



## Samuel T. "Sam" Trebilcock

June 23, 1957 - May 27, 2023

Samuel Thomas "Sam" Trebilcock, 65, of Iron Mountain, was taken home by the Lord on Saturday, May 27, 2023 in Appleton, Wisconsin.

He was born June 23, 1957 in Colorado Springs, Colorado. He was the son of the late Lieutenant Colonel George R. Trebilcock and Charlotte (Marietti) Trebilcock. Sam graduated from Iron Mountain High School in 1975. He married Lisa Kanyuh March 22, 1980. His compassionate and empathetic character formed the grounds for his long, successful career in sales. He was most recently employed by Ryan Fayas with Miller Products. He loved his job and the people he worked with and was excited for the upcoming projects that were planned and wanted to get back to work to help Ryan. He was an active member at St. Mary's and St. Joseph's Catholic church where he was known as the "candy man" passing out smarties and tootsie rolls for the children during and after mass. He was a Faithful Scribe of the 4th degree assembly of the Knights of Columbus, his faith was inspirational to everyone he encountered. He was one of the most kind, loving and caring men that have ever walked the earth. It's hard to picture a world without him in it, with his infectious laughter and his passion for telling jokes and orchestrating cunning pranks. He was indeed a beacon of joy, laughter and fun. His knack for telling jokes was unparalleled, turning any gathering into a lively and cheerful event, with that infectious, loud, laugh. His sense of humor was one of his defining traits, one that we will forever remember and cherish.

Along with being an amusing, entertaining husband and friend he was an incredible father to his two girls, his pride and joy, his light and his love. He was a master at pigtailed, tooth pulling, Simon Says, outfit picking, cuddling and soccer coaching.

Above all, he was a humble servant to God who loved to pray the rosary and didn't want to miss a single person in need of prayers.

Sam is survived by his wife and best friend of 43 years, Lisa; two daughters, Misty (Gerard) Lefebvre of Iron Mountain and Samantha Trebilcock (Michael Cannell) of DePere, Wisconsin; his faithful buddy, Rusty; five siblings, Helen (David) Oradei of Palmer, Alaska, John (Karrie) Trebilcock of Beaverdam, Wisconsin, Mary (Kelly) Bloyer of Townsend, Georgia, Jane Carlson of Iron Mountain, Michigan, and Roberta (Doug) Rigoni of Spread Eagle, Wisconsin. Sam is also survived by numerous cousins as well as many nieces, nephews and great-nieces and nephews. Sam leaves behind countless, amazing friends, too many to name but none forgotten.

Sam was preceded in death by his parents.

Visitation will be held on Thursday, June 1, 2023, from 4:00 until 8:00 pm at the Erickson-Rochon & Nash Funeral Home in Iron Mountain. A rosary will be recited at 7:30 PM at the funeral home. Funeral services will be held on Friday at 11 AM at St. Mary's and St. Joseph's Catholic church. Fr. Janusz Romanek will offer the Mass of Christian Burial. Private interment will be in Cemetery Park in Iron Mountain, Michigan.

Pallbearers will be Gerard LeFebvre, John Trebilcock, Bob Strang, Tom LaFave, Brian Brouillette, Mike Corcoran, Donny Miller and Dave Tadych. Honorary Pallbearers are Doug Rigoni, Bob Boyle, Ernie Ravnikar, Zach

Ceello, Gabe Ceello and his dog, Rusty.

Condolences to the family of Samuel T. Trebilcock may be expressed online at [www.ernashfuneralhomes.com](http://www.ernashfuneralhomes.com) (<http://ernashfuneralhomes.com/>)

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

# Cemetery Details

## Cemetery Park

Cedar Ave  
Iron Mountain, MI 49801

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUN 1. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Erickson-Rochon and Nash Funeral Home  
901 Carpenter Avenue  
Iron Mountain, MI 49801  
(906) 774-7676  
nashfuneralhome@gmail.com  
<https://www.ernashfuneralhomes.com/>

## Rosary

JUN 1. 7:30 PM (CT)

Erickson-Rochon and Nash Funeral Home  
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Iron Mountain, MI 49801  
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## Funeral Service

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JUN 2. 11:00 AM (CT)

St. Mary & St. Joseph Catholic Church  
414 Prospect Ave.  
Iron Mountain, MI 49801

# Tribute Wall



“ Our prayers 🙏 for all of the life you gave us.  
Scott and Brenda Pancheri



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**Scott Pancheri** - June 10, 2023 at 09:40 PM

AC

“ My thoughts and prayers are with your family. Even tho it has been many years since I have had contact with Sam I always remember what a great guy he was. Memories of him in high school always such a fun guy. Sendings hugs and prayers to the family ❤️  
Anne Swanson Chritz

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**Anne Chritz** - June 03, 2023 at 10:50 AM



“ Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Samuel T. "Sam" Trebilcock.



