



Terry Edward Paddison

October 23, 1949 - October 13, 2025

Terry Edward Paddison, age 75, of Cheboygan, Michigan, died at his home on October 13, 2025. He was born on October 23, 1949, in Toronto, Ontario, to Pat and Helen (Courtney) Paddison.

Terry grew up in Toronto, where he owned and operated a sheet metal business for some years. While skiing with friends, he met the love of his life, Berit Lilian Robert. They married in Sault Ste. Marie, Ontario, and built a life together. Over the years, they lived and worked in many places, including Brampton, Ontario; London, England; New York, NY; and finally settled in Cheboygan, Michigan, where Terry enjoyed his retirement.

Terry was a true social butterfly who made friends wherever he went. His joyful spirit and zest for life were felt by all who knew him. He was a proud prior member of the Kiwanis Club and current member of the Fraternal Order of Eagles (FOE).

Terry's hobbies, past and present, reflected his adventurous and hands-on nature. He loved golfing with friends, making maple syrup, running and participating in horseshoe tournaments, skiing, and especially sailing.

Terry is survived by his beloved wife, Berit Lilian Paddison; daughter, Anita (Terry) Cowart of Sault Ste. Marie, Michigan; grandchild, David Robert; sister,

Denise Jones; niece, Laura (Darcy) Maudsley; and nephew, Derek (Kylee) Jones and their children, Kaia, and Isabel.

Terry was preceded in death by his parents, Pat (Howard Edward) and Helen Paddison; brother-in-law, Bob Jones; and niece, Leila.

Visitation will be held on Wednesday, October 29, 2025, from 12:30 PM to 1:30 PM, at Family Life Funeral Homes, 4951 S. M-129, Sault Ste. Marie, Michigan 49783. The Memorial Service will follow at 1:30 PM.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Eagles Lodge, 626 N. Main St., Cheboygan, MI 49721.

Condolences may be left online at www.familylifefh.com

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **29**. 12:30 PM - 1:30 PM (ET)

Family Life Funeral Homes - Sault Ste. Marie
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Tribute Wall

AK

“ RIP Terry you will be missed our neighborhood will not be the same without you. When I first moved to Cheboygan you and Berit were the first friendly faces that always stopped to talk to me. Thank you for keeping my snow plow mountains piled up my walks down to the sugar shack. We're always fun. Thanks for the laughs and the bottles of maple syrup you brought down.



Annita Kakaley - October 30, 2025 at 03:58 AM

RO

“ Terry was a great guy, gone too soon, but had a life well lived .

Rosie - October 29, 2025 at 12:39 PM

SS

“ 2 files added to the tribute wall



Shooting Star - October 28, 2025 at 09:06 PM

SS

Deepest condolences to all of Terry's family and his friends up there in the North from all of his heartbroken sailing family here in the NY area. So many stories, so many memories and so many laughs -hard to believe he's gone but every time any of us are on the sea, it will be with the knowledge that we are not alone-his spirit of joy and adventure and mischief and skill will be right there helping us to get to that horizon.

Shooting Star - October 28, 2025 at 09:32 PM

SC

“ Stephen C. planted a grove of 3 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Terry Edward Paddison.

Stephen C. - October 28, 2025 at 08:49 PM

EK

“ Terry was a great guy and a friend to many of us in the NYC construction industry. He was always a pleasure to be around. He will be sorely missed and we wish to offer our most sincere condolences to his family and those who he touched in his life time. He was lovingly referred to as "our canuck" . we spent many years getting together in our annual hacker golf outings. Rest in peace our friend.



earl keisling - October 27, 2025 at 07:54 PM

RC

“ Rex & Sue Smith and Beach Communications planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Terry Edward Paddison.

Rex & Sue Smith and Beach Communications - October 27, 2025 at 04:36 PM



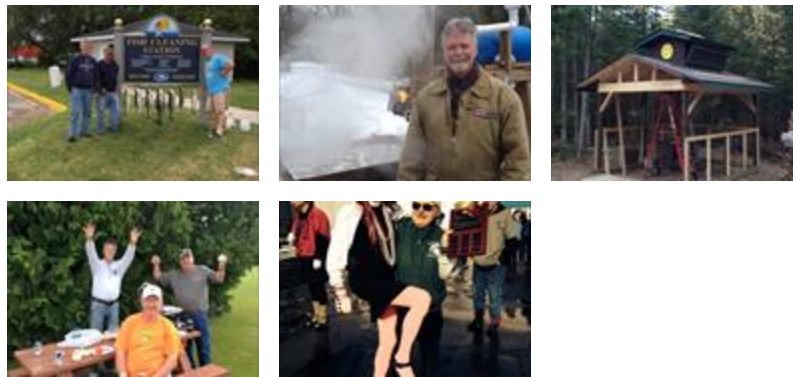
“ Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Terry Edward Paddison.



