



## Daniel John Fortin

April 16, 1948 - January 17, 2024

Daniel John "Danny" Fortin, 75, of South Portland, Maine, passed away on January 17, 2024, in South Portland, Maine. He was born on April 16, 1948, in Sault Ste. Marie, Michigan to Bill and Della Fortin. Danny was a beloved husband, father, grandfather, brother, and uncle.

Danny is survived by his loving wife, Diane Fortin, his sons Rick Fortin and Matthew (Becca) Fortin, and his granddaughter Delilah Fortin. All of Portland Maine. He is also survived by his brother Tom (Gayle) Fortin of Sault Ste. Marie, MI, his brother Michael (Lynn) Fortin of Perkins, MI, his sister Jean (Dave) Oberle of Sault Ste. Marie, MI, and his sister-in-law Cathy Bixler of Portland, Maine. Danny will be fondly remembered by his many nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents, William and Della Fortin, his brother Robert Fortin, his infant son Robert Daniel Fortin, and his in-laws Richard and Marilyn Bixler.

Danny graduated from Sault Area High School in the Class of 1966. Following his graduation, he served in the United States Coast Guard from May 16, 1967, to June 1971. While stationed in Portland Maine he met and married the love of his life Diane Bixler. They made South Portland their home and raised their family there. After his military service, Danny pursued a career as a

Warehouseman at Hannaford Brothers Co., where he dedicated himself from March 1972 to February 2004.

Outside of work, Danny had a passion for fishing, hunting, and reading anything about history. These hobbies brought him joy and allowed him to appreciate the beauty of nature and expand his knowledge.

Danny will be remembered for his dedication to his family, his strong work ethic, and his love for the outdoors. He will be deeply missed by all who knew him

# Tribute Wall



“ *Darlene (Lee) Goldacker lit a candle in memory of Daniel John Fortin* ”



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**Darlene (Lee) Goldacker** - January 27, 2024 at 06:54 PM