



Terrance Alquist

August 15, 1958 - January 8, 2024

Terrance "Terry" Alquist, 65, of Iron Mountain passed away Monday, January 8, 2024, at Marshfield Medical Center - Dickinson in Iron Mountain.

Terry was born August 15, 1958, son of the late Philip and Barbara Alquist. He grew up in a wonderful, close knit neighborhood in Kingsford. Baseball, basketball, Boy Scouts, and camping with his family kept him busy when he was young. He spent a lot of time at camp with his dad, learning many skills and hunting. Terry graduated from Kingsford High School in 1976 and went on to graduate from DeVry Institute of Technology in Chicago, IL. He had an assortment of jobs until he began working at Specialty Minerals in Quinnesec. He retired after working there for 27 years.

On August 20, 1992, Terry married his best friend and soulmate, Linda (Machus) Dumais. Together they expanded their dream home and property in Merriman, which included horses, many dogs, some cats and birds. They enjoyed camping, boating, fishing with their grandson, Kaden, and bonfires with their friends. He liked to play Monopoly and Scrabble, and could be quite the prankster at times.

Survivors include his loving wife, Linda; a stepson, Russell Dumais; a grandson, Kaden Dumais; two sisters, Roxanne (Steve) Hudson and Lisa (Mike) Hakes; brothers-in-law, Dave (Gail) Machus, Jim (Lori) Machus, and

John Machus; sisters-in-law, Teresa (Dean) Wickman and Kris Johnson; one uncle, Glenn Johnson; and many nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Phil and Barb Alquist, his in-laws, Dave and Aileen Machus, and many aunts and uncles.

A Celebration of Terry's Life will be held on Saturday, June 22 from 1:00 to 6:00 pm at Dorothy Fox Hall.

Condolences may be expressed to the family of Terrance "Terry" Alquist online at www.ernashfuneralhomes.com

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

Cemetery Details

Cemetery Park

101 Cedar Ave.
Iron Mountain, MI 49801

Tribute Wall

DT

“ *David and Wendi Thomas purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Terrance Alquist.*



David and Wendi Thomas - January 18, 2024 at 11:33 AM

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“ *David and Wendi Thomas planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Terrance Alquist.*

David and Wendi Thomas - January 18, 2024 at 11:33 AM

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“ *Linda, Russ and Family*

We were so shocked to hear about Terry. May God Bless all of you.

Love you guys!

Jim, Lori, Brad, Kim and Families

Lori k Machus - January 17, 2024 at 02:11 PM

SC

Linda I'm so sorry to hear about Terry I know the heartbreak you must be feeling now. You are in my prayers. Sally Champeau

sally champeau - January 17, 2024 at 06:41 PM



“ *A Full Life was purchased for the family of Terrance Alquist.*



January 16, 2024 at 12:34 PM



“ *Specialty Minerals planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Terrance Alquist.*

Specialty Minerals - January 16, 2024 at 12:34 PM



“ *Wow, I am so sad to hear of Tear Bear's passing! I have so many memories of him and his family and our neighborhood. Terry was one of the most kind and mellow people I know. We had many memories of camping , hunting and fishing and especially euchre card games at camp or other various locations. So many memories I cannot even begin to explain. I love ya Tear Bear and will miss seeing ya at various old neighborhood functions. It will be my regret for the rest of my life that I did not see ya more these last thirty years. So long good friend!*

Paul R.Menghini - January 15, 2024 at 07:17 PM



What a sad day for the old Henford Avenue gang. The Alquist family were great neighbors and Terry was a kind soul! I remember some great Cub Scout days in their basement and many Henford Avenue neighborhood get together! My thoughts and prayers are with Linda and Roxanne and Lisa and the whole Alquist family. You will be missed my friend!

Mark Swanson - January 15, 2024 at 08:50 PM

MS

My condolences to the Alquist Family on the passing of a great Man and Friend. Thanks for the memories Tear !! 🙌 & ❤️ Ike

Mike Swanson - January 16, 2024 at 11:17 AM

PL

So sorry to hear of Terry's passing, sending healing energy to Linda and family. Way too young,

Patricia and Wayne loar - January 16, 2024 at 01:02 PM