



## Clifford Fredrick Stewart

December 31, 1947 - April 29, 2021

Clifford Fredrick "Rick" Stewart, age 73, passed away Thursday, April 29, 2021, at War Memorial Hospital. Rick was born on December 31, 1947, to Fredrick and Helen Stewart. He was a member of the Sault Ste. Marie Tribe of Chippewa Indians. He spent many years working in construction as a very skilled carpenter. In his early years, he also enjoyed working with stained glass art and created some beautiful pieces. He enjoyed spending time in his garage working on vehicles, where friends would often stop by just to visit or to get his help on a mechanical issue they were having. He enjoyed spending time with friends and family and would help anyone in need. He served in the U.S. Army. Rick loved riding his Harley Davidson and continued to ride with friends until a few years ago. He loved his cat Taylor and his dog Jethro who passed away unexpectedly.

Rick was preceded in death by his parents, brothers William "Bill" and David, and sisters Paula and Terry. Rick is survived by his three children, Fredrick (Crystal) Stewart, Melissa Stewart, and Lona Stewart, step-daughter Stephanie Leask through a previous marriage to Angela Leask with whom he maintained a friendship, and 11 grandchildren and 7 great-grandchildren; as well as his sisters Pamela (Larry) Leask, Kim (Jim) Shea, Alice "Diane" Bare, and Lona Taylor, and his brother Anton "Tony" (Connie) Stewart, as well as numerous nieces and nephews. Rick is also survived by a very special friend, Peggy Miller, who helped to ensure his final days were comfortable.

Rick's family would like to thank Medilodge staff for taking such good care of him while he was there; War Memorial Hospital Emergency Room staff and Dr. Ockenfels who showed him and his family the utmost compassion in this difficult time; and the nurses on the 2nd floor who made sure that Rick and his family were comfortable during his last days.

A memorial service will be held at 3:00 PM on Monday, May 3, 2021, at C.S. Mulder Funeral Home. Friends may gather at the funeral home from 1:00 PM until the time of the service.

# Tribute Wall

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“ *To the man I loved for many years:  
Huggy Bear,  
To the man I loved for many years,  
I will talk to you everyday until we meet again.  
💖. All my love,  
Peggy (Babydoll)*



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**PEGGY MILLER** - May 01, 2021 at 12:00 AM