



## Robert Dale Carew

September 26, 1962 - May 3, 2021

Robert Dale “Bob” Carew, age 58 of Kalkaska, passed away on Monday, May 3, 2021.

He was born on September 26, 1962, to Robert and Jean (Posthumus) Carew in Grand Rapids, Michigan.

Bob graduated from Kalkaska High School in 1981. He spent most of his life as a diesel mechanic in the Kalkaska area and was lastly employed at Molon Construction in Traverse City.

He loved the outdoors, snowmobiling, racing, boating on Torch lake and hanging out at the bon fire.

Bob is survived by his mother, Jean (Hod) Alexander; his sister, Tammie (Hal) Kiel; his K-9 buddies, Kola (Lemon Drop) and, Moose (Hog Head); his favorite aunt Janet (Carl) Baumberger of Northport, MI.; uncle Steve (Elouise) Carew of Rockford, Michigan, and Pat Carew of Grand Rapids, MI.; his longtime friend, Duke Depeel; cousin Norman Bruinekool; many other cousins and friends.

He was preceded in passing by his father, Robert Carew, paternal grandparents, David (Jane) Carew; uncle David (Esther) Carew; maternal grandparents, Henry (Sue) Posthumus; uncle Norm (Judy) Bruinekool; aunt Gloria Posthumus, and his beloved basset, Baxter.

Per Bob’s request a family and friends gathering will be held at a later date. Cremation arrangements provided by Wolfe-O’Neill Funeral Home, our family serving yours.



# Tribute Wall



“ *Robert Dale Carew*

January 30, 2023 at 04:02 AM



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January 30, 2023 at 01:03 AM



“ *Jean, Tammy and families, my thoughts are sincerely with you. I had just talked to Bob very recently about township clean up day, we chatted for a bit. He sounded just like himself,. The old " hey girl". Lol. I did not know he was even sick. May you rest in peace and have a good journey, Bob.*

**Julie lenz** - May 08, 2021 at 02:24 AM



“ *I was saddened to hear of Bob's passing. We ran into each other a few years ago and picked up right where we had years ago. Many good times, memories and shenanigans. Sending my condolences and prayers for all. God bless.*

**Denise Kelly** - May 07, 2021 at 03:16 PM

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“ *My sincerest condolences to Jean, Tammy and the rest of the family, Bob was one of my dearest friends in school, I loved him with all of my heart, I was recently visiting in Michigan and had a very strong sense to find him and with friends help I did, but never got to see him as it was actually 2 days before his passing, my heart was broken. My thoughts and prayers to the family.*

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**Lisa kniss clark** - May 07, 2021 at 10:26 AM

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“ *My deepest sympathy to Tammie and Hal, Bob's mom and all who loved Bob. Prayers for comfort from friends, family, good memories and a good God. My heart goes out to you all.*

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**Susan DePeel** - May 06, 2021 at 06:37 PM