

Jeffrey R. Eddy

Merrillan, WI

Jeffrey R. Eddy, 59, of Merrillan, WI, passed away Thursday, January 30, 2014, at Gundersen Lutheran Medical Center, La Crosse, WI. He was born December 15, 1954, in Black River Falls, WI, to Roy and Genevie "Jenny" (Butterfield) Eddy.

Jeffrey grew up and attended school in Merrillan before moving to Minneapolis, MN. While in Minneapolis, he worked as a steel worker for a short period of time before joining the United States Army.

Following the service, Jeffrey moved back to Merrillan and began working for Jim Spiegel of Neillsville, then Oppelt Brothers also of Neillsville.

Jeffrey enjoyed fishing, hunting, horseshoes, shuffleboard, darts, pool, softball, and having a good time. He was a member of the American Legion Post #140 of Merrillan.

Jeffrey is survived by his companion, Barb of Merrillan; mother, Jenny Eddy of Merrillan; sisters, Brenda (Jerry) Manthey, Pamela (Randy) Brown and Kathy Zimmerman all of Merrillan; many nieces, nephews, relatives and friends.

He was preceded in death by his father, Roy; brother, Ricky Eddy, Sr.

A memorial service, with military honors, will be held, Monday, February 3, 2014, 1:00 p.m., at the United Methodist Church, Merrillan. Reverend Meg Erickson will be officiating.

Family and friends are invited for visitation from 11:00 a.m. until the time of the service at the church.

Honorary pallbearers are Chris and Kyler Abbott, Jeff Peterson, Alex Hawkins, Mike Garbers, Steve Wyss, Steve and David Eddy, and Joe Holmen.

Jensen-Modjeski Funeral Home of Hixton is assisting the family with arrangements.

Online Condolences are available at www.jensenmodjeskifuneralhome.com.