



Jay W. Perttula

May 10, 2013

Perttula, Jay Walfred age 54, of Fridley, MN, formerly of Trout Creek, MI passed away quietly on May 10, 2013 after an 8-month battle with cancer. Born on Nov. 9, 1958 to the late Walfred and Ellen (Hattula) Perttula. He was preceded in death by 2 brothers, Walfred Jr. and David. He is survived by his wife of 30 years, Barbara (Morrison); his 25 year old twin children, Jeramie (son) and Jamie (daughter); sister, Marjorie (Emmanuel) Voigt; brother, Gerald (Cathy) Perttula, both of Trout Creek, MI; sister-in-law, Frances Perttula of Port Orange, FL. Jay graduated from Ewen-Trout Creek High School in 1976 and attended Dunwoody Technical College where he received his degree in automotive repair and refinishing. He was employed by All State Sales and Leasing in South St. Paul for 30 years. A loving husband and companion, wonderful father and a great friend to all, who loved life and lived it to the fullest. Jay had 2 favorite hobbies, being a private pilot and seeing the beauty all around him, and his love of snowmobiling. If it was snowing in the Upper Peninsula of Michigan, you could hear him say to his friends "Lets GO". He will be greatly missed by his family and friends. A graveside ceremony at the Trout Creek Cemetery in Trout Creek, MI is being planned in the near future. Memorials preferred. www.Washburn-McReavy.com Coon Rapids Chapel 763-767-1000

Tribute Wall

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“ I was in Wyoming fishing with my oldest son Brian when my wife told me that Jay had passed away.

The one thing that coming to mind was that Jay really was a good man.

Everyone always tries to say good things about a person after they're gone, but it comes especially easy for Jay.

He was a good man.

A good husband and Father.

And it showed.

Jay,

Goodby for now,

Jim and Carol Foss

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