



## Gregory M. Tims

July 9, 1948 - February 5, 2017

Gig Harbor, WA – Gregory M. Tims, 68, of Gig Harbor, formerly of Terryville, CT, died February 5, 2017 at his home in Gig Harbor.

He was born July 9, 1948 in New Britain, CT the son of the late Myron W. Tims and Julia (Dudik) Tims Krenicki.

Greg was raised in Terryville and graduated from Terryville High School with the Class of 1967 and later attended Berklee College of Music in Boston.

Greg enlisted in the US Navy and served 22 years retiring as a Chief Petty Officer retiring in 1992. During his tenure in the Navy he received his bachelor's degree in marine biology. He returned to Connecticut for a brief time and then made his home in Gig Harbor since 1995. His second career was in the healthcare field.

Greg loved the outdoors, the ocean and everything in it. He enjoyed hunting, fishing, photography, cooking and could play any musical instrument he picked up.

He leaves his sister, Patricia Chalpin and her husband John of Stratham, NH and cousins.

A graveside service with military honors will be held at noon Monday, April 17, 2017 at St. Michael Ukrainian Cemetery, in Terryville, CT. Friends are respectfully invited. Assistance with the arrangements was by the Remick & Gendron Funeral Home-Crematory, Hampton, NH.

# Cemetery

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## **St. Michael Ukrainian Cemetery**

Kearney Street

Terryville, CT, 06786

# Comments

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“ Patricia,

I just found this very sad news while looking at the Bristol Press on line. Greg was one of my closest friends while in high school. Greg, Joe Janik, Jim Schermerhorn, Mark Lasrich and I used to spend many a night riding around in that old Corvair. Unfortunately, we all lost contact with one another as the years went on but that certainly doesn't mean that he was not often in my thoughts. I remember his talent for music and always thought that he might have pursued that professionally. Somewhere along the line I did learn that he was planning to make a career of the Navy but I never knew if he really did it.

This year is the 50th anniversary of our graduation from THS. There is a reunion in the planning stage and you can be sure that I will mention Greg's name often. He was well liked and respected by all of his classmates.

Please accept my deepest sympathy for your loss.

Phil Roberts

**Philip J Roberts** - April 15, 2017 at 08:17 PM