



Marshall Sherman Parks SR

April 28, 1943 - March 12, 2020

On Thursday, March 12, 2020, Marshall Sherman Parks Sr. (Big Marshall), Loving husband and father of three children, Marshall (Stephanie) Parks Jr. of Peoria, Nicholas (Sarie) Parks of Elmwood, Jenny (James) Daily of Kickapoo passed away at the young age of 76.

He is also survived by one brother, Ronald (the late Donna Parks) of Huntingdon, PA; one sister, Barbara (Wayne) Taylor of Havre De Grace, MD; and one aunt, Evie Miley of Shippensburg, PA.

He was preceded in death by his parents, and one step-brother, Skip (Sandy) Morningstar of Alabama.

Marshall was born on April 28, 1943 in Huntingdon, PA to Walter William and Virginia Ruth Neal Parks. He married the love of his life, Cindy Lue Behm in Lewistown, IL on August 18, 1975. They celebrated multiple decades of love. Marshall was an outdoorsman, he loved spending his extra time fishing, hunting, and being outdoors with his family, friends, and multiple grandkids, which he loved with all his heart. They include, Gabriella, Lance, Christian, Emmalyne, Zoe, and Klay.

Marshall was the owner-operator of Marshall's Garage for over 40 years. His customers meant the world to him. He had a heart of gold and would help anyone and everyone he came in contact with.

Cremation rites will be accorded.

A Celebration of his Life will be held on Saturday, March 21, 2020 from 12-4:00 pm at the ITOO Hall at 4909 W Farmington Road, Peoria, IL 61604.

Memorials may be made to PAWS or Donor's Choice.

To view Marshall's memorial page or to leave an online condolence please go to www.schmidthaller.com.

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

MAR 21. 12:00 PM - 4:00 PM (CT)

ITOO Hall

4909 W Farmington Road

Peoria, IL 61604

Tribute Wall

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“ *Marshall Sherman Parks SR*

Schmidt Haller Burial and Cremation Services - August 13, 2024 at 01:19 PM

CW

“ *Marshall was our mechanic for a many years. He was very honest, and always very helpful in servicing our cars. He was a great mechanic and friend to us. He will always be within our hearts. We are grateful to have crossed paths with Marshall. May memories of him bring comfort in the days ahead. Carl and Crystal White*

Crystal White - June 15, 2020 at 12:00 AM

SP

“ *Aunt Cindy and family. My heart aches to hear about Uncle Marshall passing away. He will be missed dearly. I pray for you and your family for the strength to continue on. God Bless you all*

Steven Parks - March 16, 2020 at 12:00 AM

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“ *My prayers are with you Cindy and your family. I am so sorry for your loss.*

Norma - March 15, 2020 at 12:00 AM

DO

“ *Cindy my heart aches for you. Marshal will be certainly missed I'll always have the memories when you two came to visit love you. And prayers for you and your family*

Dottie - March 15, 2020 at 12:00 AM

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“ Cindy we all Love you. Our hearts are broken for your loss. Heaven has received a truly wonderful man. The day will come when we will all be in Heaven rejoicing together. Till then we have all the wonderful memories we had shared together. May God Bless you and comfort you and your family. Love you all. Artie & Dot

Art Miley - March 15, 2020 at 12:00 AM

RR

“ Dear Cindy and family, It is with much sadness and deep heartfelt sympathy that I write this on the passing of our beloved Marshall. A cousin we dearly missed for many years and were so happy to meet again and shared some wonderful memories. We know where Marshall is today, that is in Heaven where he will reunite with family and friends. To know God has gained and Angel helps ease our pain pain but the sadness will linger until we all meet again in the Heavenly Kingdom. Love you all. Robert \"Bob\" Runk

Robert Bob Runk - March 15, 2020 at 12:00 AM

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“ Robert \"Bob\" Runk purchased the Fairest of All for the family of Marshall Sherman Parks SR.

Robert Bob Runk - March 15, 2020 at 12:00 AM

CA

“ Aunt Cindy and family, I am so sorry for your tremendous loss. Uncle Marshall was always so sweet and meant so much to so many! I send my love to you all. Love , Cherie

Cherie AndKathy - March 15, 2020 at 12:00 AM

GA

“ So sorry for your loss my thoughts and prayers go out to the whole family

Gail - March 14, 2020 at 12:00 AM