



## Howard "Max" Cox

July 6, 1938 - July 14, 2014

Howard "Max" Cox, age 76, of Sugar Island, Michigan passed away Monday afternoon, July 14, 2014 at his home. Max was born on July 6, 1938 in North Manchester, Indiana to the late Ira and Alta Mary (Michaels) Cox. He married Virginia E. Cramer and later worked as an Industrial Specialist for the Department of Defense. After moving to Sugar Island, he became very active in the community. He was involved with the Sugar Island Board of Review, the Sugar Island Fire Department, and the Sugar Island Ambulance Corp. Max was also involved with the Coast Guard Auxiliary, the Antique Tractor Club, and the American Legion Post #3. Max enjoyed fishing and boating. He also loved to help others. He would work on anything for anybody, whether it was a car, a tractor, or carpentry. This was how he acquired one of his other nicknames: "Tinker". Max is survived by two children: Theresa (Randy) Dailey of Roanoke, IN and Michael Cox of Ft. Wayne, IN; eight grandchildren: Christopher (Alena) Judy, Stephanie A. Judy, Aaron (Anna) Judy, Brian M. Bell, Timothia (Jake) Balentine, Christina (Shane Smith) Dailey, Amber (Aaron) Stice, and Nikki (Andrew Hogg) Dailey; and eleven great grandchildren: Khiala Judy, Alayna Judy, Izabelle Sallee, Savannah Judy, Braylon Judy, Arianna Smith, Kaya Smith, Kyle Stice, Haley Stice, Aleah Stice, and Warren Hogg. He is also survived by a brother: Dean (Jackie) Cox of Nashville, IN; and a niece: Susan (David) Hughes. Max was preceded in death by his parents, his wife: Virginia E. Cox; a daughter: Kimberly A. Bell; and a sister: Darletta Hirsch. A gathering in Max's honor will be held from

11:00 AM until 2:00 PM on Saturday, September 6, 2014 at Sugar Island's "North" End Fire Hall. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be left to Hospice of the EUP or the Sugar Island Fire Department.

# Tribute Wall

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“ *It would have been great to get to know you.  
You were loved by many.* ”



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**Chuck Ruppert** - February 11, 2021 at 12:00 AM

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**ROSALENE BAMMANN** - March 26, 2017 at 12:00 AM