

Ray Kiddy

1944 - 2011

By Joel Kiddy:

Vannin' lost a long time Vanner. Ray Kiddy (Big Bird) passed due to complications from a short illness.

Big Bird or "Bird" as he was known to many, started Vannin' in 1974 in a Caramel 1967 Chevy that he customized himself. The van would best be remembered by it's paint job (naked woman around the gas cap) and its rear bumper that read in bold letters "Truck you".

He started Vannin' as part of East Coast Vans New England, before joining Independence Vans, and finally forming our club Bay State Van & Truck (Originally named The Bay State Lorries)

Vannin' was a huge part of his life and he enjoyed Vannin' all over the North East for the better part of 38 years.

Per his request his ashes will be spread at Super Somer (hosted by Altruk Vanners) in Aug 2012. All in attendance are welcome to take part.

He will be missed by many and Vannin wont be the same without him. At least not for me...His son.

Miss ya dad!!! Love ya man.