

Terry "Mac" McDermott

February 13, 1939 - November 20, 2020

Terry "Mac" McDermott, 81, of Iron Mountain, passed away on Friday, Nov. 20, 2020, at Maryhill Manor Nursing Home in Niagara.

Terry was born February 13th, 1939 in Detroit, MI, son of the late Clarence and Ival (Fine) McDermott.

He grew up in the Detroit area and after high school, he enlisted into the Army National Guard. He married the love of his life, Beverly Foster, on June 5th in 1965. Terry attended barber school and owned his own shop in Detroit for many years. He was also employed at General Motors for over ten years before he and his closest friend, who also happened to be his brother Rod, purchased Pro Golf Discount in Ann Arbor, MI and operated it for over ten years. In 2003 he retired to this area to be closer to his family, the center of his life.

Terry was a member of St. Mary Queen of Peace Church of Kingsford. He was an avid pool player and belonged to many leagues. He was also a passionate collector and loved to frequent thrift shops and local garage sales. Terry's favorite pastime was watching his grandchildren in all their sports and activities. He never missed and was their biggest fan.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his brother, Rodney and his stepfather, Carl Magnee.

Terry is survived by his wife, Beverly; daughters, Debby (Jerry Roberge) Wahoviak of Kingsford and Kelly Burgess of Iron Mountain; grandchildren, Cole Wahoviak, Luke Wahoviak, Molly Wahoviak, Jack Burgess and Samuel (Jayde Peterson) Burgess; and nephews, Kevin (Ann Marie) McDermott and Mickey McDermott.

A mass of Christian burial will be held at a later date. Burial will be at Iron Mountain Cemetery Park.

The family has entrusted Erickson-Rochon & Nash Funeral Home of Iron Mountain with the arrangements.

Comments



Dearest Debby and Kelly, please accept my deepest sympathies at the passing of your Father. Sending you big hugs and lots of prayers at this very difficult and sad time.

Sincerely, Mary Oman

Mary - November 24, 2020 at 11:08 PM



Terry was a great neighbor and my kids will forever remember buying treasures at his rummage sales. (To this day, one of my favorite pieces of jewelry is a watch my son bought years ago for a dollar at one of Terry's sales. I wore it again recently the day that son left to go live in NC.) Terry always had a smile and time to chat over the backyard fence (literally). He will be missed and his family will be in my prayers!

Cecilia Smith - November 24, 2020 at 08:04 PM