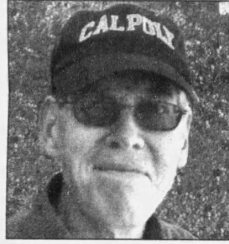


**OBITUARIES**



**Frank L.  
Pahkamaa**

Frank L. Pahkamaa, 55, passed away on July 16, 2010 after a long and courageous battle with cancer.

Frank was born on October 31, 1954 to John and Neomi Pahkamaa in Rapid City, South Dakota. He loved motorcycling in the Black Hills, eating Alice Allan's chocolate chip cookies, and spending time with his friends on Timothy Street.

After the death of his father, the family moved to Wisconsin. There he graduated from Wausau West High School. In 1974, Frank met his future wife while attending the University of Wisconsin, Madison. Upon graduation, with a degree in Mechanical Engineering, Frank began working for Oscar Mayer. The following years took Frank and Melody to Iowa and northern California before settling in Visalia. They welcomed daughters Tessa in 1988 and Molly in 1992. Frank retired from Kraft on June 30, 2010 after thirty years with the company.

Frank is preceded in death by his parents, John and Neomi Pahkamaa, and in-laws, Roger and Juanita Schepp. He is survived by his girls, wife Melody Schepp, and daughters, Tessa and Molly, his brother, Doug Pahkamaa, and sister-in-law, Holly Mattox.

Special thanks to Dr. Hsu and staff for all of their support over the past seven years.

Per Frank's request, no services will be held.

**Obituary for Frank L. Pahkamaa, 1954-2010 (Aged 55)**



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