



Robert Gary Decker

July 26, 1943 - December 8, 2015

Obituary of Robert Decker

Robert Gary Decker, 72, of Lake Panasoffkee, Florida, passed away Tuesday, December 8, 2015. He was born July 26, 1943 in St. Clair, Michigan. He was a man of faith and great integrity. He enjoyed hunting, fishing, playing horseshoes, and spending time with his family, especially his sons and grandchildren. He loved going on walks with his wife of 53 years. He is survived by: wife, Marcella Decker of Grayling, MI, sons: Steven Decker of Whitmore Lake, MI, James Decker (Tabitha) of Grayling, MI, Russell Decker (Sherry) of Jackson, MI, grandchildren: Kayla, Robbie, Lauren, Sarah, Olivia, Alex, Morgan, Seth, Kassie, Jazz, Emma; great-grandchildren: Trent, Adien, Aleigh, Adryanna, Cole and Trevor; brothers: Terry Decker (Libby) of Oscoda, MI, Barton Jackson (Jan) of Palm Coast, FL, Michael Jackson (Sue) of Alpena, MI; sisters: Patricia Drake (John) of Dayton, OH, Linda Kay Raynes (Robert) of Lincoln, MI.

Visitation

A time of visitation with the family will be held Saturday, December 12, 2015 from 2:00 to 3:00 p.m. at Purcell Funeral Home, 114 W. Noble Avenue, Bushnell, Florida.

Tribute Wall

SS

“ So Sorry to hear of Gary passing away. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.

Shirley Kassuba Samkowiak - December 21, 2015 at 12:00 AM

KH

“ Dear Decker family, From my entire family to yours... may you feel the prayers and hugs we are sending you today and always! My boys and I were just talking about our visits up north and what a wonderful time, how welcome and loved you made us feel! When I think of you all it is always with a smile and warm heart! The many laughs we shared and adventures will forever be in our hearts.. To say we are saddened by your loss of dad is an understatement. What a wonderful, kind, loving and generous man. You are all in our thoughts and prayers for peace and strength today and always! XOXO Kim, Gino, Josh and Jake.

Kimberly Hanson-Brzezinski - December 14, 2015 at 12:00 AM

RM

“ So sorry for your loss. It has to be especially hard, this close to Christmas. Our thoughts and prayers go out to your family.

Ray Mierzwa - December 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

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Ginger Holland - December 11, 2015 at 12:00 AM

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Barbara Kelley-Dunfee - December 11, 2015 at 12:00 AM

TB

“*Gary always approached our jobs together with a smile and positive outlook. His desire for those around him to be happy was infectious! Hugs to his family, Terri and Mallory Carpet Depot and More*

Terri and Mallory Blessing - December 11, 2015 at 12:00 AM

CA

“*Our family is so very saddened for the loss of your precious loved one. Please know we care deeply and praying for comfort for each and everyone.*

Charlotte Albritton - December 11, 2015 at 12:00 AM

WD

“*How do you say good by to your brother , you kiss him,hug him, and head for home.. I'm sending you lots of love. As time goes by I remember the fun we had as kids. I sure will miss you. From Terry and the family.*

Warren terry Decker - December 11, 2015 at 12:00 AM

TH

“ *His family was very blessed having him . Very sorry for your loss. We love you Kayla, if you need anything , we are here for you. He is an angel on heaven watching over you. LOVE, Aunt Tammy, ,Dakota, and Dylan.*

Tammy holland - December 11, 2015 at 12:00 AM

GH

“ *Robert Gary Decker*

Ginger Holland - December 11, 2015 at 12:00 AM

PA

“ *GARY YOU WILL BE DEARLY MISSED! THE OFFICE IS NOT THE SAME WITHOUT YOU THERE IS SUCH A VOID! YOU WERE A HARDWORKING, GO GETTER AND SWEET MAN! I AM AT PEACE KNOWING YOU WERE A MIGHTY MAN OF GOD!*

PATTI - December 11, 2015 at 12:00 AM

SD

“ May the Lord continue to comfort and guide my family after loss of the rudder to our ship called life. It's an amazing gift to have such a man as a role model and Father. He was such a blessing and inspiration to all that he met and encountered throughout his personal and professional life. His core values and Integrity were unshakable and resolute. While it may not make sense to many how & I why I cannot be there at this moment at his passing you have to understand the Man and his Character. You have to know the promise he made me make to him that if he passed while shooting a film I would finish whatever project I started "no matter what" with no exceptions. The only thing to do is to honor the Man that he was and will continue to be by his Son's and others that choose to live life by the same standards he exemplified every day. "Work hard to be the best at what you do, how you love and the footprints in time that you leave behind you." While my Father may have only had 3 Son's there are plenty of men that have called him Dad over the years. It's now up to all of us to lead by example and attempt to be everything that he was and continue his Legacy! I Love you Dad, Steven

Steven Decker - December 11, 2015 at 12:00 AM



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Barbara Kelley-Dunfee - December 11, 2015 at 12:00 AM

BK

“ So very sorry for your loss. When I have thought of Gary over the years a smile has always come on my face. He brought a few moments of joy into mine and my siblings lives back in childhood. Though it has been years ago I have always thought of him as my favorite uncle. May you find comfort in your memories, and the love you al share. God bless you all.

Barbara Kelley-Dunfee - December 11, 2015 at 12:00 AM

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“ Robert Gary Decker

Steven Decker - December 11, 2015 at 12:00 AM

PD

“ I will miss you always. You will be missed by so many people, friends and family. You were a good and brother.

Patricia Drake - December 10, 2015 at 12:00 AM