



Richard John Palmer

February 11, 1948 - August 6, 2011

Richard John Palmer, age 63, of DeMotte passed away on August 6, 2011 at the Autumn Hills Nursing Home in Roselawn, Indiana. Richard was born in Escanaba, Michigan on February 11, 1948, the son of the late Walter and Sarah (Flinn) Palmer.

Richard was formerly employed as a mill wright at Bethlehem Steel for 30 years and for Arcelor Mittal for 6 years. He was a Chairman of the Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation.

On August 10, 1968, in Hobart, Indiana, Richard married Shirley A. Lemon and she survives.

Richard is survived by his loving wife, Shirley, two children, Daniel Edward Palmer and Jennifer C. Rahmoeller both of DeMotte; 4 grandchildren Tyler, Haleigh, Shayla and Madison and a sister Bonnie (Ed) Carlson of Arcadia, FL.

Richard was preceded in death by his parents and 2 brothers.

Tribute Wall



“ Jackson Funeral Chapels created a Tribute Video in memory of Richard John Palmer



Jackson Funeral Chapels - August 06, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ I knew Dick from working with him at the Burns Harbor plant. I've known him for several years. He was a great guy who would help you if you needed it. He will be greatly missed. My condolences to all of his family...##imported-begin##Ollie Proteau##imported-end##

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“ Shirley, Dan, Jen
I'm really sorry to here about dick he was a great guy. I have lots of memories of all of us camping at salamonie. Your Friend
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