



Jerry Robert Etnier, Sr.

September 28, 1940 - September 8, 2013

Jerry Robert Etnier Sr., 72 of Bloomington passed away surrounded by his loving family at his residence September 8, 2013. He was born September 28, 1940 in Bloomington, Indiana to Robert L. and Wilma Ruth (Thrasher) Etnier. Jerry worked as a postmaster for Indiana University and served as treasurer and vice-president for IATSE Local Union 618. Through his work with IATSE Local Union 618 he brought Broadway and Hollywood to generations in Bloomington.

Surviving family members include his wife Marilyn (Brown) Etnier of Bloomington, IN, daughter, Debbie Sturrock and her husband Scot of Bloomington, IN, sons, Jerry Etnier, Jr. and his wife Teresa of Fort Wayne, IN, David Etnier and his wife Terri of Bloomington, IN, grandchildren, Christine Spoolstra and her husband Evan, Benjamin Sturrock, Jerry Etnier III, Katy Etnier, Alison Etnier and Marcus Etnier.

He was preceded in death by his parents, and sister, Nancy Schrader.

Services will be 11AM Friday September 13, 2013 at Allen Funeral Home 4155 S. Old State Road 37 Bloomington, IN with visitation

4-8PM Thursday at the funeral home. Interment will take place at Valhalla Memory Gardens.

Allen Funeral Home is handling arrangements. Friends can send condolences to www.allenfuneralhome.org

Tribute Wall

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“ Our deepest sympathy to Marilyn and family. When I would see Jerry I always knew I would be greeted with a friendly sincere smile. A good hard working man that will be missed.

Terry & Susie Thompson - October 26, 2015 at 04:09 PM

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“ Here on Earth Jerry was a dedicated master of stagecraft. I feel sure that the stars in the heavens will be projected a little brighter from now on. Thanks again for the Princess Theatre years my friend.

Stan Griffith - October 26, 2015 at 04:09 PM

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“ Jerry was a key figure in our little revolutionary crew "The Happy Boys" early in high school. All of us who knew him back then knew his wit and his shy brilliance. He was our own true James Dean.

Charlie Leinenweber - October 26, 2015 at 04:09 PM

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“ I worked for Jerry at the IU sub post office in the IU Union building in 1983. He was a good boss and always had a smile and a funny quip for us.

I am sorry to hear of his passing and offer my deepest sympathy to his wife and family.

Cathie Soudah - October 26, 2015 at 04:09 PM