



Lyle C. Clark

December 18, 1947 - April 13, 2023

Lyle C. "Curt" Clark, 75, passed away peacefully on Thursday, April 13, 2023 at Baystate Medical Center, with loving family at his side. Born in Minnesota on December 18, 1947, son of Elaine (Heinrich) Smaciarz and the late Anthony J. Smaciarz, he has lived locally for most of his life. A US Air Force veteran of the Vietnam War Era, Curt served our country as an Administration Specialist and Weapons Mechanic. He retired after a long career as teacher and department head of Auto Repair at Dean Technical High School in Holyoke. Curt was also co-owner of B&C Auto Shop in Holyoke. He was an avid car racing enthusiast, built his own race car, and was well-known in New England racing venues. Curt is survived by his loving wife, Karen (Cruz) Clark; beloved mother, Elaine Smaciarz of MN; three cherished children, Carrie E. Matusko and husband Stefan of Holyoke, Michael J. Clark and wife Kelly of Easthampton, and Jonathan C. Clark and fiancée Cathrine MacNeil of Holyoke; six treasured grandchildren, Katie DeLuca and husband Tony of FL, Amanda Matusko of Holyoke, Kyra Kereakoglow and wife Vanessa of Quincy, and Jack Clark, Alex Clark, and Charlie Clark, all of Easthampton; great-grandson, Odin; mother of his children, Suzanne J. Clark; and sister, Cheryl Robertus and husband Dan of MN. All funeral services for Curt were held privately for family.

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