



Thomas "Chico" Chappelle

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Thomas "Chico" Chappelle, 70, of Strongsville, passed away on Saturday, June 4th, 2022.

He was born on October 20th, 1951 in Cleveland, Ohio to the late Thomas J. and Carol (nee Barth) Chappelle.

Tom graduated from Strongsville High School in the class of 1970. While in high school, he played football, basketball, baseball, and participated in track and field.

Tom married Denise Tibbitts on November 25th, 1978. They were married for 26 years before her passing in 2005.

He enjoyed deer hunting, fishing, golfing, and playing keno.

Tom is survived by his children Brett Chappelle, Traci Chappelle, and Blake (Lauren) Chappelle; siblings Cathy Kilpatrick, Cheryl Andrasak, and Tami Chappelle; and his nieces and nephews.

VISITING HOURS will be held on WEDNESDAY, June 8th, 2022 from 3 p.m. - 7 p.m. at JARDINE FUNERAL HOME, 15822 Pearl Road, Strongsville. A FUNERAL SERVICE will be held on THURSDAY, June 9th, 2022 at 10 a.m. also at JARDINE FUNERAL HOME. Burial to take place at Strongsville Cemetery following the funeral service.

The family asks that there be no flowers please and donations be made to Metro Health Spinal Cord Patient Care, Education and Research, <https://www.metrohealth.org/rehabilitation/research/make-a-donation> or a charity of your choice.






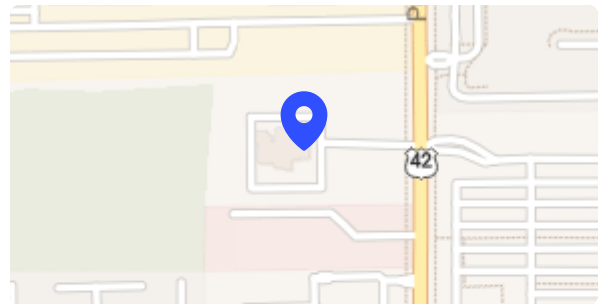
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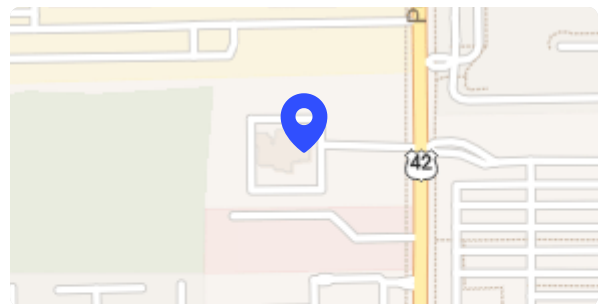
Visitation

-  **Wednesday**, June 8, 2022
-  3:00 PM - 7:00 PM ET
-  **Jardine Funeral Home**
15822 Pearl Rd, Strongsville OH 44136






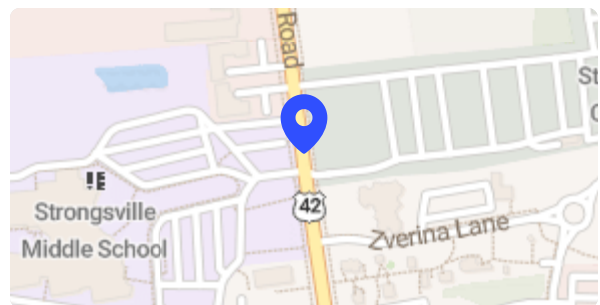
Funeral Service

-  **Thursday**, June 9, 2022
-  10:00 AM - 11:00 AM ET
-  **Jardine Funeral Home**
15822 Pearl Rd, Strongsville OH 44136




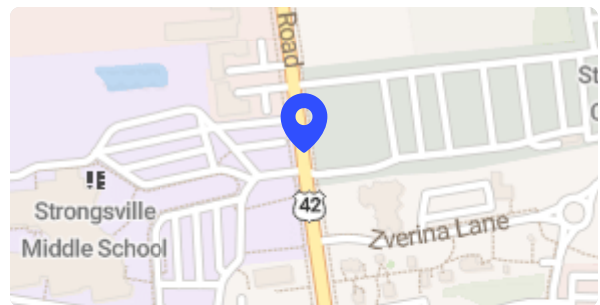
Burial

-  **Thursday**, June 9, 2022
-  11:30 AM - 12:00 PM ET
-  **Strongsville Cemetery**
13123 Pearl Road, Strongsville OH 44136



Cemetery Details

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WT

Wayne & Darren Troutman posted:

I used to take care of Tom's room when I was working at Falling Waters. We would talk about Strongsville, Hunting and the good old days! He was the nicest, nicest man and I am so glad I had the opportunity to get to know him!!! He told me how much he enjoyed his Son coming to take him to Slim & Chubbys for prime rib and enjoyed when I would bring him a can of beer. In a short time we became friends and I will always remember him. I am so sorry I missed his services. Our sympathy to your family for your loss. I will always remember him in my prayers. Sincerely, Wayne & Darren Troutman

June 10 at 10:14 AM

DZ

Dee Zemba lit a candle in honor of Thomas.



June 8 at 10:56 AM

GB

Gary Bialowas posted:

Chico was a dear friend of mine for over 50 years. He was one of the kindest persons I have ever known. Never a harsh word, and always looked at life with a smile and a positive attitude. You can see that personality reflected in his picture. I have so many fond memories of our friendship that I will treasure for the rest of my life. Rest in peace and love my friend....

June 8 at 8:14 AM

JM

Jeannette Meade lit a candle in honor of Thomas.



June 6 at 6:31 PM

JM

Jeannette Meade sent a virtual gift in honor of Thomas.

I was in Falling Waters with Tom, he was a wonderful friend to so many people, he will be missed, my thoughts n prayers for his family and friends, may you Rest In Peace Tom, Fly High Butterfly.



June 6 at 6:14 PM



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HE

Holly Manley Elkins posted:

Sending my condolences and prayers to the family. I knew Tom from Jr High and High School. May you now Rest In Peace Tom.

June 6 at 11:17 AM

KW

Kevin Willbond posted:

I knew Chico from Jr. High and into High school. We ran cross country together In High School, played basketball, football together as well. I am a Beter person for his friendship. His pain and suffering are gone now, and he is a peace. That is the most important thing. Thanks for your friendship. Chico.

June 6 at 10:25 AM

DK

Dee Kelley November 29 at 8:16 AM

I knew Tom from Jr. High and High School and he was such a pleasure to be with. Rest in Peace

RJ

Robert Jirik June 7 at 9:40 AM

What a great man. Tom had it all, a friend to all, a outstanding Athlete. I will never forget the competition we had in so many games. I was blessed in knowing Chico. God Bless your soul.



Memories only last if you share them

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



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