

Forrest Freeman, 64, of Easton, Pa., formerly of Bad Axe, passed away on Monday, Oct. 29, 2012, at his home, surrounded by his loving family.

He was born on Nov. 1, 1947, in Saginaw, son of the late Jack E. and Alice (Rohn) Freeman. He and his wife, the former Margaret "Peg" Stahl celebrated their 42nd wedding anniversary on Oct. 17, 2012.

Forrest retired as a project manager for Alcan Packaging, where he worked for 34 years. He received a B.S. degree in chemical engineering from Michigan Tech University. Forrest served in the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers stationed in Heidelberg, Germany, during the Vietnam War. He could be seen fishing from the Great Lakes of Michigan to the streams of Pennsylvania. He was a member of Arndt's Lutheran Church and of Trout Unlimited Forks of the Delaware Chapter. He was a volunteer for Bushkill Creek water shed monitoring project.

Forrest is survived by his wife, Peg Freeman of Easton, Pa.; two daughters, Amanda C. Freeman of Fleetwood, Pa. and Rebecca A. Freeman of Easton, Pa.; one grandson, Jack; one brother, Kirk Freemah of Caseville; mother-in-law, Carol Stahl of Bad Axe; three sisters-in-law, Pat Freeman of Muskegon, Linda Stahl of Elkton, Md., and Jayne Stahl of Bad Axe; two brothers-in-law, Tom (Sue) Stahl of Bad Axe and Jim (Linda) Stahl of Bad Axe; and several nieces and nephews.

He was predeceased by one brother, Bruce Freeman; one brother-in-law, Richard J. Stahl. He will be greatly missed by his extended family and friends, and the two best buddies a man could ever have.

A memorial service will be conducted at 11 a.m. on Friday, Nov. 23, 2012, at the Kaufman Funeral Home in Bad Axe. Interment will be in Colfax Cemetery.

Visitation will take place from 10 a.m. until the time of service at the Kaufman Funeral Home.