



Patrick P. Coan

March 30, 1949 - April 17, 2021

Patrick P. Coan, 72, of Iron Mountain, passed away on Saturday, April 17, 2021, at the Oscar G. Johnson VA Medical Center in Iron Mountain.

Patrick was born March 30, 1949, in Escanaba, MI, son of the late George and Melba (Huddleson) Coan. He graduated from Escanaba High School in 1967 and attended Bay de Noc College for one year. Patrick was a veteran of the United States Army. He married Ivy Carlson on May 26, 1976, in Escanaba. Patrick was employed at U.P. Office Supply as a salesman for over 20 years. He then purchased a semi truck and was a self-employed, long haul truck driver for several years. Patrick enjoyed cooking, mowing the lawn, riding his motorcycle, and fixing and remodeling things around the house.

He is survived by his wife of 44 years, Ivy; a son, Andy (Angela) Coan of Kingsford; two granddaughters, Drew & Brookelyn; and a brother, John (Sybil) Woodruff of Waterton, WI.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by a brother, Tom Coan.

At Patrick's request, private family services will be held.

Condolences may be expressed to the family of Patrick Coan online at www.e-rnashfuneralhome.com

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

Tribute Wall

GL

“ Ivy and Andy - Sending my deepest sympathy's to you and your entire family. Gail Larson



Gail Larson - May 08, 2021 at 08:59 PM

KA

“ peace and comfort Ivy Jean. Thinking of you 🌸 Karen anderson

karen anderson - April 23, 2021 at 10:44 AM



“ We were so sorry to hear about Pat.....you can add matchmaker to his list too. One day he said, “I have a friend named Steve I think you should meet. I think you 2 would get along.” How right he was! 43 years later it's still working. Pat was a good friend to both of us, and even though it's been quite a few years since we've talked, I'd never seen him happier. Still over the moon for Ivy, so happy and proud of Andrew and his family. Absolutely adored those grandkids! We cross paths with so many people in our lifetime, and some help change your life, which is what Pat did for us. He may be gone, but he will never be forgotten. Sending lots of hugs and love to you all.....Rose & Steve Overly

Rose Overly - April 22, 2021 at 12:52 PM

MC

“ Pat was a great cousin! Even though he was ten years older I have fond memories growing up two houses away from each other in Escanaba. Even though I was much younger Pat and his brother Tom would always let us play with their toys. His family was always so welcoming! In later years it was such a good time when we did get together and have talks about family, friends, the old days and Escanaba. We know Pat is in a better place but he will be very much missed!!

Mike Coan

Michael G Coan - April 21, 2021 at 07:54 PM

AS

“ I've known Pat since the early 70's when my family moved to Escanaba. He was always friendly, always smiling and always had a kind word to share. I am saddened by his loss and my prayers go out to you, his family members.

Art Spera - April 21, 2021 at 07:50 PM

JL

“ P.C. was always great to be around. He's shared so many things with us growing up. We've all learned things from P.C. that we will hand down to our kids. I'll always remember him as a great listener and source of positivity! I will always remember him smiling with a gin and tonic telling stories!

Jeff LaPoint - April 21, 2021 at 01:59 AM

AC

“ Pat was a great, kind, caring, thoughtful and hard working man. He was always there to lend a hand whenever we needed it! He has done a lot for our family over the years. I am forever appreciative for his kindness and love. I sure do miss his story telling!!!



Angela Coan - April 20, 2021 at 07:40 PM

JF

“ P.C Was one of the coolest guys I have ever known was more than a neighbor or a friend was like family! Could tell a story that seemed to go on forever and they did! Lol Would keeping you laughing dam near crying until the end,Of which this is not! Be sure to have a Gin&Tonic ready for everyone on the other side! Until we meet again R.I.P!
Good bless you P.C/ IVY/ A.C and rest of family!

Jeff Freeman - April 20, 2021 at 03:18 PM

BS

“ Pat Coan was one of the most amazing, talented and kind person I have ever know. I remember visit to their amazing homes and to the Import shop in Escanaba. Playing Backgammon. Their pink cat. Babysitting for Andrew. An amazing and wonderful family that I love. Prayers and major condolences for healing strength. 💙

Brenda Kohler Wiese Chaet and Sarah - April 20, 2021 at 02:09 PM

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Andrew - April 20, 2021 at 01:36 PM

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Andrew - April 20, 2021 at 01:23 PM

“ I am very happy that I can count Pat as a friend of mine and that I got to know him for more than 35 years, from when he and his family moved in down the alley from my grandparents. Pat was so interesting in the way that few people are these days, having worked in various jobs and he seemed to know about so many different things and places. I worked for Pat for a summer, one of the best that I've ever had. I will miss seeing him, with his happy grin, a firm handshake, and the offer of a cool gin and tonic. God Bless you Pat, and Ivy, Andrew and your whole family. You will be missed. Vic

Vic - April 20, 2021 at 10:55 AM