

Peter F. Goniwicha, age 72, of Bad Axe, passed away on Saturday, June 23, 2018.

Peter was born in Harbor Beach on March 12, 1946, son of the late Peter and Anastasia (Peyerk) Goniwicha. He married Ann Perry on June 6, 1970 at St. Joseph Catholic Church in Rapson. She preceded Peter in death on October 14, 2014.

Peter served in the U.S. Army in Vietnam from 1966 – 1967. He was very involved with his community, being active in the American Legion and the VFW as well volunteering at the VA Hospital. He was a member and shareholder at Bird Creek Golf Club and led the 4H Youth Rifle Shooting Program at the Thumb Sportsman Club. He loved his 1967 Belvedere and taking it to car shows, woodworking and casino bus trips.

Peter is survived by:

One Son- Michael Goniwicha of Shelby Township.

One Daughter- Traci Lombardi of Auburn Hills.

Two Brothers – Leonard Goniwicha of Harbor Beach and Gerald Goniwicha of Roscommon.

Three Sisters – Ilene Thrushman of Port Austin, Shirley Young of Warren and Sandy Goniwicha of Warren.

3 Grandchildren – Brandon Goniwicha of Washington, Nicolas Lombardi of Auburn Hills and Kaden

Goniwicha of Shelby Township.

Peter was preceded in death by:

One Brother – Leo Goniwicha.

Two Sisters - Dorlene Talaski and Doris Gwisdalla.

Services, with military honors, will be held on Thursday, June 28, 2018 at 11 am at the Kaufman Funeral Home in Bad Axe. Friends may call at the Kaufman Funeral Home on Wednesday from 3-8 pm or Thursday from 10 am until the service time at 11 am.

Memorials may be offered Wounded Warrior Project.