



Dave Nigh

August 26, 1957 - October 23, 2020

Dave Nigh, age 63, of Murphysboro, Illinois, passed away at 6:13 a.m. Friday, October 23, 2020, at his residence in Murphysboro.

Dave was born on August 26, 1957, in Marietta, Georgia, to Wesley Nigh and Mollie (Spangler) Nigh.

Mr. Nigh had obtained the rank of Sgt. and served in the U.S. Army,

He enjoyed riding motorcycles. He went camping, fishing, and deep sea fishing, but he especially enjoyed spending time with his grandchildren.

Dave married Joyce Ferguson on July 9, 1977 in Barberville, Florida, on July 9, 1977, and she survives.

Other survivors are one son Jason Nigh of Murphysboro;

one daughter and son in law Melissa and Andrew Smith of Vienna, IL;

six grandchildren Erin, Elaina, Anna, Alex, ClaraLee, and Cyenna;

one great grandson Joseph Monroe;

his mother Mollie Nigh of Ormond Beach, FL;

one brother Mike Nigh of Port Orange, FL;

and several nieces, nephews, great nieces, and great nephews.

He was preceded in death by one brother Tim Nigh and his father.

His body will be cremated and there will be a Memorial Service to be announced at a later date.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the Wounded Warriors Project..

For more information, please visit www.pettettfuneralhome.com.

Tribute Wall



“ *Dave Nigh*

October 23, 2023 at 06:26 AM



“ *Joyce, Jason, and Melisaa and family, I am so sorry for the empty place you are feeling in your heart. Dave was a great guy who loved his Joyce and his family. He has left a big hole but Gods love will help you through. We all have lost a friend, but we have to rejoice knowing Dave has a new body. No longer sick no longer problems breathing. Praise the Lord. May you all feel the peace only Jesus will give and feel the love and pray I am sending you all. Love Phyllis*

Phyllis Johnston - November 02, 2020 at 07:30 PM