

Perry C. Anderson



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Perry Clifford Anderson

Perry C. Anderson of Decker, Michigan, died Wednesday April 24, 2002 in Saginaw, Michigan. Funeral services were on April 27, 2002 at the O'Guinn Family Funeral Home in Clio, Michigan with Reverend Robert Bolander officiating.

Perry was born in Alexandria, Minnesota on October 1, 1950, the son of the late Russell and Viola (Klewen) Anderson. He was baptised and confirmed at St. Lukes Lutheran Church in Garfield, Minnesota. Perry sang many times in church and was in high school band and choir. He enjoyed hunting with cousins and always had a love for animals, spending many hours with his dogs and horse and spending time with his family. He graduated from Jefferson High School in Alexandria, Minnesota in 1968 and attended Augsburg College in Minneapolis, Minnesota.

Perry married Sandy Bergman and served in the U.S. Navy, aboard the submarine, U.S.S. Battfish for nine years during the Vietnam War. After the Military he worked for the Bell Systems Training Center in Lisle, Illinois where he met and married Marcia Centilli. They made their home in Naperville, Illinois with Patrick Russell and Nicole Jean completing the family.

In 1995 Perry, Marcia and the kids moved to a farmstead in Decker, Michigan. A home where he spent many happy hours with his family and working on his farm. He was employed by GM Saginaw Iron Metal Casting as a supervisor.

Perry was an avid hunter and loved the outdoors. He enjoyed elk hunting trips to Colorado, deer hunting in Michigan with his wife's family and made many trips to Minnesota to hunt with his family.

Perry is survived by his wife Marcia, son and daughter; Patrick Russell and Nicole Jean of Decker, Michigan; two sisters; Corliss and husband Allen Nelson of Alexandria, Minnesota; Gail Anderson of Garfield, Minnesota; three nieces; Nicole and husband Joe Schabel of Fargo, North Dakota; Heidi Nelson and Amanda Nelson of Alexandria, Minnesota; several aunts and uncles in Alexandria and many cousins. Also surviving are several sisters-in-law and brothers-in-law, five grandchildren and great nieces and nephews in Michigan. He was preceded in death by his parents, grandparents and an infant brother, Scott Edward.

A Memorial Service was held on May 19, 2002 at St. Lukes Lutheran Church in Garfield, Minnesota. Committal at the family farm in Minnesota.