



Tom Jans, 75, died Sunday, April 7, 2024, surrounded by family.

Born on October 7, 1948, in Manistee, MI, the son of Carl and Susan (Adamski) Jans, he worked at Martin Marietta until his retirement in 2008. Tom celebrated his 54<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary on March 21<sup>st</sup> with his beloved wife Nancy (Lijewski) Jans.

Tom and Nancy had two children, Carl Jans (Jenny Jans) and Tammy Nash (Bob Nash), both of Manistee. He enjoyed his grandchildren, Christopher, Nate and Kari Jans and Ethan, and AJ Anderson.

Tom and Nancy loved to camp and spend time with their favorite pet, Maddy and close friends Dave and Linda Spellich. Tom loved the holidays, especially Halloween Weekend at Ponco's Pond in Ludington, MI. For many years, he took joy in decorating his campsite and competing with his children for 1<sup>st</sup> place.

A Celebration of Life will be held at Oak Grove Funeral Home in Manistee, MI on Saturday, May 11<sup>th</sup> beginning at 11:00 a.m. with a brief service at 1:00 p.m.

Please visit Tom's personal page of memories at [www.oakgrovefh.com](http://www.oakgrovefh.com) to share a photo or memory. Oak Grove Funeral Home in Manistee is honored to assist the family during this difficult time.