



Tarry Lynn McMillan

February 20, 1957 - May 6, 2026

Tarry Lynn McMillan, age 69, of Rudyard, Michigan, passed away peacefully on Wednesday, May 6, 2026. He was born on February 20, 1957, in St. Ignace, Michigan to Judd and Louise (Gill) McMillan.

Tarry grew up in Moran, Michigan where he met Kathleen at a young age. They started dating in 1976 and they married in 1979, spending 46 years together. He was a devoted husband and family man who cherished the time he spent with those he loved most.

Tarry dedicated his life to mastering the art of mechanics and many other trades, earning a reputation as the person others could always count on when something needed to be fixed. His skill, determination, and passion for his work were evident in every project he undertook, and he took great pride in helping others through his knowledge and abilities.

Beyond his mechanical talents, Tarry will be remembered most for his unwavering love and support for his family, cocky attitude and many shenanigans that made people laugh. He was a

constant source of guidance, encouragement and strength, always willing to lend a helping hand or a listening ear. His kindness, generosity and dependable nature left a lasting impact on everyone who knew him.

Tarry's legacy of love, hard work and dedication will live on through his children, grandchildren and all who had the privilege of knowing him. He will be deeply missed by his family, friends and all those whose lives he touched.

Tarry is survived by his wife, Kathleen; children, Andrew (Kaylee) McMillan of Wisconsin and Nicole (Bo) Campbell of Kentucky; grandchildren, Jayden (Elijah), Jacee (Ryan), Jarrett, Javarie and Braelynn; great-grandson, Kalhen and great-granddaughter making her arrival in July; siblings, Milton, Gerald, Ricky, Doris, Audrey, Carol and Debbie; many nieces, nephews and others who considered him dad, grandpa and brother.

Tarry was preceded in death by his parents, Judd and Louise; and 9 siblings.

Visitation will be held on Sunday, June 14, 2026, from 2:00 PM – 3:00 PM at Family Life Funeral Homes, 24549 S. M-129, Pickford, MI 49774. The Funeral Service will follow beginning at 3:00 PM.

Tarry's final resting place will be at Grace Brethren Cemetery in Moran, Michigan.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Family Life Funeral Homes for the

cost of Tarry's
services.

Condolences may be given to the family at www.familylifeh.com

Obituary as submitted by family

Cemetery Details

Grace Brethren Ozark Cemetery

27 Mile Road
Moran Township, MI 49760

Upcoming Events

Visitation

JUN 14. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

Family Life Funeral Homes - Pickford
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Tribute Wall



“ I sure learned a lot from this man mostly to work on vehicles I took the knowledge I got from him and could just about fix anything I touched! I cherish the time I had with him and I will never for get him. Uncle terry was quite the jokester he could make anyone laugh! I know a lot of people in the area where he lived is goona miss him emencely cause he was there go to person for just about everything always lending a hand where he could. I'm goona miss u uncle terry tell everyone in heaven I said hi !

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