



Elbert "Bert" Gualdoni

November 24, 1935 - May 4, 2014

Elbert "Bert" Gualdoni, 78, of Murphysboro, passed away at 11:55 a.m. Sunday, May 4, 2014, at the Pinckneyville Community Hospital as a result of a motorcycle accident.

Elbert was born on November 24, 1935, in Murphysboro, Illinois, to John Joseph Gualdoni and Mae (Black) Gualdoni.

He served in the U.S. Air Force from 1954 to 1957.

Mr. Gualdoni had retired as a purchasing agent for Johnstone Supply in Carbondale.

He was a member of St. Andrew Catholic Church in Murphysboro. He was also a member of the Southern Illinois Chapter of the Black Diamond Harley Owners.

Bert married Barbara Bauchman on August 12, 1961, in Tampa, Florida and she survives.

Other survivors include two daughters Anita Kohlfeld Brummet and her husband Steve Brummet of St. Charles, MO and Denise McNair Stoen and her husband Dalen Stoen of Lake Stevens, WA.

He was the grandparent of twelve, including Valerie Murphy and her husband Keith Murphy, Natalie Kohlfeld and her fiancée Andrew Merrifield, and Dylan Kohlfeld, and the great grandparent of five.

He was preceded in death by one sister Norma Gualdoni, one brother and sister in law Richard and Garren Gualdoni, and his parents.

A Memorial service will be held at 11 a.m. Wednesday, May 7, 2014, at Pettett Funeral Home with Father Gary Gummersheimer officiating and burial at Pleasant Grove Memorial Park. Friends may call from 5 to 8 p.m. Tuesday and until 11 a.m. Wednesday at the funeral home. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the St. Andrew Quilters or St. Andrew School in Murphysboro. For more information, please visit www.pettettfuneralhome.com.

Tribute Wall



“ *Elbert "Bert" Gualdoni*

October 23, 2023 at 06:26 AM



“ *Bert and I go all the way back to grade school at St. Andrews. Never close friends, but always a part of the people our age. He will be missed by both family and friends. Our prayers.*

Wally & Patty Prost - May 06, 2014 at 04:41 PM



“ *Dear Barb, Anita and Denise (and all of the "new" family members since 1980) - A very thoughtful person notified me on Facebook today of Bert's passing. I'm so saddened for you all. As tragic as circumstances were, it was a "perfect" tragedy - if there is such a thing - in that he loved biking so much. My thoughts and prayers are with you all. Love, Jeff*

Jeff Masco - May 06, 2014 at 04:32 PM



“ *Barbara, our thoughts are with you. We were so sad to hear about Bert. You have been the most wonderful neighbors and we will miss him dearly. Please know that we are here to help in any way we can. The children send their condolences as well.*

Mike & Lisa Rebman - May 06, 2014 at 10:02 AM



“ *Denise, My sympathy to you and your family. Big hugs.*

Michele Robertson - May 06, 2014 at 09:38 AM

JD

“ Barb and girls: I had a chance to visit with Bert a year or so ago in DuQuoin. As you know we have been out of touch for many years, but we'll always be neighbors and friends from our time together. This morning I told a group the story about cutting down the tree against your porch and it falling into the truck (fortunately).....we have many sweet memories of your girls and ours growing up together. May God's peace be with all of you in your grief as Bert has now gained the peace we all live for. Love, Jerry and family

jerry dunn - May 05, 2014 at 08:38 PM

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“ Rest in peace, Bert. Goodbye my friend.

Craig Dunning - May 05, 2014 at 06:08 PM