



## Neil B. Kelly

October 7, 1936 - July 9, 2024

Neil Benjamin Kelly of Port Huron, passed away on July 9, 2024. He was born on October 7, 1936 in Lexington, Michigan. He married Charlotte M. Grover on January 17, 1959 in the United Methodist Church in Port Huron.

Neil served honorably in the United States Air Force and was a Korean War veteran, a member of the Sault St. Marie Tribe of Chippewa Indians and worked for the Operating Engineers Local 324, as a crane operator. He enjoyed riding motorcycles and had many adventures while riding. From racing with Charlotte's dad, to leading groups of friends, to traveling and going to Daytona Bike Week, he was ready to ride, and fast! He also liked his cars fast and shiny clean.

Neil is survived by his wife, Charlotte Kelly, Son, Charles (Valerie) Kelly, Daughter, Janice Reed, brothers; Harry Kelly and Richard Kelly, sister, Sally Smith, grandchildren Charles Joshua Kelly, Logan Kelly, and Sierra Kelly, along with several grandchildren and great grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his father, Fred C Kelly, Mother, Estelle (McCoy) Kelly, brother, Fred Kelly, and sister, Linda Kelly.

A Celebration of Life will be held on Wednesday, July 24, 2024 at 2:00pm in the Jowett Funeral Home - 1634 Lapeer Ave., Port Huron. Minister Shaun

Laurain will officiate. The memorial visitation will be from 12:00pm until time of service at 2:00pm.

Memorial contributions can be made to the Blue Water Area Humane Society.

# Previous Events

## Memorial Visitation

JUL **24.** 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Jowett Funeral Home and Cremation Service - Port Huron  
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# Tribute Wall



“ 93 files added to the album Life Tributes



Jowett Funeral Home and Cremation Service - July 18, 2024 at 11:37 AM

SK

“ I am saddened to hear that Neil passed. He was the brother of Fred, my step father, also deceased. I had a few occasions to be around Neil and found him to be a nice man, humorous and into motor cycles. My sincere condolences to Char & family.  
Sue Knowlton (Betty Kelly's daughter)

Susan Knowlton - July 13, 2024 at 12:37 AM

JH

“ Dave and I have so many wonderful memories with Neil and Charlotte! He led many motorcycle rides we went on and always seemed to lead us into the rain! I'd always say "why don't we go that way Neil, where the blue sky is"!! But we would have followed him anywhere because he was Neil!! We Love You and will miss you.  
God Speed Neil.

Judy Hutton - July 11, 2024 at 06:13 PM

LM

“ So sorry to the whole family. Seems like yesterday we were talking laughing. Neil was such a good man.

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**linda massacar** - July 09, 2024 at 02:36 PM