**James Randall Tait**, 56, of Bad Axe, passed away on July 2, 2015 at Courtney Manor.

James was born on April 2, 1959 to Kay (Dufty) Johnston and to the late Orville Tait.

James was a graduate from Bad Axe High School. He enjoyed fishing, puzzle books and word searches.

James is survived by his daughter, Becky (Kris) Detgen of Ubly; grandchildren: Brayden, Kylee and Dylan; mother Kay Johnston of Bad Axe; brothers: Rick (Kim) Parrish of L'Anse, Michigan; Rob Parrish of Bad Axe; Tim Tait of Bad Axe; sisters Tammy Popour (special friend John) of Port Hope; and Mindy (Bob) Robinson of Bad Axe; and several nieces and nephews.

A memorial service will be held 10 am Wednesday, July 8th at the MacAlpine Funeral Home with Rev. William O'Nan officiating. A gathering will be 9 am until time of service.

Memorials may be offered to the family discretionary fund.

Condolences can be shared at www.macalpinefuneralhome.com