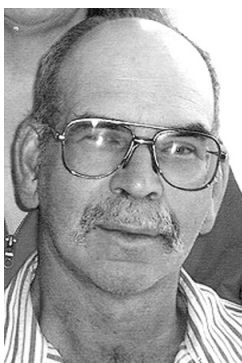


OBITUARIES

ROBERT C. DUGAS



Robert C. Dugas, 67, Silver Bay, died Wednesday, December 30, 2020 at St. Luke's Hospital after a long battle with a rare blood disease.

Bob was born December 20, 1953 to Edmund "Eddie" and Elizabeth "Betty" (Wippler) Dugas in Two Harbors and lived on the North Shore for most of his life. For the past 18 years he has been employed as a truck driver for North Shore Oil/Thompson Gas Co.

He enjoyed scrap metal recycling, cribbage, fishing, mowing his lawn, building fires, and family and friends.

Bob was preceded in death by his parents and his brother, Kenny.

He is survived by his wife, Verona; sons, William (Hollie), Richard (Rebecca) and Brandon; nine grandchildren; six brothers and sisters; and many nieces and nephews.

Services were held Monday January 4, 2021 at Bay Area Vineyard with burial in Sawtooth Mountain Cemetery. To share your memories or condolences online please visit www.cavallinfuneralhome.com.

ROBERT C. DUGAS

Robert C. Dugas, 67, passed away on Dec. 30, 2020 from complications of a blood disease.

Bob was born to Eddie & Betty Dugas on Dec. 20, 1953. After he graduated from Wm. Kelley in 1973 he joined the Army where he served in the tank battalion in Germany. He then worked for Reserve, Dugas Sawmill, LCR, Gold mined in Alaska, LaBounty, and finally driving truck for NSOP. In his spare time he loved to recycle anything metal.

He married Verona in 1994 and helped raise her 3 boys Richard, Brandon, and William as his own.

He was a very proud man with a big heart. He liked a good joke, big fires, fireworks, laughing, playing cribbage, fishing for the big pike, and always enjoyed an ice cold coke anytime.

Bob was preceded in death by his parents, his brother Kenny, aunts and uncles.

He is survived by his wife, kids, and grandkids. His brothers George (Colleen), Paul, Mark (Jeanne), Lyle (Sandy), Sisters Mary (Jerry), Jeanette, his aunt Margaret Klinker (his Godmother), uncles Tom Wippler, Clem Deering, many nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends.

We will all miss his big smile and quirky sense of humor. Meow.

The Dugas Family

ROGER DENNIS FJERAN



Roger Dennis Fjeran, 67, Two Harbors, died unexpectedly at his home in Silver Creek, outside Two Harbors on Wednesday, December 30, 2020.

Roger was born April 28, 1953 to Alvin and Hazel (Maki) Fjeran in Two Harbors and graduated from Two Harbors High School in the class of 1971.

Roger graduated from Duluth Area Vocational Technical Institute in 1977 with a certificate of Occupational Proficiency in Machine Technology.

He served four years in the Air Force, stationed at Kincheloe AF Base, Upper Peninsula of Michigan and then worked at ReachAll in Duluth and later Stanley LaBounty in Two Harbors before retirement.

Roger enjoyed fishing, hunting, staying at his cabin, raising chickens, gardening and boating on Lake Superior. He also canned his garden vegetables, deer meat and fish.

He was married to Ronda Hendrick from 1980 until 1986.

Roger was preceded in death by his uncle, Jon (Jack) Fjeran in 1969; aunt, Ella (Johnson) Fjeran in 1972; aunt, Jennie (Fjeran) Felland in 1975; sister-in-law, Marilyn (Walters) Fjeran in 1982; mother, Hazel in 1988; brother, Brian in 1995; uncle, William (Bill) Fjeran in 2002; Cousin, Anna Mae (Fjeran) Hansen in 2004; father, Alvin and nephew, Corey McMahon in 2006; cousin, Harold Cleveland in 2007; cousin Marian (Carlson) Cleveland in 2013; sister, Darlene (Fjeran) Hoagland in 2017; and other relatives, Dale Fjeran, Rande (Svee) Neylon, and Beatrice (Gelineau) Fjeran in 2020.

He is survived by his brother, Bruce Fjeran and sister, Coral (Fjeran) McMahon; brother-in-law, Ed McMahon; and nieces, nephews, and cousins, Adrienne, Raylene (Hoaglund) Pitschneider, Ronda Hoagland, Sasha and Sarah; Blake and Sue (Neylon), Brock, Dexter and Tammy, Henry Hoagland, Chauncey McMahon; many second cousins in the Cleveland family; and also his good friend, Gary Olson.

A graveside service will be held at Silver Creek Cemetery later, after the Covid-19 pandemic. To share your memories or condolences online please visit www.cavallinfuneralhome.com.

DANIEL PARKS

Dan Parks, 70 of Gary New Duluth, MN, passed away on December 26, 2020 at Benedictine Living in Duluth, MN after a long battle with Multiple Myeloma.

Dan was born on March 23, 1950 in Bagley, MN to Harold and Lillie (Hoadley) Parks. He moved to Silver Bay as a child where he lived until enlisting in the U.S. Army. He served from 1967-1970, serving two tours of duty in Vietnam.

Dan was preceded in death by both his parents.

He is survived by his wife Dorothy Parks, brothers Michael (Vicky) Parks, Rex (Karen) Parks, and sister Linda Parks. Step daughters Lisa and Lily. Several step-grandkids and several nieces and nephews.

Services will be held at a later date.



NOTICE!!!!

As most folks have heard by now, Vicki's corner store has been closed since the fire in the adjoining office. The store unfortunately did suffer smoke damage. Serv Pro was able to come in with some machinery and remove a large portion of the odor from within the store. All merchandise in the store must be removed by Wednesday, January 13 so cleaning and renovating of the premises can start. All merchandise in the store will be sold at wholesale prices on a first come first serve basis. Most of the items in the store will be sold at half price.

The store will be open the following days:

- Friday, January 8**
- Saturday, January 9**
- Monday, January 11**
- Tuesday, January 12**
- 11:00 AM to 5:00 PM**

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ALLI HARJU



Alli Harju, 85, of Two Harbors died on New Year's Day of COVID at Chris Jensen Health and Rehabilitation in Duluth.

She was born on August 16, 1935 to Eino and Hilja (Leppala) Kuivasmaki in Finland. She immigrated to the United States with husband Erkki in 1956.

Alli enjoyed being a wife and mother. She loved baking her cardamom bread and other sweets. She was very proud when her recipe became a finalist in the Duluth News Tribune. Alli loved shooting her gun and cross-country skiing. She also loved running. One of her greatest pleasures in life were her little Boston Terriers that she would walk all over town, offering kids candy and a hug with one of the dogs.

Alli also enjoyed garage sales and trips to the casino with Harbor Mates.

She was preceded in death by her parents; sisters; brother; husband, Erkki in 2000; and son, John in 2017.

A Celebration of Life will be held when circumstances allow. Burial will be at Lakeview Cemetery in Two Harbors. To share your memories or condolences online please visit www.cavallinfuneralhome.com.