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June 01, 2023 at 05:42 PM

TT

“ Strong, compassionate man with a heart as big as the upper Peninsula. Bless to have known him since I was 11 yo. Our best to Lisa and the entire Trebilcock family.  
Tom and Tammy Tidmore

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**Thomas Tidmore** - June 01, 2023 at 03:10 PM

KM

“ Thoughts and prayers with Sam and family. He was a great guy and genuine person. May he rest in peace  
Gary and Kathy (Izzo) Maynard

kathy maynard - June 01, 2023 at 07:29 AM

JW

Lisa, Misty and Samantha and family...our thoughts and prayers are with you. We are traveling and unable to attend the services for Sam. It doesn't seem possible that he is gone and we know you are missing him so very much. Take care, Tom and Jenni Wender

Jennifer Wender - June 01, 2023 at 08:42 AM



“ Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of Samuel T. "Sam" Trebilcock.



May 31, 2023 at 10:20 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Samuel T. "Sam" Trebilcock.



May 31, 2023 at 07:04 PM

ED

“ I have such fond memories of Sam and the gang around our kitchen table in the mornings before school yucking it up. He was such a good friend to Parnell and will always remember his kindness when my brother passed. Sending prayers and hugs to the whole Trebilcock family during this diffucult time.

*Craig and Beth Dewey*

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**ELIZABETH DEWEY** - May 31, 2023 at 06:51 PM

DM

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with Sam and Family at this difficult time. Cousin Dave Mayers and Char Mayers and Family

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**David Mayers** - May 31, 2023 at 06:34 PM



“ Crystal Cross Bouquet was purchased for the family of Samuel T. "Sam" Trebilcock.



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May 31, 2023 at 04:02 PM

KS

“ Dear Family of Sam,

*We would like to express our sincere sympathy in the passing of Sam. He definitely spread plenty of joy and laughter. Sending prayers for strength as you go through this very difficult time!*

*Kris and Mike Solda*

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**kristi solda** - May 31, 2023 at 03:29 PM

GV

“ So sorry for your loss. Glen V. - Angelus Choir OLOL

Glen V. - May 31, 2023 at 03:27 PM



“ Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of Samuel T. "Sam" Trebilcock.



May 31, 2023 at 02:26 PM

JG

“ Jason, Andrea and girls purchased the Sweet Tenderness for the family of Samuel T. "Sam" Trebilcock.



Jason, Andrea and girls - May 31, 2023 at 11:02 AM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Samuel T. "Sam" Trebilcock.



May 31, 2023 at 10:54 AM

JF

“ Dear family of Sam  
I am sorry to hear of Sam's passing. He was a great guy! I have fond memories of him. Always happy and ready with joke to tell. My sympathy , condolences and prayers to all.  
Jimmy and Winnie Fornetti

Jim Fornetti - May 31, 2023 at 10:00 AM



“ Divine Light was purchased for the family of Samuel T. "Sam" Trebilcock.



May 31, 2023 at 07:48 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Samuel T. "Sam" Trebilcock.



May 31, 2023 at 07:04 AM

TZ

“ Sam and I were driving in a car in the grand Cayman islands bringing luggage to the airport and we got in an accident☐☐. We were driving on the wrong side of the road!!! Sam was banned from ever returning to the grand Caymen islands!!! Go figure!!! Thank God the other driver had drugs in his car so the cops let us go😊😊😊. Fantastic person!! He will be missed! Rest in peace my friend🙏🙏  
Tom Zeni

Tom Zeni - May 30, 2023 at 09:30 PM

JK

“ Uncle Sam was a kind and gentle man. He was always laughing and joking around with everyone. We will truly miss him! Our thoughts and prayers are with the family.



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**Jason and Andrea Kanyuh** - May 30, 2023 at 07:57 PM

AC

“ I will remember Sam from the many, many times with you all at your home. You were a jokester then and the brightest smile. Love and prayers to all of you. Ann Conery Crispigna

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**Ann Conery Crispigna** - May 30, 2023 at 05:55 PM

JB

“ I will always remember Sam along the left field foul line at Ranger Field watching us play baseball...thoughts and prayers are with you all.  
Jason Bray

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**Jason Bray** - May 30, 2023 at 02:26 PM