



Joseph Smith

June 11, 1945 - September 25, 2022

Joseph L. Smith III, 77, of Baldwin, formerly of Portland. Joe passed on September 25, 2022, after an accident at his home. Joe was born on June 11, 1945, to Joseph L. Smith Jr. and Barbara E. Clark nee Johnson in Lansing, Michigan. After graduating from Sexton High School, he joined the US Marines. In 1967 he married his first spouse, Carol Ann Porter, and mother of their 3 daughters, Kami, JoAnn, and Heidi. He was retired from General Motors loved to travel, his dogs, and spending time with family. Joe and Carol enjoyed life together for 49 years and was by her side during her brave battle with cancer until her last day in December 2016. In 2017 Joe became part the Lake County Sheriff Volunteer Deputy team. He enjoyed being part of the Sheriff department and earned multiple awards for his service. In 2019 Joe married his second wife Christine Kime. Christine has two sons, John and Jason, who Joe loved as his own.

Joe is preceded in death by his parents, Joseph Smith Jr. and Barbara E. Clark, step-dad Morrell Clark (Clarky), first spouse Carol Smith and leaves behind wife Christine; sister Barbara Alexander; three daughters—Kami Feldpausch (Thomas), Joann Fritch (Markus), and Heidi Smith (Jason Cuttle); step-sons—John Kime (Cheryl) and Jason Kime (Sue), ten grandsons Adam Rivera, Kyle Nichols, Joshua Rivera, Cody Cuttle, Daniel Gibbons, Brendon Smith, Dominick Fritch, Caleb Kime (Rebecca), Jacob Kime and Joshua Kime, one granddaughter Abigail Garcia (Anthony), three great-grand kids

Adilynn, Brantley and Beniah, and niece Brigitte Pricco (Scott) and great nephew Evan.

A service to celebrate his life will be held on Saturday, October 22, 2022, at Amvets Post 1988, 1959+W. 24th Street, Baldwin, Michigan 49304 at 1pm. Holihan-Atkin-Barclay Funeral Home, Grand Ledge. Share your memories and condolences online at www.holihanatkin.com

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

OCT **22**. 1:00 PM (ET)

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Baldwin, MI 49304