always a big attraction for not just ours but all the other little neighborhood kids, especially during Halloween and Christmas! You never did anything small and each year was different and bigger! Turning your driveway into a death tunnel and standing quietly in a corner dressed up to match the wall of the tunnel... you could hear screams and laughter from far away! Your house became the most popular house on the block! So many memories! We look around and feel your presence everywhere... I think of you every day I am working in my kitchen facing the backsplash or washing dishes! Two among many

other challenging projects you did in our house with such ease and perfection.

It's hard to think that you would not be knocking on the door any more and say "Family, I am here", you wouldn't be here to have tea with 'papad' or 'namkin' with us or to beat Raman in Tennis! We will miss our own Ben Aflac, we used to laugh so hard making up silly stories about your 'secret' Hollywood shooting trips.

There is no one like you, god broke the mold when he made you. We will forever cherish the infectious smile, sharp wit, and above all an eager helping hand.

Seema, Raman, Rini and Ria

Seema Jain - August 12 at 11:23 PM



“ Rosemary, I'm very saddened to hear our dear friend Tim's passing. Tim was truly a kind, compassionate friend, and gifted in many ways. I'll remember the beauty of his soul and keep you all in my prayers. May God's peace and love comfort you during this very difficult time.



Noriko Ernst - August 12 at 09:45 PM



“ Tim always had a big smile everytime we pass each other on the hallway at work. He is such a positive person and loves to talk about his family particularly going or surprising his daughter to Jonas Brothers concert!

He will be missed and my heartfelt condolences to the family.

Rest In Peace Tim!



Janette Barretto - August 12 at 05:45 PM



“ Tim was a great person to work with at Yazaki. He always had a smile on his face and would spot me from afar to say "hi". I enjoyed hearing about his mentoring at the high school.
May he rest in peace & give you patience during this tough time.

Ashraf EISheikh

Ashraf EISheikh - August 12 at 05:35 PM



“ I worked with Tim 1988-2000. The first memory that comes to mind was the nightly “workouts” he did with his young kids, walking the neighborhood to prep for their trip to Disney World. I’m so sorry you have lost him, Pryson family. I’m sure you have many good memories to cherish. Deepest condolences,
Elizabeth Thomas

Elizabeth Thomas - August 12 at 05:33 PM



“ Maggie sent a virtual gift in memory of Timothy S. Pryson



Maggie - August 12 at 05:31 PM



“ So sorry for your loss, may god be with him.

God bless all the family and wife.

Luis Enrique Lopez - August 12 at 05:10 PM



“ I met Tim 20 years ago at Yazaki, and I can honestly say everyone thought the world of him. Also, everyone wished they could be half as good the public speaker as Tim. Tim would always say that some else was better, but that was not the case.

I'm so sorry for your lose

Elvert Osbron

Elvert Osbron - August 12 at 02:03 PM



“ I just knew about this and I am impressed. I lived in Michigan for almost 3 years and Tim was very supporting about Design For Manufacturing Guidelines. I know him since a long time, maybe 30 years in Yazaki. My prayers for his loss. My prayer for him and your family from Mexico. RIP

Juan Manuel Gonzalez Gonzalez - August 12 at 05:28 PM



“ Dear Rosemarie & family

So sorry to hear of your husbands passing. I hope you can find some comfort in knowing you & family are in my prayers and that God's light can guide you during this time of loss . One man, one life, so many beautiful memories.

Charmaine Marsack - August 12 at 11:53 AM



“ Dear Pryson Family,

We are so sorry to hear the great loss of your family. Please accept our deepest condolences. Tim was such a nice gentleman and always willing to help others. He was the best neighbour and will be greatly missed. If there's anything we can do to help, please let us know.

Sincerely,
Mo's Family

Chaoqing Mo - August 12 at 11:43 AM



“ Sherri Ray lit a candle in memory of Timothy S. Pryson



Sherri Ray - August 11 at 11:09 PM

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“ Dear Pryson Family, I am keeping you in my prayers . If there is anything I can do please do not hesitate to reach out . I know this pain seems more than you can bear but please cherish and focus on all the loving days you shared.

Carol Cruz - August 11 at 09:52 PM



“ Dear Rosemarie,

I am so sorry to hear about the passing of your husband. Please accept my deepest condolences. If there is anything that you or your family may need, please let me know. Sending much love and hugs to you and your family. You all are in my thoughts and prayers.

Love,

Sandy Kraydich

Sandy Kraydich - August 11 at 03:06 PM



“ I am so sorry for your loss Rosemarie. My prayers and condolences go out to you and your family.

