



James Robert McDonald

October 18, 1950 - December 27, 2014

James Robert McDonald, age 64, of Kincheloe, Michigan, died on Saturday, December 27, 2014 in Sault Ste. Marie, Michigan. He was born October 18, 1950 in Petoskey, Michigan to Gordon Earl and Carol Viola (Brubacher) McDonald.

Jim first lived in Brutus, Michigan until age three when his family moved to Pickford, Michigan. He lived in Pickford until age fourteen when the family moved to Swartz Creek, Michigan. Jim graduated from Durand High School in 1969. After graduation he worked for General Motors for a few years before he moved to Wisconsin to work on farms. About 20 years ago, he moved back to Pickford and then Kincheloe.

Jim is survived by mother, Carol Champion of Indian River, Michigan; sister, Dorene McDonald of Indian River; brothers, Richard McDonald of Petoskey, Michigan, and Charles (Nona) McDonald of Harbor Springs, Michigan; step-brothers, Dan (Luanne) Champion, Kirk (Karen) Champion, and Dwight (Norma Jean) Champion; step-sister, Marqurite Champion; aunts, Dora Reber and Ardith McDonald; uncle, Sidney Brubacher; nephews, Eddie Sherman and Jason Thelen; nieces, Velma (Andrew) Hinkley and Molly McDonald; great nieces and nephews, Kim, Jenny, Chris, and Jon; and many cousins.

Jim was preceded in death by father, Gordon McDonald; sister, Marjorie

Sherman; brother, Kenneth McDonald; and step-father, Bill Champion.

A Memorial Service will be held Saturday, January 3, 2015 at Northern Michigan Baptist Bible Church, 1833 McMichael Rd. in Alanson, Michigan starting at 12:00 Noon.

Inurnment will be in McKinley Township Cemetery in Pellston, Michigan.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

JAN 3. 12:00 PM (ET)

Northern Michigan Baptist Bible Church
1833 McMichael Rd
Alanson, MI 49706

Tribute Wall



“ *James Robert McDonald*

October 05, 2023 at 09:54 AM



“ *James Robert McDonald*

October 02, 2023 at 10:14 PM



“ *James Robert McDonald*

September 01, 2022 at 07:49 PM