



Kirk "Pat" Patrick Wyers

July 6, 1936 - June 29, 2018

Kirk Patrick "Pat" Wyers, age 81, of St. Ignace, Michigan, died June 29, 2018, in St. Ignace. He was born July 6, 1936, in St. Ignace, to Dave and Elfie Chestina (Campbell) Wyers.

Pat grew up in St. Ignace where he graduated with the Class of 1954. He married Sharon Lynn Immel on September 28, 1957, in St. Ignace. He apprenticed with his brother-in-law, Don Clark, as an electrician. He worked on the Mackinac Bridge during the last six months of construction and installed the lights on the top of the bridge towers. He was on the "Vacationland" during its' last crossing of the Straits as the bridge was opened to traffic. Pat worked as a construction manager wherever the jobs took him, including Ohio, North Dakota, the Western Upper Peninsula, and more. Along with his brothers, he also operated Wyers Brothers Honey for many years.

Pat was a member of the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers (IBEW) # 1251.

Pat had many interests. He was a master woodworker who made many projects from wooden bowls to large pieces of furniture. He enjoyed whittling and learning new things on his iPad. He was an avid outdoorsman who hunted deer and bear, and trapped beaver and tanned the hides. Pat also enjoyed watching the Detroit Tigers and Red Wings, listening to Glenn Miller

music, and watching Western movies. He was a loving father and master story teller who will be missed.

Pat is survived by one daughter, Kimberly (Dave) Latva of St. Ignace; two sons, Daniel (Betty) Wyers of Sault Ste. Marie, Michigan, and Kirk (Angie) Wyers, Jr. of Brohman, Michigan; grandchildren, Whitney (Kraig) Bobnock, Audrey (Stephen) Bielat, Patrick Wyers, Ashley Reynolds, Nikki (Drew) Waldrup, Paige (Bryan) Hill, and Asa Wyers; great grandchildren, Aubrey Reynolds, Bentley Waldrup, and Presley Waldrup; and one sister, Geraldine Buell of Pinetta, Florida.

Pat was preceded in death by his wife, Sharon on May 7, 2011; sisters, Marjorie Clark and Susan Rainey; and brothers, Richard D. Wyers, David Asa Wyers, and Phillip Frederick Wyers.

A graveside service will be held Tuesday, July 3, at 10:00 A.M. at Caffey Cemetery in Rexton, Michigan.

Rather than sending flowers, please consider contributions to Mackinac Straits Health Foundation for the Oncology and Hematology Departments, 1140 N. State St., St. Ignace, MI 49781.

Tribute Wall



“ Kirk "Pat" Patrick Wyers

October 05, 2023 at 09:54 AM



“ Kirk "Pat" Patrick Wyers

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“ Kirk "Pat" Patrick Wyers

September 01, 2022 at 07:49 PM



“ to Pat, you were a good and wise friend. I always enjoyed your friendship and

your upbeat attitude. your kindness and graciousness was very important to

me. god bless you and your family. my condolences to everyone who knew

him. most sincerely, Thomas Llinjala, your friend.

thomas linjala - July 12, 2018 at 06:04 PM

AN

“ I always called Pat, Grandpa Wyers, because he was Grandpa to my kids and my parents and Aunt Aggie thought he was wonderful. Always inquiring how he was doing. He always accepted me, though I was far from perfect. Grandpa Wyers always had puzzles, which for the most part stumped me. He had a trick that he did with a dollar, that he gave me and had me show Dakota, but I just didn't have the 'gift' he had with that stuff. He had me listen to one of his books on tape, which one was an intense story. He was always learning about things and current events; and we had lively discussions!! It was great fun :) One time we talked about a current event which the community was outraged about; and Grandpa Wyers, God Bless him, had an entirely different point of view, not siding for either side, but explaining the area that the event happened in. That grounded me. It filtered away the miscellaneous gossip. He had a way of doing that. He helped me understand the sports my boys were involved in and we watched a few games and talked. Great Times. Another great thing that he told me, was when I was so frustrated about the work commute and thought you had to move to where you work, he calmed me down and said something to the effect that you have a home base, and from there you go out, but you came back to your sanctuary. That gave me so much strength on those long commutes in snow storms and construction and flat tires and car problems and sometimes the loneliness of the highway. It made me appreciate my "home" base and in a great way made me happy. Happy to have known such a great man. Happy that he was in my children's life. What a wonderful gift to have known Grandpa Wyers :) Love you Grandpa Wyers!!!!

Ann - July 03, 2018 at 07:39 PM

BB

“ I also have fond memories of visits from "Uncles" every Wednesday evening when they were working in Monroe. Uncle Pat always brought a 6 pack of Pepsi - one for Mom and one for each of us kids. It was a huge treat to get them as we usually had Kool-Aid for a treat or made do with water and (big eewwwww) goat's milk!

Becky Bishop - July 03, 2018 at 06:59 PM

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karen sheffer - July 03, 2018 at 10:30 AM

AS

“ He was the noblest and sincerest man we knew. We loved visiting with him and reliving his past work adventures with him. We are blessed to have had him in our lives.

We love you so much Grandpa, we miss you already. We know you and Grandma are now "partying up there" in heaven. May God Bless you Grandpa.

Love Audrey and Stephen

Audrey and Stephen - July 02, 2018 at 02:14 PM

AB

My memories of Pat (I never called him Uncle as he was only 6 1/2 yrs older than me) go back to when he was in highschool. Gramma bought him a trombone for the highschool band. He was so proud of it as it was brand new. When I got in highschool I played that same instrument. My husband and I spent many evenings playing cards with Pat and Sharon and my mom and dad. They were a fun couple to be around. We did a lot of laughing. I'll always remember his aversion to onions. If you made a salad you always added the onions last after you took out Pats portion. He was a generous a a fine person. He and Sharon were made for each other and I feel proud to have known them both. They are finally together again. Arlene and Gerry Black

Arlene and Gerry Black - July 02, 2018 at 04:28 PM

GB

“ I have fond memories of when they worked in Monroe an used to come to dinner every week and play cards those meant a lot to me I miss you so much uncle Pat

Greg Buell - July 02, 2018 at 07:48 AM