David Ciofu

David T Ciofu - August 11 at 02:38 PM



“ Rosemary may the holy spirit comfort you and your family and bring you peace that surpasses all understanding.

Sincerely,

La' Shawn

La' Shawn Lindsay - August 11 at 12:41 PM



“ Dear Pryson Family, I am another person who worked with Tim at Yazaki and I wanted you to know that he had a way of bringing a quirky humor to work, which made the day more interesting. I hope that we can learn from his legacy of humor and joy. May God bless you during this sad time.

John Anthony

John Anthony - August 11 at 09:47 AM



“ Mary Rose lit a candle in memory of Timothy S. Pryson



Mary Rose - August 11 at 08:32 AM



“ I really enjoyed Tim Pryson and his humor! I had the pleasure to travel with him for work to roll out BEAMS together in Canada, TN and KY. He was such a great person and he always spoke so much about his family. This is such sad news. He will be greatly missed by many!!!

Diana Salin - August 11 at 02:24 PM



“ Deborah S. purchased a sympathy card for the family of Timothy S Pryson.



Deborah S. - August 11 at 07:56 AM



“ Pryson Family,
Although Tim and I haven't spoken in the many years from when we last worked together, I can still recall his laughter and willingness to teach me become a better engineer.

Seeing this notification of his passing truly saddens me as he was genuinely a good person. My condolences to your family.

Best Regards,
Ronak Nandwana

Ronak Nandwana - August 10 at 11:26 PM



“ Marianne Gamsjager lit a candle in memory of Timothy S. Pryson



Marianne Gamsjager - August 10 at 06:58 PM



“ Pryson Family

We are very sorry about the irrecoverable loss of such a beautiful Soul. My memories of Tim in Yazaki are him taking very active role in many projects and initiatives. He was always willing to help others.

Many times having Lunch with him in Yazaki Cafeteria - it was fun as he will joke around with us.

His SMILEY face and Good Nature will always be missed

Varinder Dhawan and Family



Varinder Dhawan - August 10 at 05:52 PM



“ I have known Tim for many years now while working at Yazaki. Although I didn't report to him but, he helped me on many occasions explaining all there is about W/H Design.

He was very knowledgeable and a great mentor. I got to know Tim even better after we started playing Tennis. He was quite skillful & extremely competitive on the court. It was a pleasure to get to know him and he will be missed.... May he rest in peace.

My sincere condolences to the Pryson family. You are in my thoughts & prayers.

Farzin Baghaie

Farzin Baghaie - August 10 at 05:29 PM



“ Tim is one of the best neighbors a person can have. He was always willing to lend a hand. His work ethic was impeccable. He will be missed.

Mohan & Smita

Smita Joshi - August 10 at 04:22 PM



“ It's crazy to think that just last year you helped me when I had a bridezilla moment and couldn't figure out how to seat my 300 wedding guests weeks before my wedding. I also remember how much time and effort you devoted to assisting us in the lighting plan for our new home. Well knowing that majority of it went over our heads. You loved to share your wisdom and compassion with everyone you came across. You quite literally touched the lives of so many people through your countless selfless acts. From your sense of humor to your 'dad advise' there aren't enough words to describe how much impact you had on our lives. We are happy to know that every corner of our home has the 'Tim Touch.' It serves as a constant reminder of what a great person you were. We will forever be grateful to be a part of your life and will cherish those great memories. We will miss you Tim. Hugs and blessings to Pryson's

Love,

Your biggest fans,
Sanjana & Roshan

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Sanjana Mehta - August 10 at 04:06 PM



“ Dear Pryson Family,

I am so sorry for your loss Tim will be greatly missed. I worked with Tim at Yazaki. No matter how busy he was he always took time to help. If it was engineering advice, taking a last minute trip to a customer or hey Tim my son's ipad broke or my sprinkler system is not working advice he was our go to guy. I also remember how Tim's face lit up talking about his wife Rosemarie and his kids Victoria and Scott. Tim went as far as last minute coming to my families new house on lunch and replacing an outlet so that we could pass our inspection that day...I said Tim let us take you to lunch and what he said will stay with me for the rest of my life. Tim said, "If you can't give someone an hour of your time what kind of person are you." I'm sad we will not see you at work anymore Tim and I am sorry for your family's great loss. I wish they can find comfort in all meaningful words from all that knew him.

Rest in Peace.

