

ABATE of Onondaga



Duane A. "Fingers" Loomis



October 17, 2009 Duane A. Loomis, 52, of Campbell Road in Mattydale, died Saturday at St. Joseph's Hospital. Born in Syracuse, Duane grew up in West Haven, CT and had resided in Mattydale for the past 20 years. He was the son of the late John S. and Mildred J. Loomis. Duane was a 1975 graduate of West Haven High and owned and operated D & D Auto in East Syracuse for the past six years. Prior to that, he worked as a mechanic for 18 years at various shops.

Duane was a member of the Night Stalker Motorcycle Club and the ABATE Motorcycle Organization. He enjoyed bowling on area leagues for many years and was most recently on the league at Bowling Green in North Syracuse. Surviving are his six children, April Katura of TX, Missie (Steven) Wilcox of Rome, NY, C.J. Clew of Syracuse, Duane A. Loomis II of Mattydale, Maria Loomis of Albany, and Zach Charter of Syracuse; a brother, John (Sharon) S. Loomis Jr. of East Haven, CT; his sister, Joanne (Al) D'Avino of Wallingford, CT; and seven grandchildren.

