



## Eugene Boggetto

March 9, 1950 - June 14, 2012

Eugene "Blue Gene" Boggetto, 62, of Faithorn, passed away on Thursday, June 14, 2012 at his home.

Eugene was born March 9, 1950 in Ironwood, MI, son of the late Charles and Arly (Chouinard) Boggetto. He graduated from Bessemer High School in 1968 and went on to attend Northern Michigan University where he obtained a degree in biology. He married Diane Wilson on July 29, 1978 in Black River Harbor, MI. Eugene began his working career as a science teacher for the Gogebic County School District. He enjoyed helping and tutoring students. Eugene spent several years working at the White Pine mine as well. His real passion was fixing motorcycles and for the past four years he has been affiliated with the ShockWave sales and service shop in Kingsford. Eugene was an avid NASCAR fan and enjoyed being part of the annual Toys for Tots motorcycle ride.

He is survived by his wife, Diane; a daughter, Heather (Donny) Muzzy of Ironwood and their children, Tyler, Marissa and Cassidy; a brother, Chuck (Suzie) Boggetto of Wakefield; and two sisters, Pat (Tom) Williams of Ironwood and Crystal (Randy) King of Gile, WI.

There is a Tribute Ride planned for Eugene on Sunday, July 1, 2012, anyone interested in joining the ride may contact Mike at Shockwave at 906-774-

2453.

Condolences may be expressed to the family of Eugene Boggetto online at [www.ernashfuneralhomes.com](http://www.ernashfuneralhomes.com).

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

# Tribute Wall

SF

“ Diane,

*So sorry to hear about eugene, I just found out. You will never know how knowing the two of you has touched my life, I used to love riding with eugene and spending time with the two of you, best wishes to you and the family, you are in my prayers.*

*Sara*

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**sara mcleod - modesto (formerly kingsford), CA - friend** - July 31, 2012 at 12:00 AM

CH

“ *My condolences to the Boggetto family - Bogg, grab Swede and go for the ride of your eternity.*

*"Ziggy Stardust" memories.....Chey*

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**Cheryl** - June 30, 2012 at 12:00 AM

SF

“ *Hello ..... "Uge" and I got acquainted just about four years ago. After a short conversation with him I could tell he was someone I could trust with my old '61 FLH Duo-Glide . Long story and I'll cut it short , but Eugene saw through all the problems with that bike and in short order ; all was cured. He really loved my bike as much me .....how cool as that. Eugene will be missed by one and all . My last words to Eugene were " Let's make them roar one time" and he said to me "Let's do that ! " . Scott.*

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**Scott Eden - Dunbar, WI - Friend** - June 29, 2012 at 12:00 AM

TW

“ so very sorry for your loss... prayers for you all...

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**Tammy Farrell - Hurley, WI** - June 28, 2012 at 12:00 AM

JF

“ Diane,  
My deepest sympathy. Your in my heart and prayers.  
Take care and have peace.

*Judi*

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**Judi "savoifare" Twey - Iron Mountain, MI - friend** - June 27, 2012 at 12:00 AM

JF

“ Diane,

*We will always be grateful to you and Eugene for being Cole's Godparents. Cole still loves the motorcycles and every now and then "borrows" Ted's.*

*Diane, Charlie & Susie, Heather, Pat & Crystal,*

*We are so sorry for your loss. Memories of Eugene will keep him alive in our hearts. Eugene was a very giving, caring person who would do whatever it took to help his friends.*

*Julianne & Ted Harju*

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**Julianne & Ted Harju - Bessemer, MI - friends** - June 25, 2012 at 12:00 AM

DC

“ I’m sorry for your loss and my deepest sympathy for you and your family. He will be missed! I still remember some fun times we had together with Crunch and I. I was hoping to cross paths again, but it just never happened. Bogg always had the answer and a plan; I will miss him. Once again I’m sorry for your loss Diane.  
Dale Parobek

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**Dale Parobek - Westlake Village, CA** - June 24, 2012 at 12:00 AM

PM

“ Boggetto Family,  
  
My deepest sympathy in Eugene's passing. "Back in the day"  
Eugene  
and I had alot of fun. He worked on my family farm for a number of  
summers making hay.

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**Paul Semmerling - Bessemer, MI** - June 23, 2012 at 12:00 AM

JF

“ Sorry for your loss,havent seen bogg for a few years now,but remembering alot of good times with him these last couple of days.I'll always remember him as one of the coolest people i ever met and his quick sense of humor and not to mention his talent of diagnosing any problem with a harley R.I.P. bro.

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**Jim 'oly' Olson - wakefield, MI - friend** - June 23, 2012 at 12:00 AM

EM

“ I am so very sorry for your loss! I only wish there were words that could help...just know I am thinking of you and your family and hoping your memories help you.

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**Eleanore Fiori - Marquette, MI** - June 23, 2012 at 12:00 AM

RM

“ *Crystal,  
So sorry to hear about your brother's passing. Peace to you and the  
rest of the family,  
Robin*

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**Robin Traczyk - Ironwood, MI** - June 22, 2012 at 12:00 AM

KM

“ *So sorry for your loss Diane and Heather. I have a lot of fond high  
school memories of Eugene. Sorry Bogg, may you now be in peace.*

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**Kathy (LaChapelle) Londo - Bessemer, MI** - June 22, 2012 at 12:00 AM

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“ *I am so going to miss hearing Euge's tough bike coming thru ..Sorry  
for the loss of your man Diane. Charlie has welcomed him home.  
Hugs to you buddy, I will swing in, drive up your hill, find you in the  
flowers, and see you when you least expect me and find you to  
need me the most. Always and forever your mushrooming gal pal ;-)  
Sara*

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**Sara Thoune - Vulcan, MI - friend** - June 22, 2012 at 12:00 AM