



Gregory Todd Irish

July 25, 1966 - December 8, 2025

Greg Irish, 59, of Cadillac, passed away on December 8, 2025. He came into the world on July 25, 1966 to Micheal and Sharon (Smith) Irish.

Greg grew up in East Jordan and Kalkaska. After graduating from high school, he joined the US Army. His superior officer said he was a good soldier for 4 years. Greg was proud of serving in the US Army.

Suffering from PTSD and other mental problems affected his mind. Greg was around 50 when he accepted Christ as his Lord and Savior, from then on he ministered to people in his assisted living home and whenever he was out and about. He was the only one in his assisted living place that was physically able to help with the laundry, clean up the dining room after everyone was done eating, shovel the sidewalks and take out the garbage.

Greg will always be remembered as a good soldier for our Lord and Savior and his country by those that knew and loved him, especially his family.

Greg is survived by his father, Micheal (Sue) Irish, daughter, Caitlin McDonald; grandson's, Stephen, Cooper and Cannon; step-mother, Elinor Irish; brother, Jeffrey (Wendy) Irish, sisters Sarah (Michael) Palmeri and Katie (Scott) Wassmer;

Proceeding Greg in death was his mother; Sharon Irish; step-mother, Judy Irish; his grandparents, Mike and Audrey Irish; and grandmother, Myrtle Smith. Cremation has taken place. Burial of cremains will take place in the spring at East Jordan Cemetery.

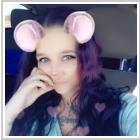
Arrangements were made by Wolfe-O'Neill Funeral Home, our family yours.

Tribute Wall



“ *This was my father - I am supposed to be his only child and would love any and all information that anyone can provide about him (hopefully positive memories, but I understand he want everyone's favorite person) - please reach out to me directly 910-691-3166*

Caitlin MacDonald - December 15, 2025 at 08:00 PM



“ *I am so sorry for your families loss. I had the pleasure of getting to know him when I worked at Beacon on Coster Rd. When they abruptly closed the home without notice, I did not transfer with him to Kingsley. But I ran into him throughout the years out & about in Kingsley. His heart was so big, I remember the night the managers kept me over for the night shift because the oncall manager refused to come in after I had worked all day. He sat up with me all night talking & watching TV so I wouldn't fall asleep. He gave up his sleep just to keep me alert cause he knew I'd get in trouble if I fell asleep. My heart is truly saddened for your loss.*

Neasha Kelp - December 11, 2025 at 05:27 PM

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“ *I loved Mr irish he was a great man miss him love to the God bless .*

edson - December 10, 2025 at 07:29 PM

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“ *I knew Greg from working in the homes he lived at as staff at Coster Rd home Fife Lk and home in Kingsley. He would do anything for anyone who needed help if he could. He'll be missed. Brian Happel*

Brian H - December 10, 2025 at 05:36 PM

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“ To the three Irish Family members that were very instrumental in my life as a young person trying to find my way. Mike, Jeff, and Greg. You all played a major role in my life back then and I want to say thank you for the guidance. Greg was one of the funniest guys I got to play baseball and soccer with. You will be greatly missed. I will not forget all the hilarious trips we shared on the bus. My thoughts and prayers are with you all. Eugene Szymchack

Eugene Szymchack - December 10, 2025 at 08:57 AM



Thank you for sharing this, it means so much.

Caitlin MacDonald - December 15, 2025 at 08:04 PM

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Greg was the QB of our flag football team back in 1976. I will always remember how kind he was, you just wanted to be around him. I served 20 years, 88-08, I realize the issue's and pray for all who continue to fight after the smoke clears and silence, loneliness set in.

David Ford - January 21 at 09:26 PM