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Rodney "Rod" Allen Holdcroft, 57, of Norwich, died Monday afternoon, August 7, 2023, at Genesis Hospice- Morrison House with his family by his side.

Born November 22, 1965, in Zanesville, Ohio he was a son of the late Everett Holdcroft, Jr. and Carolyn (Harding) Skabar. Rod was a 1984 graduate of Tri-Valley High School and earned his Associates Degree at Zane State College. He worked as a weaver for 21 years at The Longaberger Company and retired from the Muskingum County Sheriff Department.

Rod was a member of the Adamsville Global Methodist Church, Malta Masonic Lodge #118, Sons of the American Legion, and Kids Hope USA. He enjoyed spending time with his family and friends, shooting his guns, and watching motocross. Rod was competitive at heart and lived for friendly competition at Monday Night Dart League every winter.

Many would say he was an extremist to the core and down for just about anything; from riding his pit bike or flying through the sky in his Paraglider above Adamsville and Dresden. Surviving is his wife of 34 years, Mollie (Hittle) Holdcroft, whom he married October 29, 1988; a daughter, Haleigh (Carter Paul) Holdcroft of Zanesville; a son, Haven Holdcroft of Norwich; six grandchildren, Baylie, Willow, Alaina, Ansley, Prestynn and Pierce; a brother, Bob (Becky) Holdcroft; two half siblings, Mark and Tory; five step siblings, Danny, Mike, Justin, Stacie and Phillip; step-dad, John Skabar; father in-law and mother in-law, Vern and Jean Hittle; brother-in-law, Matt (Lisa) Hittle; sister-in-law, Michelle (James) Lewis; several aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, cousins and many great friends.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his biological father, Robert Havens; a brother, Chad Holdcroft and a step-sister, Dawn Holdcroft. Friends and family may call Friday, August 11, 2023, from 4:30pm to 9:00pm at The Dresden Chapel of Vensil & Chute Funeral Home, 714 Main Street, Dresden with Masonic Services being held by the Malta Masonic Lodge #118 at 4:20pm.



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Funeral services will be held 10:00am, Saturday, August 12, 2023, at Adamsville Global Methodist Church, 8065 East Street, Adamsville, Ohio with Pastor Pamela Lashley officiating. Rod will be laid to rest at Heaven's Gate Cemetery, Adamsville.

In lieu of flowers memorial contributions may be made to Genesis Hospice- Morrison House, 713 Forest Avenue, Zanesville, Ohio 43701; LifeWise Tri-Valley, P.O. Box 522, Frazeytsburg, Ohio 43822; or a charity of your choice.



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JS

Jeannie Semon posted:

Mollie My thoughts n prayers are with you So unreal RIP Rod

August 18 at 4:36 PM

JW

Julie Waaland posted:

I am so sorry to hear of Rod's passing. My thoughts and prayers are with you all.

August 14 at 12:00 PM

KW

Kenneth Williams posted:

A good man, gone far too soon, rest in piece.

August 11 at 1:15 PM

TJ

Tom Jenkins posted:

Mollie and family, you are in our prayers. Rod was one of the best Deputies to work for me and I have many good memories. He Did lots of things, just so he could say, "that was fun". Every one he met liked and respected him. I will miss him. Tom and Carolyn Jenkins. The "old" Morgan County Sheriff

August 11 at 11:15 AM

LL

Larry & Deb Lapp posted:

Our deepest sympathies to Rod's family and friends. He was a great guy.

August 10 at 5:17 PM

SS

Shawna/Alan Smith posted:

Mollie, Lisa and family - my thoughts and prayers are with you all during this difficult time. Rod was a great person who will be greatly missed and gained his wings too soon but is no longer in pain♥♥

August 10 at 1:27 PM



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CA

Carol Adams posted:

Mollie and family - you will be in my prayers and thoughts. Boy I will never forget all the good times I had with Rod and his brothers on the school bus. It was a privilege to haul them. God bless you and be with you in this time of need.

August 10 at 12:58 PM

DS

Donna Snyder posted:

I worked with Rod at The Longaberger Company. He was truly one of the nicest guys I have ever known. I pray for God to be with his family S they mourn his loss.

August 10 at 9:07 AM

TL

Tim & Kim Lowe posted:

So sorry to hear this Mollie, so many good memories in our younger years. He was one of the best men I've known, always had a good spirit even after his terrible accident. So sorry we'll be out town this weekend, but we'll be praying gods glory will be revealed through Rods life in the service

August 10 at 3:27 AM

TM

Trent Meeks posted:

Molly, Haliagh, & Haven my heart is broken ,Rod was one of the good ones. Really going to miss him. I will keep you all in my prayers.

August 9 at 5:38 PM

BR

Becky Russell posted:

Mollie you will always be in my thoughts and prayers.

August 9 at 1:26 PM

ME

Mike Edwards posted:

Mollie, sorry for your loss. Rod was a good guy. I will keep you and your family in my thoughts and prayers.

August 9 at 5:02 AM



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JS

Jessica Stotts posted:

Prayers for the family. So very sorry for your loss

August 8 at 6:00 PM

SH

Scott Hamilton posted:

Wonderful human. He rode with me at MCSO and kept me laughing. Peace and love 60S89

August 8 at 2:49 PM

PB

Peggy Bice posted:

Mollie and family. I am so sorry for your loss. You have my deepest condolences. Prayers to help you through this time of sorrow.

August 8 at 2:27 PM

LC

Leslie Colopycolopy posted:

I am so sorry for your loss

August 8 at 9:31 AM

CW

Christina Wisecarver posted:

Mollie and family, we are so sorry for your loss. May God wrap you in his loving arms during this difficult time. Love and prayers. Ronnie and Chris Wisecarver

August 8 at 7:25 AM

JH

Jennifer Dunfee (Hittle) posted:

Mollie and family I am so sorry for your loss. I will be lifting all of you in my prayers. Sending all my love

August 8 at 6:37 AM



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JM

Jean Maxwell posted:

To Mollie and Family: May God bless you and your family in this time of sorrow. Jean Maxwell

August 8 at 5:40 AM

MH

Marsha Hutchinson posted:

Molly and Family, I only knew Rod for a short time, however, I feel like I have known you both for so long, THRU JD. I AM SO SORRY FOR YOUR LOSS, AND MY THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS ARE WITH YOU ALL.SINCERELY,MARSHA & TERRY HUTCHINSON

August 8 at 5:36 AM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Rodney by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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