The Choukeir Family

Jenny Choukeir - August 10 at 01:55 PM



“ I knew Tim from playing golf with him and his father when he came to Kalamazoo. A true gentleman. Thank you, Tim, for inviting me to be you friend. Paul DeHaan

Paul DeHaan - August 10 at 01:06 PM



“ Tim Pryson was a wonderful neighbor and friend. We could always count on Tim to be there when we needed him and he was up for any challenge. Tim's enthusiasm for home improvement projects was contagious and we learned a lot from him. He was the "guru" in our neighborhood; his expertise in many homes where he helped with all kinds of projects still lives. Tim had a great sense of humor and he could always be relied upon for friendship and support. We will miss our buddy Tim. God Bless the Pryson family.
-Tim, Jane and Will Horan

Jane - August 10 at 12:19 PM



“ Blanka lit a candle in memory of Timothy S. Pryson



Blanka - August 10 at 12:08 PM



“ Tim was my manager when I first became a supervisor at Yazaki, but I knew him before and after my time working under him. Tim could be tough but you always knew where you stood with him. He had a generous streak as well. I remember he bought some brand new tires and other items for a newly hired employee who was struggling financially as a single mother.

Recently in the last few years I worked with Tim in supporting the Toyota Tech Show that he was in charge of. More importantly, I enjoyed many conversations with him about construction and his humorous perspectives about work and life.

My condolences, prayers, and thoughts for Tim's family. I can only imagine the hole that has been created by his loss.

Whenever I think of Tim, I think of this Bible verse "Whatsoever thy hand findeth to do, do it with thy might;..." Ecl. 9:10

Ken Russel

Kenneth John Russel - August 10 at 12:06 PM



“ A sympathy card was purchased for the family of Timothy S Pryson.



August 10 at 11:00 AM



“ To the Pryson family,

My thoughts and prayers go out to all of you.

I worked with Tim from our Nashville office for many years. He would call me when he was looking for hard to find components and he knew we usually kept a small inventory of certain items. I was always glad to help him with whatever project he was working on. I will miss his calls and his spirit.

May the Lord give you his comfort and surround you with loving family during this time.

Ken Eastvold

Ken Eastvold - August 10 at 10:27 AM



“ Mercy lit a candle in memory of Timothy S. Pryson





Mercy - August 10 at 09:31 AM



“ Mr. Fix It indeed. Tim is always the first person I talk to whenever something needs a repair in my house. He is always there and he always makes time. Our last project together was building a garage organizer and him replacing a rotten wood part in my deck about the same time last year. He is very efficient and good at what he does; he works until everything is finished. There were times when I had to leave him by himself working on a project so I could run quick errands. When I get home, he is done and gone. He also helped me design the layout in my basement and offered some electrical layout ideas. Tim values time and commitment I haven't seen anywhere else. He tells me, I will be at your house about 8am; come 7:45am he arrives and start setting up his tools and by 8am he is ready to do the work. He always talks about Rosie's cooking, that it is so much better than the restaurants'. He talks about Scott and Victoria especially when Victoria moved out to college. He was excited and sad. It feels weird as I am writing this. I can see parts in the house where he did some work. I am saddened to hear about Tim's passing and having a hard time reconciling how this all turned out. Tim was a warrior in life and now he is an angel to his family and friends. I will miss him terribly. My sincere condolences to Rosie, Scott, Victoria and the entire family... You all have been and will always be in my prayers. -Mercy Alonzo-Williams and family-

Mercy - August 10 at 09:31 AM



“ Rosemarie, Victoria, Scotty,

I am so very sorry for your loss. I am praying for all of you. Tim was my first boss at Yazaki and you never forget your first boss, especially when its Tim Pryson. Tim also was one of three folks who hired me at Yazaki along with Ray Ernst and Howard Lebeau (Rosemarie, you knew them well).

We had a lot of good times with Tim back in the day. We even had a Yazaki softball team called the Slugs. We were young and we all loved to hang out. I remember a party at your house where some drinks were spilled on the carpet!! LOL.

Anyway, I remember Tim would get riled up whenever I made a mistake at work, things like a missing circuit on my drawing. He would chew me out, but would always

come back and say, "It's ok Mike, I am behind you, I love ya man, we going to get killed but I got you". And he always did have my back.

I met both Victoria and Scotty when you were very young, but through the years, I would see Tim and we would talk about mama (sweet Rosemarie) and you kids. His eyes always lit up talking about each of your accomplishments. He was so proud of you all.

I will never forget him. I know his wish for each of you is to live your life to the fullest and be happy and just Love. He will always be with you!

I am very sorry to say that I am out of the state this week and I will not be able to attend the funeral on Thursday. I have already said my goodbyes to him in my prayers. I wish you all happiness and love.

Sincerely,

Michael Hillis

Michael Hillis - August 10 at 08:11 AM