



Thomas Lakies

February 16, 1941 - May 11, 2012

Traverse City - Thomas Lakies, 71, of Traverse City died peacefully at his home Friday, May 11, 2012.

Thomas was born on February 16, 1941 in Wayne to the late Gerald and Marion (Cellner) Lakies.

Thomas enlisted with the United States Navy at the beginning of the Vietnam Conflict and was honorably discharged in 1964.

On March 27, 1965 he married the former Cheryl Morgan. Together they have shared 47 wonderful years of marriage.

Thomas was a branch manager for several banks prior to his retirement. In his spare time he loved to go fishing with his buddy Mike Huey, watch the Detroit Lions, and spend time with his friends and family. He also enjoyed watching the sunset in Indian Rock Shores, Florida, where he went every year for spring vacation. He had a fun sense of humor and will be greatly missed by all who knew him.

Thomas is survived by his wife Cheryl, daughter Sheila, son Jeff (Jenni), grandchildren Allison and Seth, sister Susan Terzaghi, brother-in-law Basil (Terri) Morgan, and many nieces and nephews. Thomas is also survived by his beloved pets Sierra, Simba and Jake.

Memorial contributions may be directed to A.C. Paws.

Please visit www.reynolds-jonkhoff.com to share your thoughts and memories with the family.

The family is being served by Reynolds Jonkhoff Funeral Home and Cremation Services.

Tribute Wall

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“ To Cherie, Sheila and Jeff....So sorry to read that Tom passed away. I wanted you to know that I am thinking about you all. I have sooo many fond memories of your family when we lived on Skegemog Point! I can't believe that those two little ones I was babysitting for are now grown adults!! I only hope that your many memories and love for each other helps to find peace with your loss. Love, Jeanne Comai (Hubbell)

Jeanne Comai (Hubbell) - June 02, 2012 at 12:24 PM

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“ Great classmate of 1959 of Charlevoix High. Was a great football player of the undefeted and unscored team in the fall of 1958.

John E. Haggard - May 13, 2012 at 09:37 AM