

Gary R. Stewart

August 1, 1936 - November 1, 2018

Gary Ronald Stewart, 82, of Bloomington, passed away Thursday, November 1, 2018 at his home in Bloomington. He was born on August 1, 1936 in Bloomington, Indiana the son of Gus and Ethyl (Neal) Stewart. Gary started working at 15 years old on local plumbing jobs and afterward became a member of the UA Local 440 Plumbers and Steamfitters Union in Indianapolis in 1967. He has worked on numerous plumbing projects throughout central Indiana including Eli Lilly and AUL building. He also worked on 20,000 leagues under the sea attraction at Disney World Florida and Boise Cascade paper mill in Minnesota. He was the Pastor of Gospel Light Tabernacle in Martinsville for some years, and then for 25 years he was Pastor of Full Gospel Tabernacle in Bloomington, Indiana retiring in 2012.

Gary loved serving the Lord, and he enjoyed traveling, projects around the house, and helping build three of his houses, he raised cattle, and he especially loved fishing with his grandchildren and also spending time with his family and friends. he will be greatly missed by all who loved and knew him. Gary is survived by his wife; Charlotte R. Stewart of Bloomington two sons; Marcus D. (Rheba) Stewart of Paragon, Ronald D. (Pamela) Stewart of Bloomington, six grandchildren; Kevin Graves, Alyssa (Brian) Whaley, Rebekah (Zachary) Lapossa, Ryan (Brittney) Stewart, Olivia (Jonah) Wolfe and Evan Stewart and five great grandchildren; Joshua Graves, Benjamin and Judah Whaley, Weston and Rylee Stewart, and several nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents, seven brothers; Harold, James,

Melvin, Estell, Jack, Wendell and Robert Stewart and two sisters; Wilma Walker and Mary Love.

A funeral service will be held at 11:00am Tuesday, November 6, 2018 at the Allen Funeral Home & Crematory 4155 S. Old St Rd 37, With Bro Brian Whaley and Bro Timothy McKay officiating. Burial will follow at Clear Creek Cemetery. Visitation will be held from 4:00pm to 8:00pm Sunday, November 4, 2018 at the Full Gospel Tabernacle in Bloomington and Tuesday, November 6, 2018 from 10:00am to service time at the funeral home.

Memorial contributions may be made to the charity of your choice in Gary's name.

You are invited to share a memory or leave an online condolence to the family at www.allencares.com.

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 6. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Allen Funeral Home and Crematory
4155 S. Old State Road 37
Bloomington, IN 47401
(812) 824-5905
<http://www.allencares.com>

Service

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Tribute Wall

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“ Gary was a true gentlemen in our trade. Very pleasant to be around and always had a smile on, to greet you with. He was a very good tradesman with over 50 years of membership in Plumbers and Pipe Fitters Local 440 doing only quality work. Gary was respected by many as a "Life" member of Plumbers and Pipe Fitters Local 440 and will not be forgotten. R I P

Chuck Gowan - November 05, 2018 at 08:08 PM



“ I will never forget when I was fishing in the pond behind the old house and caught a fish but got my hair tangled in the reel. I ran all the way to the house crying and screaming I think was 7 or 8 and dragging the fish still on the hook. Uncle Gary was such a kind and understanding soul you couldn't help but love him I know he helped me out many times. He will be missed but I know he is happy now and in a good place.

Anita Wilson - November 05, 2018 at 06:10 PM

MS

“ My dad was a good dad, loving grandfather and great-grandfather. His life was a great example to our family and many others. I am going to miss him greatly. He was an attentive pastor to the flock and faithful minister of the gospel. I could share so much but there is not enough time or space. I loved him greatly. Marc Stewart

Marcus Stewart - November 05, 2018 at 08:28 AM

BH

“ Just remembering how much your mother and father meant to my mother Della. Sorry I can't attend, I am serving at the Garden Tomb in Jerusalem.
God Bless,

Boyd

Boyd Huff - November 05, 2018 at 03:17 AM

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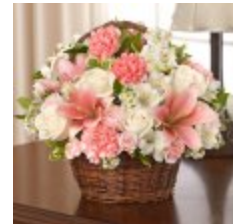
“ Condolences from the Hamblin family. I'll always hold the memories of him and his friendship with my grandparents, John and Vera, close to my heart.



Tyler Hamblin - November 04, 2018 at 10:14 PM



“ Peace, Prayers & Blessings - Pink and White was purchased for the family of Gary R. Stewart.



November 04, 2018 at 09:11 PM



“ Blue & White Sympathy Basket was purchased for the family of Gary R. Stewart.



November 02, 2018 at 07:21 PM