

ABATE



## Thomas R. Venner



August 11, 2011 Thomas Richard Venner, 66, of Park Rose Estates, Liverpool, passed away Thursday after a long illness. He resided in the Syracuse area all his life. He was the eldest son of the late William and Dorothy (Damon) Venner. Tom graduated from North High School and went on to join the Navy. He was a veteran of the Vietnam War. He was stationed aboard the USS Vogelgesang DD862. This is where he learned his trade. Tom retired from

Anheuser-Bush Inc. after 32 years of service in the powerhouse. He was a member of VFW Post 153 and American Legion Post 0113. He was a past member of Moyers Corner Volunteer Fire Department. He was a member of the diving squad. Tom was an avid NASCAR fan. He was an experienced motorcycle rider. He loved his Indian motorcycle. He was a member of ABATE. He loved to tinker with things. There was not anything he could not fix. If there wasn't a tool to do the job, he'd make one. Tom is survived by his two sons, Thomas of Brazil and Brian of North Carolina; two stepdaughters, Carolyn (Ray) Pierce and Michelle (Armando) Gamble, both of North Carolina; two brothers, Billy (Tina) Venner of Buford, GA, and John (Debbie) Venner of Syracuse; a sister, Kathleen (Mike) Ciciarelli of Liverpool; three grandchildren, Hannah and Kalie Pierce and Malachi Gamble; and several nieces, nephews and cousins.

