



Robert Stephen Sramek

September 6, 1945 - May 7, 2020

Robert Stephen Sramek, born September 6, 1945 in Gary, Indiana, died unexpectedly May 7, 2020 in Merrillville, Indiana after a brief illness. He was the son of Stephen and Anna Sramek. Robert graduated from Andean High School and received his bachelors from St. Joseph's College in Rensselaer. Follow graduation from college he worked in a supervisory role at Youngstown Sheet and Tube in East Chicago, Indiana until being called to serve in the US Army during the Vietnam war. After return from the war he was employed at US Steel. Robert was an avid fisherman and inherited our father's love of gardening. Robert was dedicated to the family and was instrumental in the care of our parents, allowing them to remain in their home. Robert is survived by his brother, Stephen (Marlie), nephews Stephen and David Sramek, his sister Rose Mary Zolezzi and niece Kristin Andersen. He was preceded in death by his parents and a sister, Irene Andersen. A private service at Burns Funeral Home will be held to honor his memory. Donations can be made to <https://www.uso.org/>. Burns Funeral Home entrusted with arrangements.