



David Ackerman

June 7, 1960 - June 7, 2003

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KINGSFORD - David J. Ackerman, 43, of W8405 Old Carney Lake Road, Breitung Township, died Saturday, June 7, 2003, at home after a courageous battle with cancer with his wife and family at his side.

He was born Feb. 23, 1960, in Iron Mountain, son of Irene (Lamprecht) Ackerman and the late Nicholas Ackerman. David had been a resident of the area for all of his life. He graduated from Kingsford High School in 1979. He married Donna Kujala on Aug. 27, 1988, in Wakefield. He worked for Louisiana-Pacific Corp. David was a member of First Lutheran Church in Iron Mountain. He loved spending time with his wife and children. He enjoyed raising and breeding small animals, going to Bill Murra's camp, hunting and being on the computer.

He is survived by his wife, Donna and their two daughters, Stacey Jean and Lisa Nicole Ackerman, all of Breitung Township; his mother, Irene Ackerman of Kingsford; maternal grandmother, Helmi Rice of Florence Villa Nursing Home; his mother-in-law, Ruth Kujala of Wakefield; a brother, Michael (Susan) Ackerman of Kingsford; a sister, Carol (Philip) Taylor of Breitung Township; a brother-in-law, Brian Kujala of Louisville, Ky.; a sister-in-law, Diane (Ron) Hemming of Milford, Conn.; and many aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews and cousins.

He was preceded in death by his father, Nicholas Ackerman and his father-in-law, Jack Kujala.

Visitation will be from 4 p.m. to 8 p.m. Tuesday at the Kingsford Funeral Home and from 11 a.m. to noon Wednesday at First Lutheran Church in Iron Mountain. Funeral services will be held at noon Wednesday at the church. Rev. Peter Jonas will officiate.

Pallbearers will be Ron Hemming, Philip Taylor, Michael Ackerman, Robert Ellis, Bill Murra and Jeff Johnson.

Condolences may be expressed to the Ackerman family online at www.ernashfuneralhomes.com

The Erickson-Rochon & Nash Kingsford Funeral Home of Kingsford has been entrusted with the funeral arrangements.

Tribute Wall

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“ I have known Dave and Donna since the time they began dating, and I know the love upon which they built their marriage and family. Dave was a good man in every sense of the word, and I am so sad that this life he and Donna have made together had to end so soon. My sympathy, my prayers and my heart go out to Donna, her daughters, and all of Dave's family.

Deb Pascoe - June 10, 2003 at 12:00 AM