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Dear Member,

We are grieved to report the April 23, 2022, passing of Local 2 Brother Michael (Mickey) Reher at the age of 86. Mickey was initiated into membership in 1959 and retired in 1998.

After serving in the US Navy during the Korean War, Mickey worked at Grand Stage Lighting and became a Master Electrician. Later in his career, Mickey crewed on many venues electrical department. The Auditorium, McCormick Place, Mill Run Theatre, to name a few. Mickey then joined the crew at Lyric Opera in props and spent years in charge of the orchestra pit.

Mickey was a kind and thoughtful soul. A proud member and advocate of "AA", Mickey was always there for those in crisis with addition issues and often contributed to the local's JATF. An avid motorcyclist, he would often take trips visiting his Local 2 friends, which he had many.

A service for Mickey will be held later, we will keep you posted on any information once available.

Mickey will surely be missed.

Our thoughts and prayers are with Mickey's family.

In Unity,

Thomas Herrmann

Secretary-Treasurer

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