



## Mr. Robert (Bob) Charles Lake

August 20, 1953 - January 8, 2021

Robert (Bob) Charles Lake, age 67, went home to be with the Lord on Friday, January 8, 2021. He passed away unexpectedly in his home.

Robert was born August 20, 1953 in Port Huron, MI to the late Warren and Joan Lake. He married Karen Kay Dove December 5, 1975 in Port Huron. Bob was a devoted and loving husband, father and grandfather. He and his wife were high school sweethearts and were married for 45 years. He provided special care for her for many years. They had four beautiful children and thoroughly enjoyed attending their school and sporting events. Bob retired from International Automotive Components (IAC) where he was a machine operator and Hi Lo driver. His dogs Ragsey and Spike were a great comfort and companion to him and were always by his side.

Bob is survived by his wife Karen Kay Lake, sons Robert J. (Brenda) Lake, Ryan (Kendra) Lake, Dareck Lake (Crystal Kozma) and daughter GeriAnn Lake, brothers Patrick (Gail) Lake and Mark (Glenda) Lake, brother in-laws Tom Rose, Harvey Dove, John (Cindy) Dondineau, Tom Dove (Melody), Kirby Dove and sister in-law Gwen (Donald) Rutkofske, his grandchildren and several nieces, nephews and cousins.

He was preceded in death by sister Barbara J. Rose.

Private immediate family visitation will be held at 10:30-11:00 with open visitation from 11:00-12:30 on Friday, January 15th in the Jowett Funeral Home, 1634 Lapeer Ave, Port Huron, MI. A private family service will be held at 12:30. Celebrant Jaylene Castle will officiate. Burial will be in Kinney

Cemetery.

Pallbearers will be John Dondineau, Harvey Dove, Tom Dove and Donald Rutkofske.

Memorial tributes may be made to the wishes of the family.

To view the obituary and share memories, please visit [www.jowettfuneraldirectors.com](http://www.jowettfuneraldirectors.com)

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 15. 11:00 AM - 12:30 PM (ET)

Jowett Funeral Home and Cremation Service - Port Huron  
1634 Lapeer Ave.  
Port Huron, MI 48060  
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## Funeral Service

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Jowett Funeral Home and Cremation Service created a Webcast in memory of Mr. Robert (Bob) Charles Lake*



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**Jowett Funeral Home and Cremation Service** - January 15, 2021 at 10:42 AM

KL

“ Bob was the best father any kids could ask for, he would go to work early so he could get out early just so he never missed any of their sporting events or science fairs. He always encouraged them and made sure he was always available for them. We had 4 children 3 boys and 1 girl . As for our daughter he was very protective, when she was a cheer leader in 7 & 8th grade they would cheer for their school when they played at other schools and he never wanted her to ride the bus back to the school with the other cheer leader's because of all the boys on the team were on the bus. I would tell him to chill out and let her go that the other cheer leaders and their trainer, a teacher and the coach would also be on the bus. So there we'd go following the bus to the school. I still can't believe he's passed though after being very sick for about 4 years I know he's in a better place in Heaven with no more pain and watching down on his family. There's not a day goes by that I don't fill his Presence around me. The only thing Bob Loved as much as his family was his two dog's Spike a Chihuahua and Ragsy a maltese they layed on the couch with him all the time and if he got up they would follow him every where especially once he got sick they were right by his side like they knew how he was filling.. ( WE LOVED YOU WHEN YOU WERE WITH US, WE LOVE YOU NOW THAT YOUR IN HEAVEN, AND WE WILL ALWAYS LOVE YOU ! ) We'll all be together in Heaven Someday until then watch over our family, we Miss you and we Love you. 😊

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Karen Lake - May 20, 2021 at 12:22 AM

WB

“ I am Karen's roommate, we had bird feeders outside our window there was a baby black squirrel that use to come and eat all of our bird food so Bob went to the store and bought peanuts for that little baby squirrel just because it was hungry. I didn't know him long but long enough to know what a big heart he had anyone that would come out in this bitter cold to feed a wild squirrel has to be an amazing loving person. RIP Bob, I will never forget you and how kind you were to that little squirrel and to me thank you for the broom and all of the candy.



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**Wanda Benso** - January 13, 2021 at 09:53 PM

VD

“ I always thought so much of Bob, so sorry to hear of his passing. My sincere sympathies to his family. Vicki Dionne.

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**Vicki Dionne** - January 13, 2021 at 08:41 PM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Mr. Robert (Bob) Charles Lake.



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January 13, 2021 at 12:38 PM

JB

“ *Ayden with Grandpa on Halloween*



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**Jenny Brackenbury** - January 12, 2021 at 09:19 PM

WB

*What a great picture, I was there the day it was taken he was enjoying his grand kids so much it was a fun day for them all.*

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**Wanda Benso** - January 13, 2021 at 09:58 PM

CT

“ *Cuz Terry purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of Mr. Robert (Bob) Charles Lake.*



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**Cuz Terry** - January 12, 2021 at 08:11 PM

KS

“ *I am so sorry for the loss of such a kind and caring sole. Give Bob a fig newton or a brownie and he was happy. We can all learn what true strength is from this beautiful family. We met Bob and Karen through our son-in-law Ryan, we are very fortunate to share what Bob and Karen are so proud of, their children, in our life. The true caring nature is apparent in Bob and Karen's brothers & sisters also. We send our deepest sympathy and love. Kati and Charlie Stiver*

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**Kati Stiver** - January 11, 2021 at 07:56 AM