

Francis Paul Croghan, 55

Sept. 11, 1963 - Nov. 17, 2018



LITTLETON, CO – Francis Paul Croghan, son of Peter and Adelaide (Gaul) Croghan, was born September 11, 1963 in Panama. He was baptized and confirmed at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Panama, where he also attended grade school at St. Mary's Catholic Church. He graduated from Harlan High School in Harlan, Iowa.

Frank was later drawn to Colorado where he settled in the Denver area and raised his three children: Megan, Ryan and Jonathan. He was an extremely hard worker and was proud of his work in the construction field as a supervisor for AMI Mechanical for over 30 years.

Frank enjoyed the outdoors spending many hours hunting, fishing and gardening. He also spent time researching his ancestry, which led to him making a couple of trips to Ireland. He was currently working on a return trip with his children. He also enjoyed collecting memorabilia. Most important to Frank was the love he shared with his family. He was a loving father and papa to his granddaughter Teagan whom he adored and loved reading to and telling stories to about his childhood in Iowa. Even when he moved to the Denver area, you couldn't take the farmer out of him as he had a few tractors in his back yard. He will always be remembered as a hard working selfless man who always put his family and friends first.

Frank died at his home in Littleton, CO on Saturday, November 17, 2018, attaining the age of 55 years, two months and six days. He was preceded in death by his parents.

Frank is survived by his children: Megan Eileen Croghan-Doumer and her husband Jason Doumer and granddaughter Teagan Carrow of Parker, CO; Ryan Francis Croghan of Parker, CO and Jonathan Peter Croghan of Fort Collins, CO; their mother Leanne Croghan of Kiowa, CO; siblings Michael Croghan and his wife Ruth of Salida, CO; Donald Croghan and his wife Kathie of Knoxville; Marilyn and her husband Roy Dobson of Liberty Township, OH; Phil Croghan and his wife Jean of Panama; Margaret and her husband Tom Goeser of Manilla; Barbara and her husband Rick Bruck of Irwin; Theresa and her husband Vinton Wooster of Charter Oak; Robert Croghan and his wife Janet of Portsmouth; Richard Croghan and his wife Janie of Panama; Alice and her husband Ron Ratigan of Panama; Kathleen and her husband Scott Englander of Lenexa, KS; Raymond Croghan of Earling; nieces and nephews; other family members and many friends.

A 10:30 AM Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated by Rev. David Smith S.J. on Monday, November 26, 2018 at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Panama. His sisters Marilyn Dobson, Margaret Goeser, Barb Bruck, Theresa Wooster, Alice Ratigan, and Kathleen Englander served by placing the pall. His brothers Mike Croghan, Don Croghan, Phil Croghan, Bob Croghan, Richard Croghan, and Ray Croghan served as casket bearers. Interment was held at St. Mary's Cemetery in Panama.

Pauley Jones Funeral Home was in charge of the arrangements.

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