



Kenneth Jay Schepers

June 23, 1947 - March 2, 2015

Kenneth Jay Schepers of Cadillac passed away suddenly Monday evening, March 2, 2015 at Munson Healthcare Cadillac Hospital. He was 67. He was born on June 23, 1947 in McBain to Albert & Stena (Heuker) Schepers.

Ken attended school in McBain and was drafted and served in the United States Army during Vietnam. Upon returning from the war he went to work at Avon Automotive in 1966 and retired in October of 2014 after 47 years of service. Ken was an original member of the Haring Township Fire Department starting in 1975 and he retired from the Department in June of 2013.

He enjoyed wood working and spending time with his grandchildren. Ken was a life member of the American Legion Post #94 of Cadillac.

On March 28, 1970 in Cadillac he married the former Paula M. House and she survives him along with their children: Melissa "Lisa" (James) Eash, Jr. of Boon, Michael (Theresa) Schepers of Manton, and Jeffery (Amanda) Schepers of Harrietta; 7 grandchildren: Taylor Schepers, Matthew, Benjamin, and Elizabeth Eash, Isabelle Schepers, Zayne Schepers and Mackenzie Schepers; his mother, Stena Schepers of McBain; a brother, Jerry (Joyce) Schepers of Lake City, 3 sisters: Betty (Bob) Huizenga of Wyoming, Shirley Huttenga of Byron Center, and Judy (Bernard) Eisenga of McBain; and many nieces and nephews.

Ken was preceded in death by his father Albert on Feb. 10, 2013, his in-laws, Gerald and Betty House and a brother-in-law, Donald Huttenga.

Friends may meet the family at the Independent Bible Church (1710 Wright St., Cadillac) on Thursday, March 5, 2015 from 5-7 PM and on Friday, March 6 at the church starting at 1:00 PM for a time of visitation and fellowship.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Haring Township Fire Department. An online guestbook is available at www.petersonfh.com.

Tribute Wall

LV

“ So sorry to hear about Ken. He was a good friend many years ago.

Larry Vandercook - March 07, 2015 at 03:37 AM

ED

“ So sorry to read about your loss. You are in our thoughts and prayers.

Edith and June Denman - March 04, 2015 at 10:22 PM

DE

“ So sorry to hear about Ken. You and the family are in my prayers,

Don Eastway - March 04, 2015 at 06:04 PM

JF

“ I am so sorry for your loss. Ken was an amazing man and will be missed immensely. It was always great to see Ken at the fire department, he would always talk to me and say hi. My condolences to the Schepers family. Tony, Jenn Fuzi and family

Jennie (Baughan) Fuzi - March 04, 2015 at 08:01 AM

KW

“ I am so very sorry to hear about Ken's passing..... He was an amazing coworker and friend! He would do anything to help anyone, he always made me smile, and always had a hug for me and always knew when I needed it! Your family is in my thoughts and prayers. I pray that all of the wonderful memories you have and the knowledge of how much he brightened the days of so many brings you some comfort during this difficult time... My sincerest condolences, Kris Weatherwax and family

Kris Weatherwax - March 03, 2015 at 09:45 PM

IB

“ We are so sorry to hear about Ken. We are shocked and sadden to hear of this. We worked with Ken for many years and considered him a good friend. Ivan fought many a fire with him on the Haring F.D. Our thoughts and prayers go to all the family and friends who knew him.

ivan & beth - March 03, 2015 at 07:03 PM