



## Steven Lloyd Metzler

February 16, 1948 - July 17, 2015

Steven Lloyd Metzler, age 67, of Farwell, passed away on Friday, July 17, 2015, at the Laurels of Mt. Pleasant following a lengthy illness. Steven was born on February 16, 1948, in St. Petersburg, Florida to Don E. Metzler (who had preceded him in death) and Helen (Sherman) Metzler, who survives him. Steven was married for more than thirty years to Patrice C. Parker. Together they shared two children; Rebecca (fiancé Russell Korson) of Lake Leelanau, and Matthew of Denver, Colorado. He is also survived by his sister, Sharon (Steven) Hartley of Midland, and their daughters, Lindy (Daniel) Hanson of Valparaiso, Indiana, and Erin (Clay) Buchanan of Dewitt, Michigan, his brother, Michael (Stephanie) and their daughter Ryan , of Newberry, as well as numerous extended family members.

Steven graduated in 1966 from Lamphere High School in Madison Heights. He attended the University of Michigan before beginning a long career with Ameritech, from which he retired in 1999 after 30 years of employment. He served for 25 years on the Selective Service Board for Clare County, and was a past member of the Clare Area Junior Chamber of Commerce. He had also served as one of the first coaches for the Clare Rocket Football Program. Throughout his life, Steven was an avid reader and accomplished woodworker, whose life revolved around his family. In particular, he adored his wife and children, who gave him much joy throughout his life.

Cremation has taken place. His family is planning a celebration of Steven's life in the near future. Memorials in his honor may be made to Clare Rocket

Football, Inc. in care of 408 John R., Clare, Mi., 48617. Arrangements were by Stephenson-Wyman Funeral Homes. Online condolences messages for his family may be left at [www.stephenson-wyman.com](http://www.stephenson-wyman.com)

# Tribute Wall

CJ

“ *Very sorry for your loss. our hearts go out to your family.you will be missed ,cal&janett*

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**Cal janett jackson** - July 25, 2015 at 10:27 AM

KH

“ *Thinking of you.Said a prayer for Steve. Lots of good Helmer Bay memories.Steve's chains still hold boats!! Luft/Hand Family*

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**Kathy Hand** - July 23, 2015 at 02:54 PM

MM

“ *Sorry about your loss , always made me laugh, Ma Bell was great place to learn from the older guys thanks Steve,never forget*

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**michael mckimmy** - July 23, 2015 at 08:34 AM

JL

“ *Sorry to hear about Steve's passing, we had a lot of good times working together at Ma Bell. My condolences to the family.*

*Jim and Nancy Lloyd*

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**Jim Lloyd** - July 23, 2015 at 07:04 AM

KM

“ *So Sorry to hear of the passing of Steve. My condolences to the Metzler family. He is now at peace.*

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**Karen Bethune, Frankenmuth, Mi** - July 22, 2015 at 05:04 PM

DJ

“ So sorry for your loss. Steve was a great guy & coworker.

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**Deb Janner** - July 22, 2015 at 04:06 PM