



Duane Robert Gobeli

May 1, 1945 - January 13, 2018

Duane Robert Gobeli, 72, of Bushnell, FL, passed away Saturday, January 13, 2018, at Lane Purcell Hospice House in Sumterville, FL. Mr. Gobeli was born May 1, 1945 to Oscar and Laura Gobeli in Canton, Ohio. He served in the U.S. Army and was a retired manager from G.T.E. in Tampa, FL. He was a member of First Baptist Church of Bushnell.

Mr. Gobeli is survived by his wife; Carol Gobeli; son: Nathan Paul Gobeli (Jennifer) of Hudson, FL; daughter: Laura Ann Robert (Stephen) of Lakeland, FL; 6 grandchildren: Raleigh, Landen, Hannah, Micah, Sarah, and Paige; brother: Weldon Zane Gobeli (Karen) of Massillon, OH; sisters: Rosalyn Zornes (Dean) of Summerfield, FL and Claudia Vacco (Dave) of East Canton, OH; sister-in-law: Cathy Gibb; brother-in-law: Paul Gibb of Homosassa, FL; mother-in-law: Nancy Rettig of Brooksville, FL and father-in-law: Paul Rettig.

In lieu of flowers, please consider a donation in his memory to: First Baptist Church of Bushnell, Florida Baptist Children's Home, or Lane Purcell Hospice House.

Visitation and Services

A Memorial Service will be held on Tuesday, January 23, 2018 at 11:00 a.m. (with visitation from 10:00 to 11:00 prior to service) at Purcell Funeral Home Chapel with Pastor Doug Watkins, Pastor Rickey Taylor and Pastor Stephen Robert officiating. Military service with honors will follow at 12:30 p.m. at

Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, Florida.

Tribute Wall

JA

“ I did not get to have a real close relationship with y'all but family is forever n I will Always be great full for what we all had ..love y'all but now u r in heaven for sure tell my grandma and grandpa I miss them to love y'all forever till we meet again



Julie Gobeli Absher - January 23, 2018 at 07:27 AM

IC

“ I love you



I love you Uncle Duane thanks for all the great memories I have from childhood
- January 23, 2018 at 07:17 AM

CB

“ We are blessed to have known Duane, a wonderful, kind and humorous person, whose great faith in God assures us that he is with God in heaven.



Charles Lee and Carole Joy Barice - January 18, 2018 at 02:36 PM

CC

“ Our thoughts, prayers & love are with all of you as a great man has gone to Heaven. So many shared memories growing up of a man who loved his family & those around him. So many smiles & laughs that you couldn't help but return.



Christine, Duane & AJ Curtis - January 18, 2018 at 07:25 AM

JK

“ I will always remember Duane as a kind, caring and generous man who I am proud to have had as a cousin. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family Carol.



Jeff, Kris and Helena Kiko-Cozy - January 17, 2018 at 11:56 AM

MF

“ We met Duane and Carol in the mountains. What we remember most are the smiles on their faces, the joy in their voices, and the delight as they greeted fellow campers at Miller's Campground. Their devotion to each other and their love of the Lord sustained them and acted as an example for their family and friends lives. May God continue to be with them.



Mike and Lynette Roseman Fink - January 17, 2018 at 10:59 AM

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Mike and Lynette Roseman Fink - January 17, 2018 at 10:58 AM

JW

“ I'm very sorry for your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with you all.

JAMES WARDLE - January 17, 2018 at 08:12 AM

BP

“ I have known Carol and Duane for 40 years and am so blessed to have such wonderful Christian friends. We get through tough times with our faith and know that Duane is dancing in the streets of Heaven right now. Totally healed and full of joy!

Barbie Prince - January 16, 2018 at 01:15 PM

BH

“ I am so sorry to hear about Duane being called to Heaven. I have many fond memories of the times we shared at the GTE functions. Sending my love and my condolences Carol and family.

Bernice Hackman - January 16, 2018 at 01:31 AM

MH

“ Aunt Carol, Nathan & family, and Laura & family,

Praying for strength and peace for all of you through this difficult time. I know Uncle Duane was very loved and will be greatly missed. My heart and continued prayers are with you all❤️.



Megan Howard - January 15, 2018 at 02:36 PM

PK

“ A wonderful friend for so many years. One of the best men we know.

Peggy & Gene Knapp - January 15, 2018 at 02:14 PM