



Robert W. Simpson

February 24, 2016

Robert Winfield Simpson, 68 of Trout Lake passed away unexpectedly Wednesday morning, February 24 at his home on Wegwas Lake in Trout Lake Township. He was born November 20, 1947 in Detroit to Robert W. and Audrey (Ruby) Simpson. He held a Masters Degree in American History from Eastern Michigan University, and taught high school in Northville, Lelenau Schools and St. Andrews in Sewanee, TN. He also was a coach, and was highly respected by his students for making history an enjoyable study. He has lived in Trout Lake for 15 years, and was a Trustee for Trout Lake Township. He also was active in Pride Committee, and helped with dinners at the Trout Lake Township Hall. He was well respected in the Trout Lake area.

On July 20, 1968 he married Laura Carter, and she survives; also a son, Tom in Las Vegas, Nevada; a daughter, Stefanie (Ivan) Smith, in Boise, Idaho; a sister, LuAnn in Troy, and 2 grandchildren, Elias and Pearl Cathryn.

According to his wishes cremation has taken place. His cremains will be buried in Wegwas Cemetery in the Spring. Dodson Funeral Home, St. Ignace handled arrangements.

Tribute Wall



“ *Robert W. Simpson*

October 05, 2023 at 09:54 AM



“ *Robert W. Simpson*

October 02, 2023 at 10:14 PM



“ *Robert W. Simpson*

September 01, 2022 at 07:49 PM



“ *Bob was a fraternity brother at Northern Michigan University. Many fun memories from those days. Back then, Bob's nickname was "suitcase". He received this name because he was always going back home every weekend to visit his one-and-only Laura.*

David Henze - March 15, 2016 at 12:00 PM