October 27, 2025 at 04:36 PM



“ 34 files added to the album Terry



Anita Cowart - October 27, 2025 at 08:52 AM



“ The Åkersten brothers with families purchased the Gracious Lavender Basket for the family of Terry Edward Paddison.



The Åkersten brothers with families - October 26, 2025 at 10:37 AM

TF

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The Åkersten brothers with families - October 26, 2025 at 10:37 AM

JM

“ My deepest condolences to Terry's family.

Terry and I became friends for life even though it was only for short time during our school years grades 7-12. He was from Mt. Denis just a few Km from Weston but with his personallity, Weston could not help but embrace him. We were very close for that time in our lives and I only have fond memories. After school was done we ended up going in different directions on the map. If it were not for facebook, I would never have known or he where each of us ended up.

A few memories together are, Levy Bros. Wreckers not far from Terry's home in Mt Denis was a place you were not to go into, but the draw of the 2nd world war tanks and other equipment was to much for us to obey the laws. Hours of fun.

Floating down the Humber River to Lake Ontario, who knew it was poluted at the time, we were just kids having fun. Long walk home from the lake, but we did it.

Partys and good laughs in High school. weekends up in the Muskokas. We were at a age where drinking was 21, we just got a real good head start.

I miss him like we never were apart. Great buddy. Rest in Peace. We will meet again.

John MacLeod - October 23, 2025 at 06:21 PM

JM

“ Joel F MARTINCHEK lit a candle in memory of Terry Edward Paddison



Joel F MARTINCHEK - October 23, 2025 at 04:31 PM

AC

“ Anita and Terry Cowart planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Terry Edward Paddison.

Anita and Terry Cowart - October 21, 2025 at 07:44 AM



“ Vivid Recollections was purchased for the family of Terry Edward Paddison.



October 21, 2025 at 07:44 AM

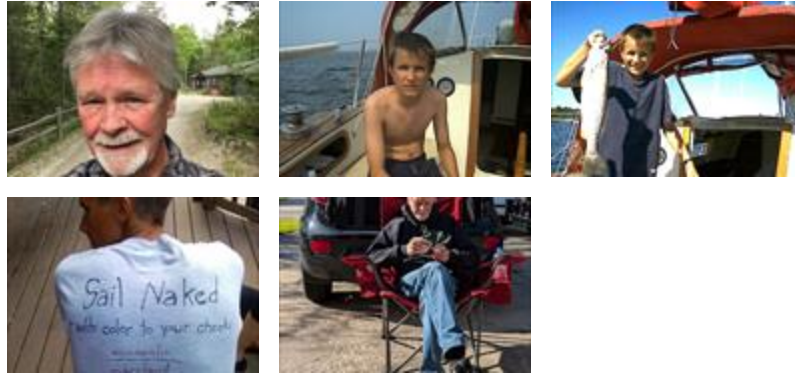


“ Got to know Terry at Cheboygan golf course. Nicest guy you could ever meet. We will all miss him. Condolences to the family.

Greg Jewell - October 20, 2025 at 08:57 PM

AN

“ 45 files added to the album Terry



Anita - October 20, 2025 at 09:03 AM

GM

Terry was a kind and generous brother-in-law. Always enjoyed seeing him. He passed way too soon but will be remembered fondly. Gladys Myers...

Gladys Myers - October 28, 2025 at 01:30 PM

MF

“ Myers Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Terry Edward Paddison.

Myers Family - October 19, 2025 at 08:02 PM

MF

“ Myers Family purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Terry Edward Paddison.



Myers Family - October 19, 2025 at 08:02 PM

KA

“ Uncle Terry was loved by his many nieces and nephews. He was fun, kind, carefree and always smiling. Fond memories and will be missed.

Kaisa - October 19, 2025 at 07:40 PM

BM

“ Terry was a great guy. His ability to put up with us “kids” would have forced a lesser man off the deep end. You will be fondly remembered and greatly missed.

Blair McLaughlin - October 19, 2025 at 12:52 PM

PG

“ Terry was one of the nicest guys that you'd want to know. He'd do anything for a friend. We loved that Terry made maple syrup every year. He generously shared his liquid gold with us every year! Hubby belonged to the Horseshoe league that Terry was a part of for many years. Good times. He will be greatly missed. -Gary & Patricia Graham Indian River

Patricia Graham - October 17, 2025 at 07:57 PM