



Vincent Troyer

October 3, 1930 - January 15, 2018

Vincent Troyer age 87, was born in Mio, Michigan and passed away on January 15, 2018. Beloved son of the late Henry and Elizabeth Troyer of Fairview, MI.

Vince attended Fairview schools and received his bachelors degree in education from Central Michigan University in 1957. Before attending CMU he served in the US Army and overseas in Germany from 1951 through 1953.

Vincent married Carol Miller in August, 1953 and together raised four children. He enjoyed sports, hunting, fishing and traveling the United States with his family. Vince began his career at Bad Axe High School, teaching Industrial arts and mechanical drawing for 32 years before retiring in 1989. In addition to teaching, Vince was JV and Varsity assistant football coach at Bad Axe during the 1970's and 1980's. He will be remembered by his students for his no nonsense philosophy in the classroom and always being available to visit & talk.

In his retirement years, Vince enjoyed time at his cabin near Fairview and the winter months in Sarasota, Florida with his wife Carol along with frequent visits from his children and grandchildren. He was member of the Bad Axe Presbyterian Church for 50 years and was active in the building of the new church serving as the "Clerk of the Works". In 2010, Vince and Carol joined

the Pigeon River Mennonite Church.

Vince is survived by his wife Carol of 64 years, his children Bryan (Alicia) of St Clair Shores, David (Arlene) of Carsonville, Sheri (Michael) of Sacramento, CA and Jim (Angie) of New Baltimore. His grandchildren, Ashley (Camerin) Levi, Jonathan and Jacob Troyer, David J. and Cory Troyer, Michael, Micha, Brea and Kennedi Dawson, Brandon and Leah Troyer. Dear brother of Charlene (Tim) Detweiler of Tipp City, OH and Dean Troyer of Kalamazoo, MI

Services will be held on Wednesday, January 17, 2018 at noon at the Pigeon River Mennonite Church. Friends may call at the Kaufman Funeral Home in Bad Axe on Tuesday from 2 – 8 pm or Wednesday at the church from 11 am until the service time at noon.

Memorials may be offered to the Pigeon River Mennonite Church.

Cemetery Details

Colfax Township

Bad Axe, MI

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 16. 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Kaufman & Co. Funeral Home, Inc.
84 Westland Dr
Bad Axe, MI 48413
(989) 269-3000
kaufmanfuneralhome@gmail.com

Visitation

JAN 17. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Pigeon River Mennonite Church
7120 Geiger Rd.
Pigeon, MI

Service

JAN 17. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Pigeon River Mennonite Church
7120 Geiger Rd.
Pigeon, MI

Tribute Wall



“ *Vincent Troyer*

January 28, 2023 at 01:32 PM



“ *To the family of Mr. Troyer,
I have fond memories of him giving me a hard
time in study hall. Lived on the same street as
my Uncle and Aunt even in the summer time
going for a walk he could be cutting grass and
would stop and take the time to ask how your summer was going.
Well respected man at BAHS. Your family is in my thoughts and
prayers.
Michelle Nguyen (Wisneski)*



Michelle Nguyen (Wisneski) - January 23, 2018 at 08:28 PM



“ *Sending thoughts and prayers to the Troyer
family! RIP Mr. Troyer!*



Amy Jo Sageman - January 23, 2018 at 01:41 AM



“ *so sorry for your loss. my husband ernie schwaderer really enjoyed
talking to Vince..hopefully they are enjoying each other now.*

connie schwaderer - January 19, 2018 at 06:14 PM

JG

“ My sincere sorry for your loss. My first memories of Mr. Troyer are at church in Bad Axe....He was a genuine, honorable, and quietly loving gentlemen. I am honored to know him in my life. Much love
Jill

Jill R Gucwa - January 19, 2018 at 06:06 PM

GM

“ Grew up on south street, played at troyer house...many great memories in the back 40. Dad and Mr. Troyer worked at school, always were together in the old bus garage telling stories. Great man.

Gary Meredith - January 17, 2018 at 11:23 PM

SV

“ Dear Carol, Brian, Sheri, Dave, & Jim, Though Steve and I cannot be ther to celebrate Vince's life with you all, please know that we're keeping you all in our thoughts and prayers. We can't help but think and smile at the many moments of laughter we shared with Vince over the years at BAHS. He was a wonderful man and educator and we too will miss him!

Andrea and Steve Varner

Steve and Andrea Varner - January 16, 2018 at 08:38 PM

SU

“ My heart and prayers go out to Mr. Troyers family. May you take comfort from knowing he is no longer in pain and now with God!
Love 💕 to you, Sheri! So sorry for your loss!

susan - January 16, 2018 at 03:29 PM

MI

“ I love and will miss you greatly and all your stories Grandpa!



Micha - January 16, 2018 at 03:27 PM

BA

Mr. Troyer was my favorite drafting teacher! God bless him. Sending prayers to the entire Troyer family as you morn the loss of a great man and someone who impacted our community in such a positive way!
-The Gahagan Family

Buffie Gahagan Anderson - January 17, 2018 at 09:51 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Vincent Troyer.



January 16, 2018 at 03:01 PM

JS

“ Carol: Sorry to hear of the passing of Vincent. I lost Merle in June of 2014 and I miss him every day. My thoughts and prayers are with you at this difficult time. Jean Stanton

Jean Stanton - January 16, 2018 at 02:29 PM

MD

“ *Michael D. purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Vincent Troyer.*



Michael D. - January 16, 2018 at 12:49 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Vincent Troyer.*



January 16, 2018 at 12:38 PM

MJ

“ *Love you Grandpa! I will miss you dearly!*

Little Mike

Michael Dawson Jr. - January 16, 2018 at 12:35 PM

KL

“ *The Troyers were our next-door neighbors from when my parents built my childhood home until the day I sold it (40 years later) following their deaths. I am truly sorry to read of Vince's passing and offer my best wishes to Carol and family.*

Kristen Lee - January 16, 2018 at 10:51 AM



“ *Rest in peace and may God's blessings be with you and your family.*

Matthew Ney - January 16, 2018 at 08:14 AM



“ *Thoughts & Prayers was purchased for the family of Vincent Troyer.*



January 16, 2018 at 05:36 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Vincent Troyer.*



January 15, 2018 at 10:31 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Vincent Troyer.*



January 15, 2018 at 09:59 PM



“ *Had the most respect from his students especially shop class*

Dan Louks - January 15, 2018 at 09:03 PM



“ *Best teacher I ever had*

Earl vUILlemot - January 15, 2018 at 08:47 PM

LK

“ *One of my favorite teachers in BAHS , You had better be paying attention in Mr Troyers class !! I will always remember him! Larry Kanaby*

Larry Kanaby - January 15, 2018 at 08:40 PM



“ *Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Vincent Troyer.*



January 15, 2018 at 08:32 PM

Beth
Cole

“ *Beth Cole lit a candle in memory of Vincent Troyer*



Beth Cole - January 15, 2018 at 06:14 PM