

Scott E. Agee: Newspaper Obituary and Death Notice

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53, Cheboygan

Scott E. Agee, 53, of Cheboygan, passed away Tuesday, Nov. 22 at his home surrounded by loved ones after a valiant battle against cancer.

Surviving are his children Rachel (Ralph) Cochran, Josh (Stacey) Agee, and Louis Agee, all of Cheboygan; his six grandchildren Scott, Anna and Katee Cochran, and Haley, Brooklyn and Joshua Agee, also of Cheboygan; his parents, Louis and Laretta Agee of Palmetto Fla.; his brothers and sisters, Keith (Sally) Agee, Chris (Mary) Agee of Cheboygan, Marianne Mankin, Richard (Brigitte) Agee, Larry (Stacie) Agee, Bill (Jodie) Agee, Jamie (Ted) Kilgore, all of Missouri, Joe (Andrew) Agee of Minnesota, Matt (Brenda) Agee of Ironwood, Mich., and many nieces and nephews.

Scott spent his time 'rockin the masses' with his Firebird, playing baseball, watching his beloved Detroit Tigers, but most of all being the world's greatest Grandpa. Upon meeting him, it was easy to tell he was a hardworking, loyal, and honest man. He was a roofer here in town and on Mackinaw Island and was proud to point out his still standing strong rooftops. He later enjoyed waiting tables at The 2 Mile, always super pleasant with a smile and a joke for everyone.

Music was his passion, his gift to the world. He inspired, entertained and awed the state of Michigan with the over 30 bands he teamed up with throughout his life, beginning at the talented young age of 11. Even battling cancer, his determination and "the show must go on" attitude kept him performing in local bands. Those include "Heavens Ta Betsy" with his son Josh, The Cheboygan Brewhouse Band, both of Cheboygan, and Tricky Dicky and The Spoonmen of Mackinaw Island. Amazingly, also rushing occasionally between gigs to perform acoustic accompaniment for his granddaughter Anna at talent shows. Scott was also a talented songwriter with CDs recorded with many other local rockstars.

Scott was blessed with the ability to see and encourage the goodness inside those he encountered throughout life. He inspired others to be the best they could be, his kindness was contagious. No matter what city he was in, he could either laugh with someone that he knew or left laughing with a new friend. His memory remains with us all each season; with the sight of the first spring morel mushroom, the crack of a summertime home run, the pick of the perfect pumpkin in fall, and the hiding from winter's harsh cold with games of **APBA**. We will all miss you, Grandpa.

A celebration of his life will be held on Sunday, Dec. 11 at the Cheboygan Eagles Hall beginning at 2 p.m. Many musicians will perform in his honor and in lieu of flowers, please bring a dish to pass.

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