



Kevin L. Dailey

July 10, 1957 - May 15, 2018

Kevin L. Dailey, 60, of Jacob, passed away at 11:16 p.m. Tuesday, May 15, 2018, at his residence in Jacob, Illinois.

Kevin was born on July 10, 1957, in Murphysboro, Illinois, to Houston Dailey and Alice (Bardmess) Dailey.

He had served in the U.S. Army during the Vietnam Conflict.

Mr. Dailey had worked for at least fifteen years at the Illinois Department of Transportation in Highway Maintenance.

He enjoyed spending time with his family and liked to BBQ. He loved to ride motorcycles. He collected Native American artifacts. He used to go hunting.

Kevin married Bena Sue Ticer in July of 2002, in Murphysboro, and she survives.

Other survivors include three daughters Jennifer Bailey of Murphysboro, Heather Tackett and her significant other Greg Beasley of Elkhart, and Rebecca Mifflin of Murphysboro;

five step children Sherry (Kerry) Johnson of Rockwood, John Cox of

Carterville, Allison Hickam of Murphysboro, Joseph Hickam of Vergennes and Ashley (Mario) Riggio of Elkville;

eighteen grandchildren and eleven great grandchildren;

two brothers Mike Dailey of Elkville and Dennis Dailey of Murphysboro;

and three sisters Karen Bush of Herrin, Vicki Evans of Murphysboro, and Kim Varnum of Ava.

He was preceded in death by his beloved dog Black Jack, four grandchildren, one brother Wayne, and his parents.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Saturday, May 19, 2018, at Pettett Funeral Home, with Rev. Cecil Dunning officiating, military services conducted by the Paul Stout American Legion Post # 127, and visitation will be from 12 noon to 2 p.m. During visitation, the Patriots Guard Riders will stand a flag line to honor this veteran.

Memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society.

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

Tribute Wall



“ *Crain Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Kevin L. Dailey*



Crain Funeral Home - May 15, 2018 at 12:00 AM



“ *Kevin L. Dailey*

October 23, 2023 at 06:26 AM



“ *Fly high daddy for now you are a free bird!*



Your beloved daughters and grandbabies - May 18, 2018 at 08:49 PM

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“ May I offer my sincere condolences. It's heartbreaking when death separates us from our loved ones no matter how young or how old they may happen to be. We are reminded in the Bible that there is One who sees our distress and pain and has promised (soon) that death will be done away with...swallowed up forever. (Isaiah 25:8) He will heal our broken hearts by resurrecting our precious loved ones to life again. (John 5:28,29) I hope in the days ahead as you reflect on the life of your loved one, and the precious memories left behind, that you will also find much comfort in God's promises to us for the near future, for they will not fail to come true. (Titus 1:2) My deepest sympathy to you.

Virgene Dunklau-Mau - May 17, 2018 at 10:14 AM

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“ Kevin was one of our earliest friends after we moved to Southern Illinois. He was with us from the beginning of the bar (Gert's), thru the fire and there for the rebuilding. A visit back there wasn't complete until we saw him. He called to tell us about his cancer but was determined to beat it. RIP my friend.

Grits and Gertie - May 16, 2018 at 11:02 PM