



Gary L. Shutt

December 8, 1941 - April 3, 2024

Gary L. Shutt, 82, of Peoria Heights passed away peacefully on Wednesday, April 3, 2024 with his family by his side.

He was born on December 8, 1941 in Versailles, IL to George and Mildred (Porter) Shutt. His parents and his brother, Jerry Shutt, preceded him in death. He married Barbara Bourn on December 16, 1962. Gary and Barb had 4 children. He later married Lori Turner on July 21, 1995.

Gary is survived by his wife of 28 years, Lori; 4 children, Jody Shutt of Tremont, Toby (Cindy) Shutt of Chelsea, IA, Amy (Steve) Nofsinger of Bartonville and Jamie (Jason) Gohde of Mapleton; 7 grandchildren (who affectionately called him "Bubs"); 11 great-grandchildren; and his beloved dogs, Dallas and Wyatt.

Gary was a graduate of East Peoria High School. He worked for Coca-Cola and later went on to work for Caterpillar. He retired from Building KK with 30 years of service. He was a member of 974 UAW.

Gary had the gift of gab and never knew a stranger. Gary wished to Thank his very special friends, Mike and Cathy Kobylarz, who are like family.

There will be no service, a celebration of Gary's life will be held at a later date. Schmidt-Haller Burial and Cremation Services are assisting the family.

Memorial donations may be made to any Foster Pet Outreach or the Dementia/Alzheimer's Association.

Online condolences may be made at www.schmidthaller.com

Tribute Wall

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“ *Lori, I am so sorry for your loss. Though I never met Gary, I know he had to be a great guy for you to spend 28 years with him. May God bring you peace and comfort at this difficult time. Hugs*

Susan Lukehart - April 09, 2024 at 03:22 PM

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“ *Sorry for your loss. I am a nurse that took care of Gary's dad George years ago, and met Gary then. He was such a nice guy.*

Mary Williams - April 08, 2024 at 11:47 AM