



## Jens C. Torp III

October 13, 1943 - July 13, 2013

Jens C. Torp, III, age 69, of Grand Junction, passed away Saturday, July 13, 2013 in Bronson Methodist Hospital, Kalamazoo, MI. He was born October 13, 1943 in West Point, New York the son of Jens and Ruth (Compton) Torp, Jr. and has lived in the Grand Junction, South Haven area the majority of his life. He served with the US Air Force. Jens and Linda owned and operated J.C. Bait & Tackle/ Porthole in South Haven for 35 years. He enjoyed hunting, fishing, bowling, and loved spending time with his family at the cabin property. Surviving are his wife, Linda whom he married November 4, 1967; 4 children, Shelly (Doug) Zdawczyk of Saline, Stacey (Ken) Corke of Grand Junction; Mark (Missy) Torp of Portland, MI, Robert (Elizabeth) Torp of Park Ridge, IL; 4 beautiful granddaughters, Kelsea, Ashley, Reagan, Summer; great grandson, Brayden; sister, Carolyn Ritt of South Haven; 2 brothers, Richard (Marcia) Torp of South Haven, Bruce (Shirley) Torp of South Haven; and several nieces and nephews; all of whom he dearly loved. According to his wishes cremation has taken place and there will be no services. His final resting place will be at the family cabin in Paulding, MI. The family suggests memorials be made to the Ontonagon Valley Sportsmen's Club; PO Box 136; Bruce Crossing, MI 49912.

# Cemetery Details

**Cremation**

# Tribute Wall

MF

“ *Linda and family  
Shane, Nathan, and I are so sad to hear of Jens passing you are all  
in our prayers and thoughts.  
The Frazier's*

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**MaryAnn Frazier** - July 22, 2013 at 09:43 AM

AJ

“ *Our hearts go out to Linda, and the whole Torp family. We have  
known Jens for years from the league we bowled with him on  
Tuesday nights in South Haven. He was a great bowler and an even  
Better person. He will truly be missed.  
Team Thunder & Lightning Car Club (Jacob, Adam, Chris, Andy,  
Jeremy, Tracy, Sean and Matt.*

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**Andy Jegier** - July 21, 2013 at 06:01 PM



*Thank you Andy it was always great times bowling with them you will  
be missed*

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**Jeremy Price** - July 21, 2013 at 08:08 PM

RL

“ *In loving memory of my cousin, Jens, we have known each other  
since infancy, and grew up together in our wonderful family of  
grandparents, aunts, uncles and cousins We shared so many  
memories of our childhood and loved reminiscing about old times  
past. He was a very giving loving person and cared deeply about his  
family. We will all miss him. My thoughts and prayers are with all of  
the family.*

*Ruth Ann (Compton) Lewis*

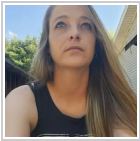
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**Ruth Ann Compton Lewis** - July 18, 2013 at 04:43 PM

DC

“ On behalf of the L.C. Mohr Class of 1962, we send our deepest condolences to the family and our thoughts and prayers are with you. We all remember Jens as the quiet, handsome drum major from our high school years. He will be missed by all. Dorothy Peck Cutshaw

Dorothy Peck Cutshaw - July 18, 2013 at 02:33 PM



“ Amber Ridley lit a candle in memory of Jens C. Torp III



Amber Ridley - July 18, 2013 at 01:25 PM

DB

“ Dana Bryant lit a candle in memory of Jens C. Torp III



Dana Bryant - July 17, 2013 at 09:54 AM