



Gene E. Burton

December 25, 1952 - May 1, 2016

KNOX-Gene E. Burton, 63, passed away Sunday, May 1, 2016 at his home.

Gene was born December 25, 1952 in Romulus, Mich. to Dee and Eunice (Cox) Burton and lived in the area most of his life. He was a former employee of Teledyne in LaPorte.

On November 10, 1971 in Knox, IN, he was married to the former Geneva Salyer, who survives. Also surviving are one son, Christopher Burton of Knox; one daughter, Meadie Burton of Pennsylvania; one brother, Floyd Burton of Knox; and one sister, Sheryl Barricks of Texas. He was preceded in death by his parents.

A graveside service will be Thursday, May 5, 2016 at 3:00 p.m. Central Time at the Fletcher Cemetery. There will be no visitation.

Rannells Funeral Home, Hamlet Chapel is handling arrangements.

Tribute Wall

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“ *Love you brother so much*

Sheryl Barricks - April 29, 2018 at 06:47 PM

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“ *Uncle Gene you were a strong man with a huge heart. You worked hard to take care of your family and would help anyone and put them before yourself. One of my favorite memories of you was when I was a little girl and we would go swimming at the river on hwy 8. While the other kids were floating on their inner tubes I sat and watched to scared to get on one. You came over to me grabbed my hand and wouldn't stop until I got on. You held on to the inner tube and walked through the water with me and said "Don't worry I've got you". If more people were like you this world would be a better place. I know you are dancing with the angels now with no more pain. Your reward is in Heaven for all you have done here on this earth. I will miss you but will someday see you again.*

Michelle Wheeler - April 29, 2018 at 06:47 PM

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“ *Gene , you will be missed*

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“ *Miss you Gene*

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