



Claude "Michael" Worthen

September 26, 1969 - October 8, 2017

Claude "Michael" Worthen, 48, of Murphysboro, passed away at 8:50 a.m. Sunday, October 8, 2017, at his residence in Murphysboro.

Michael was born on September 26, 1969, in Murphysboro, to Michael Worthen and Mary Darlene (Ford) Compton

He worked as a carpenter.

Mr. Worthen was a member of the Eagles at Chester, where he had been a D.J. He loved fishing and hunting and anything outdoors and anything involving music.

Michael is survived by two daughters and their husbands Victoria Brooke and Kyle Choate of Perryville, MO and Sara Lynn and Ray Maynard of Percy;

his mother and step father Mary and Thurmon Compton of Murphysboro;

five grandchildren Lillian, Aiden Devin, William, and Stanley;

one step son Ty Thompson of Walsh, IL;

two brothers and one sister Paul B. Compton of Belleville, Tami Compton of

West Frankfort, and Andrew Compton and his wife Tammy Compton of Beaver Dam, KY;

one half brother Michael Worthen of Herrin;

his grandfather Claude Worthen and his wife Roberta Worthen of Murphysboro;

several aunts, uncles, nieces and nephews;

and special friends Tony and Shannon Glaser and Keith and Crystal Thompson.

He was preceded in death by his father.

Funeral services will be held at 3 p.m. Wednesday, October 11, 2017, at Pettett Funeral Home and visitation will be from 1 to 3 p.m. Wednesday at the funeral home. Memorials may be made to the family. His body will be cremated and private gravesite services will be held at a later date. For more information, please visit www.pettettfuneralhome.com.

Tribute Wall



“ Claude "Michael" Worthen

October 23, 2023 at 06:26 AM



“ To the family, I am so sorry about your loss. He was a great father to Brooke and Sara and also a good friend to Shannon and Tony. Please hold onto the great memories that you all shared with him and be at peace with knowing that he is no longer suffering or hurting. I am continuing to pray for all of you while you endure this difficult time.

TaKeysha Lowe - October 11, 2017 at 09:02 AM



“ My prayers are with you. He was so proud of you, Brooke and Sara. He loved you so much. He was kind, compassionate, and I am proud to have known him and spent time with him in the past. So sorry for your loss, but glad he is at peace and no more sickness or pain. He will be truly missed!!

Stephanie Baiter - October 09, 2017 at 09:13 PM