



Roy E. Anderson

July 1, 1929 - May 9, 2016

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age 86

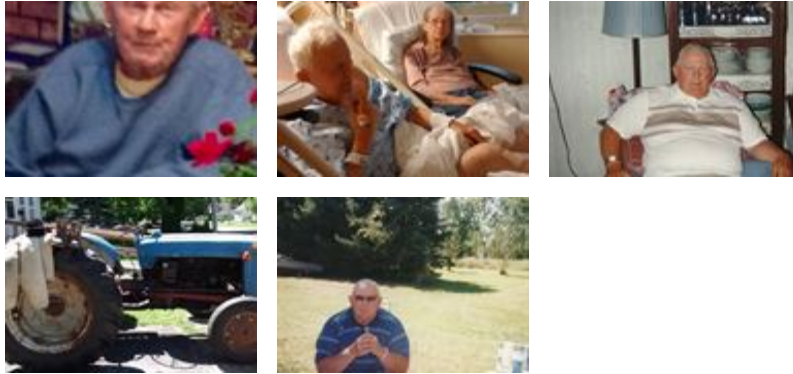
of Bangor

passed away May 9, 2016 at Rose Arbor Hospice Residence in Kalamazoo, MI. Roy was born July 1, 1929 in Arlington Township, the son of August L. and Mary (Kasmercheck) Anderson and has lived all of his life in the Bangor area. He retired from the Van Buren County Sheriff office as a lieutenant. He enjoyed farming and was known for his vegetables. Surviving are 2 brothers, Lennart Anderson of Bangor, Carl Anderson of Bangor; lifelong partner, Lila Crandall of Bangor; several nieces, nephews and other relatives. Memorial service information coming soon.

Tribute Wall



“ 30 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



D.L. Miller Funeral Home - June 10, 2016 at 11:45 AM

VA

“ I'm gonna miss Roy & his tractor strolling into McDonald's for me to get his coffee & biscuits! Love 💕 & sympathies to all from his friends here. 🙏

Vanessa - May 15, 2016 at 09:26 PM

RM

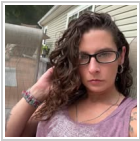
“ Lila, so sorry to hear of Roy's passing. I really liked him. I am in California visiting my daughter's family so I will not be able to attend the services but my thoughts are with you at this time. Ruth Bartley

Ruth Bartley Murphy - May 15, 2016 at 10:47 AM

MZ

“ Jerry and I have heavy hearts. Roy was a man bigger than life. Thinking of all his family and Lila at this time. Roy's sense of humor will be missed as well as his many other qualities. He was a kind person and great story teller. Our sympathy to all, May he rest peacefully.

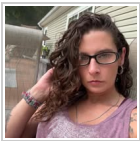
Melanie Zeiger - May 14, 2016 at 02:40 PM



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Ashley Braunz - May 13, 2016 at 08:15 AM



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LB

Thank you for sharing the picture of uncle Roy

Linda Beckwith - May 13, 2016 at 12:25 PM

RA

I worked with Roy at the VBC Sheriff's Dept. He was my supervisor. Thank you for being in my life .Rest in peace.

Retired Deputy Clara Austin - May 13, 2016 at 05:39 PM



“ *Worked midnights with Roy at the VBC Sheriff's office for several years before he retired. Good man, good friend. Used to stop and talk with him and Lila on Bangor street. Rest in Peace, partner*

Charlie Loughrin VBCSO (retired)

Charlie Loughrin - May 12, 2016 at 06:28 PM



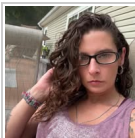
“ *Uncle Roy my memories of you as a child going mushroom hunting and falling in. You giving us your dog Cindy to mom and dad too seeing you on the farm with your blue tractor which we would see quite often going through McDonald and finally having you and Lila for thanksgiving dinners at our house. You definitely will be missed love your niece Linda*

Linda Beckwith - May 12, 2016 at 12:47 PM



I miss him; i wish i could find a picture of us at McDonald's...Vanessa serving him. Facebook; some one said, "have u seen everything in Bangor?" loved by so many & always brightened my day.

Vanessa - May 15, 2016 at 09:41 PM



“ *You will be very missed, it's a comfort knowing you will be watching over all of us. Loosing loved ones is never easy and life changes for everyone, you will most definitely be in our hearts forever.*

Ashley Braunz - May 12, 2016 at 11:29 AM

CM

“ Roy was the greatest friend and neighbor that any person could want. My children and myself, cherish the days we lived next door, shared chickens, and all the rest. Winter time my driveway was always plowed. Sweet corn, melons, you name it. It was ours to enjoy. Our conversations were long and sometimes spiked. But, what a loyal friend Roy has been. Charles D. McNary, Tucson, AZ, along with Kelly, in Kalamazoo, Michael in Sierra Vista, AZ

Charles D. McNary - May 12, 2016 at 08:47 AM

BC

“ Your chair at the table next to Lila's is empty now, but your presence is still felt. So many meals and memories you are missed my friend please watch over Lila she misses you.

Barb Crandall - May 12, 2016 at 05:47 AM

BC

chair

Barb Crandall - May 12, 2016 at 11:23 AM

TB

“ Tressa Beltran lit a candle in memory of Roy E. Anderson



Tressa Beltran - May 11, 2016 at 02:21 PM

TB

You were always so kind to me (Toad) Sgt. Anderson!

Tressa Beltran - May 11, 2016 at 02:21 PM



RIP Sgt Roy, with some fond memories I and many others ay good-bye

Paul Muinch, Chief of Police (Ret) - May 11, 2016 at 02:26 PM



I grew up around the VBCSD and Roy was always there grinning and was larger than life to me. As a young man I had the greatest respect for the men and women in brown and still do today after many years wearing brown and blue as well. The good ones are all leaving us and the young men and women today have big shoes to fill. Rest well Sarge!

Matt Holleman - May 11, 2016 at 03:01 PM



I will always remember him he was my parents friend I'll always remember that little stub of a cigar

gloria herbert - May 11, 2016 at 10:48 PM



Rest in Peace Roy. As a mentor in the Sheriif's Office and as a hunting partner, I enjoyed all your experience and thoughtful insight.

john gaborik - May 12, 2016 at 04:09 PM



I came the VBCSO in '89 with 13 years experience with SHPD, but nothing prepared me for the wealth of knowledge that Sgt. Roy had in that folio that STAYED on the dashboard of his cruiser...he could open that thing up to just the right page concerning the person I asked about. Amazing man. Grumpy, but amazing. Rest in Peace, old friend.

Charlie Loughrin - May 12, 2016 at 06:41 PM