



## Steven Cuggino

February 11, 1942 - April 23, 2021

NORWAY- Steven Arthur Cuggino age 79 of Norway, passed away Friday, April 23, 2021 at his home in Norway.

He was born on February 11, 1942 in Kingsford, the son of the late Steven and Verne Mae (Kleiber) Cuggino.

Steve enlisted in the US Coast Guard in 1959 and served until 1980. After returning to the area, he then worked for the VA Medical Center in Iron Mountain for 8 years as Chief of Housekeeping before retiring.

While in the service, he met and married his first wife, Carol Ann Kier and they had three children together and would later divorce.

He then married and was a loving husband to Johanna Dykstra Lange, with whom he has three stepchildren. They were married for 36 years until his passing.

Steve and Johanna were faithful members of the First Covenant Church in Iron Mountain where he was very proud of being a member of their church choir.

He always had a kind word for whomever he talked with. And was always

gracious and appreciative of our holiday family meals and time spent together. He enjoyed coffee clutching at McDonalds and the fellowship of the Norway-Vulcan Senior Center.

Steve is survived by his wife Johanna; daughters Stephenie (Jim) Golden of WA and Stacy Thatcher of Fargo, ND; stepdaughters Amy Jo DeDecker of Norway and Tina (Rick) Trepanier of Iron Mountain; stepson Clinton (Amanda) Lange of Clarkdale, AZ; grandchildren Joe (Amber) Lantagne, Patrick (Amber) Lantagne, Michael (Bailey) Lantagne, Matthew (Urssy) Thatcher, Beth Thatcher Carrington, Ryan (Nicole) DeDecker, Phillip (Jenny) DeDecker, Chase (Megan) Freeman and Haley Lange; 13 great grandchildren; sister Clarice Allen of Norway; many nieces and nephews; and special friends Dave Powell and Elwood Anderson.

He was preceded in death by his son Cody Cuggino and brother Larry Cuggino.

Family will greet friends on Saturday, May 15 from 9-10 a.m. at the 1st Covenant Church in Iron Mountain.

A memorial service will be held on Saturday at 10 a.m. at the 1st Covenant Church with Pastor Chad Harrison officiating.

Interment will follow at the Norway Township Cemetery.

# Cemetery Details

## Norway Township Cemetery

Norway Township, MI

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAY **15**. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (CT)

First Covenant Church  
125 E H Street  
Iron Mountain, MI 49801  
<http://www.ironmountaincovenant.com>

## Memorial Service

MAY **15**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

First Covenant Church  
125 E H Street  
Iron Mountain, MI 49801  
<http://www.ironmountaincovenant.com>

# Tribute Wall

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“ I know how proud of your military service with the Coast Guard and I miss you. Love Stacy

Stacy Thatcher - October 29, 2022 at 04:09 PM

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“ I have several years of nice memories of Steve. We visited in our back yards on many occasions. Steve was a lovely man who loved Our Lord and lived his life in His service. I will miss our visits. Go in the peace of the Lord, Steve.

Your neighbor,

Linda

Linda Depew - May 11, 2021 at 04:45 PM



“ Sacred Duty Spray was purchased for the family of Steven Cuggino.



May 10, 2021 at 10:24 AM