



John Edward Bishaw

June 10, 1943 - October 29, 2018

John Edward Bishaw, 75, of Charlevoix passed away Monday, October 29, 2018 at his home. John was born on June 10, 1943, in Charlevoix to the late Edmond and Shirley (Welch) Bishaw. In John's spare time, he enjoyed hunting, fishing and spending time at auctions. He also raced stock cars at the Elmira race track, when he was not racing he was watching. During his career he worked at East Jordan and Ellsworth Canning Factory, Morweld Steel, Castle-Vanhaber and Wilflow. John will be lovingly be remembered by his children: Ronna (Rex) Whetstone, Mark Bishaw, Candy Bishaw, and Daniel Bishaw, twelve grandchildren, thirteen great- grandchildren, siblings: Jane Stoner, Carolyn (Ken) Lidski, Marylyn Forton, Jim (Betty) Bishaw, and Sugar (Charlie) Bourdo. He was preceded in death by his ex-wife Irene Bishaw, son Timothy Bishaw, and niece Sharley Bourdo. A Celebration of life will be held on Sunday November 18, 2018 from 1:30 – 4:30 pm at the Masonic Lodge in Central Lake located at 2345 South Main and Brooks. May God watch over and be with you always. Arrangements entrusted to the Kalkaska Funeral Home and Cremation Services.

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

NOV 18. 1:30 AM - 4:30 AM (ET)

Masonic Lodge
2345 South Main Street
Central Lake, MI 49622

Tribute Wall



“ You will be missed my friend. I will miss our long conversations about the speed way, crazy drivers, traffic, boats on the lake and those dang horses that are never out in the field but the grass is always mowed. Lol I hold that memory of seeing them out for the first and only time with you dear to my heart now. How you thought I purposely drove up to pick you up on a Saturday for a joke saying it was Monday. Lol Being roasted out of my car taking you home. 😊
Fly high handsome.

Holley Billett - November 21, 2018 at 02:57 PM