



Mr. Richard J. Tatro

July 11, 1941 - June 26, 2019

Mr. Richard J. Tatro, 77, of Lanesborough, MA, passed away on Wednesday, June 26, 2019. Born in Stamford, VT, on July 11, 1941, the son of the late Ralph and Pearl Benoint Tatro, he graduated from Drury High School.

Dick worked as an OP1 Inspector and in plastics at General Electric for most of his career. In his younger years, he worked for a logging and construction business. After his retirement, Dick was both the head maintenance and delivery man for the Dalton General Store.

Dick was an active member of the Bennington Trail Cruisers and he loved going to horse pulls! He was also a member of the First Baptist Church of North Adams. Dick loved being outdoors. It was there he was able to enjoy hunting and camping, two of his favorite pastimes.

Dick was happiest when surrounded by his loved ones. He was a devoted husband, father, and grampy/pa. He kept a special spot in his heart for his friends who, throughout the years, became just as close as his family.

Besides his beloved wife, Patricia Cook Tatro, of 58 years, Dick is survived by his two children; Kevin Tatro and Lisa Weber and her fiancé, Michael Smith.

He is also survived by his brother, Roger Tatro and his wife Debbie; and his sister, Bonnie Volpi. Richard leaves behind his adored grandchildren; Victoria Witherell (Jim), Amanda Corcoran (Lucas), William Weber (Shaina) Travis Tatro, Bryan Smith, Jackie Smith and Timmy Smith (Michaela); his beloved great grandchildren, Jacob, Marco, Caroline, Brandon, Scarlett, Landon and Layla. Dick is also survived by his treasured sidekick, Radar and many

extremely loved nieces and nephews. He was predeceased by his son, Shawn Tatro; his grandson, Justin Tatro; and his two brothers; Ernest Tatro and Bruce Tatro.

Funeral Notice:

There will be no formal funeral services for Richard Tatro. Burial will be at a later date. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the Lanesborough Police Department in care of the Dwyer Funeral Home, 776 North St., Pittsfield, MA 01201 in his memory. Donations CANNOT be made online, but may be made through Dwyer Funeral Home.