

Lee Michaud

KINGSFORD — Lee T. Michaud, 64, of Breitung Township, died Sunday, April 13, 2008, at his home.

He was born on June 30, 1943, in Iron Mountain, the son of the late Thomas and Helmi (Eckloff) Michaud. Lee graduated from Kingsford High School in 1961 and has been a lifelong resident of this area.

He received his bachelor of science degree in electrical engineering from Milwaukee School of Engineering. Lee worked for Pentair (Niagara of Wisconsin) and Champion International as an electrical engineer in their paper mills.

He was a member of the Amateur Radio Club and was an avid Ham radio operator. Lee enjoyed working on electrical equipment and radios. He was always working on something for someone. He had recently assisted the Rockets for Schools program at Kingsford High School.

He is survived by two brothers, Dean (Kathy) Michaud and Dale Michaud, both of Kingsford; nephews, Christopher Michaud, Robert Michaud and Don Whalen; a niece, Valerie Whalen; and many cousins.

Lee was preceded in death by his sister, Dawn Whalen.

Visitation will be Thursday from 6 p.m. to 7 p.m. at the Erickson-Rochon & Nash Funeral Home.

A memorial service will be held at 7 p.m. Thursday at the funeral home. Rev. David Anderson will officiate.

Burial will be in the Quinnesec Cemetery.

Condolences to the family of Lee Michaud may be expressed online at:

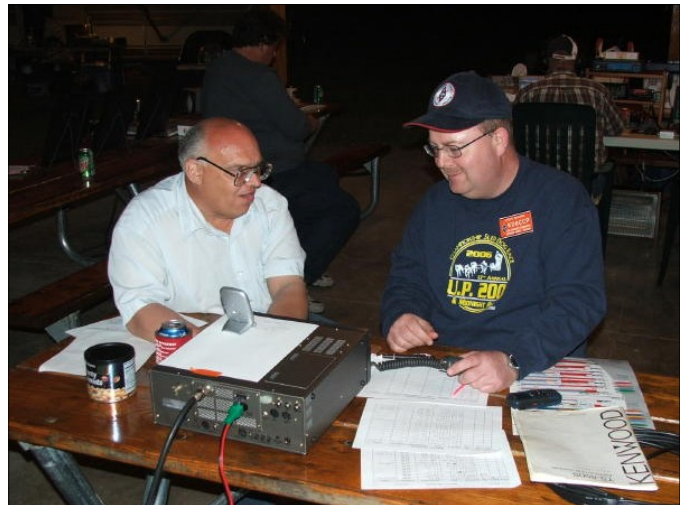
www.ernashfuneralhomes.com.

The family has entrusted the Erickson-Rochon & Nash Funeral Home of Iron Mountain with the funeral arrangements.



Field Day—2006

Don Welch, KC9XJ and Lee Michaud, N8LT, prepare to raise a wire antenna. Lee was a good man with a slingshot and managed to get the antennas waaaaay up there!



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Lee Michaud, N8LT, coaches Steve Skauge, KD8CCP at the GOTA Station. The GOTA Station using Lee's N8LT call, was used to train our new operators in HF operating practices.

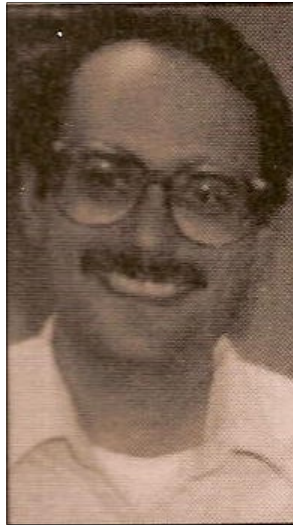
Lee (N8LT) was the club's technical expert. He was willing to share his knowledge with anyone that had a question about the hobby. He could fix anything! Lee was actively involved in club activities, and most of the time he had a lead role in a project. We relied on Lee to keep our repeaters and packet system operating smoothly. Most of all, Lee was a dear friend who found pleasure in helping others.

M. Michael Wolfe

QUINNESEC—M. Michael Wolfe, 45, of 4775 Lincoln St., Quinnesec, died as the result of injuries sustained in an airplane accident on Thursday, Jan. 6, 2000 in Dunbar Township, Wis.

Michael was born Oct. 5, 1954 in Marquette, son of the late Abe and Audrey (Adamson) Wolfe. He was a 1972 graduate of Ishpeming High School and received an associate degree in business from Northern Michigan University.

He worked for Miner's First National Bank (MFC) in Ishpeming as an installment loan and mortgage loan officer prior to being promoted to assistant vice president.



After his employment with Miner's Bank, he became a commercial pilot. Michael worked as a flight instructor in California prior to moving back to Upper Michigan, where he was first employed by CSA Inc. as a chief pilot and later by Superior Aviation Inc. in Iron Mountain, whom he was presently employed by. Michael was a CFII instructor pilot and did volunteer piloting of Northwoods Airlifeline of Iron Mountain.

Michael was also well known as a HAM radio operator, being a member of the Hiawatha Amateur Radio Association and the Mich-A-Con Amateur Radio Club in which he was presently serving as vice president. He taught many HAM radio classes, both in Iron Mountain and Ishpeming. He served on the Y2K Task Force with emergency services in Dickinson County and had a passion for computers and Mexican food.

Besides being an avid aviator, Michael enjoyed talking to other HAMS on the radio and corresponding by e-mail. When time permitted, he spent his time outdoors in the woods, either at his log cabin or the family lake camp.

He is survived by his wife, Kathleen Wolfe, whom he married on May 9, 1993 in Reno Nev.; a sister,

Sandra (Michael) Lowe of Michigamme; his two toy poodles, Tara and Toby; three aunts, Betty Adamson of Chicago, Anne Sussman of California and Dorothy Wolfe of Maryland; numerous cousins; his mother-in-law and step-father-in-law, Marion and Henry Helmisto of Tobinabee, Mich.; his father-in-law Euren Skogman of Republic; brothers-in-law; sisters-in-law; along with two nieces and six nephews.

The family will greet friends at the Bjork & Zhulke Funeral Home of Ishpeming from 10 a.m. to noon (Central time) Thursday.

A memorial service will be held at the funeral home at noon on Thursday with Rabbi Dan Thompson to officiate.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be directed to Northwoods Airlifeline at RR 1, Box 95, Republic, Mich. 49879 or to the Michael Wolfe Scholarship Fund to be set up at the First National Bank of Iron Mountain.

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*Today was a sad time in our lives,
We lost a great friend.
He was a person who would do anything to
help others.
He would go out of his way
and not complain.
His kindness touched many lives.
He was loved by many people.
But he left this world today and we will
always miss him...
his wonderful smile...
his marvelous laugh.
Sometimes life is not fair.
In the end we must accept the circumstances
but our lives will be changed...forever.
We will miss you Mike.
Good bye my friend.
We love you.*