

Patrick E. Hodges

Patrick Elwood Hodges passed away on January 28, 1995 in Portland, OR from complications associated with cardiomyopathy. He was 44 years old.

Pat was born in Fairbanks on May 31, 1950 at the U.S.A.F. Hospital at Ladd Field (Fort Wainwright) to Thomas and Mary Hodges, Jr. He grew up in Fairbanks and attended public schools here. He graduated from Lathrop High School in 1968.

Pat's passion of life was spending his summer on the Clearwater River in Delta. As a boy, he spent time on the river with his father. He later built his own cabin and cherished his weekends with his wife, family and friends enjoying the outdoors and boating. His faithful canine companion, Nakita, was always by his side.

Pat was always happy with a big smile and a friendly wave to all that crossed his path. All that knew him will remember his outgoing and generous spirit and his adulation of life. He will be greatly missed.

Pat is survived by his beloved wife, Irma, daughter Heather Durante, sons Jon Durante and Ada J. (Hodges)Kelley, mother Mary Hodges, his in-laws, Norman and Sally Benson and numerous other relatives. He was preceded in death by his father, Thomas H Hodges, Jr.