



## Michael W. Katusa

August 22, 1947 - February 20, 2025

IN MEMORY OF:

Michael W. Katusa

Serving Location:

CRAIN PLEASANT GROVE-MURDALE FUNERAL HOME

31 Memorial Drive, Murphysboro, Illinois

Michael W. Katusa, age 77, of Murphysboro, passed away on Thursday, February 20, 2025 at Memorial Hospital in Carbondale, Illinois.

He was born on August 22, 1947 to John and Alene (Seibel) Katusa in Murphysboro, Illinois.

He was a 1965 graduate of Murphysboro High School and Attended Southern Illinois University. Michael proudly served four years in the United States Air Force. He was a member of the Immanuel Lutheran Church and the American Legion Post 127.

Survivors include several cousins.

A graveside service with full military honors will be held on Monday, February 24, 2025 at 11:00 AM at Murdale Gardens of Memory in Murphysboro.

Crain Pleasant Grove-Murdale Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

# Cemetery Details

## Murdale Gardens of Memory

137 Murdale Gardens Rd  
Murphysboro, IL 62966  
(618) 687-1145  
crain@crainsonline.com

# Previous Events

## Graveside Service

FEB **24**. 11:00 AM - 11:30 AM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

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“ Always sad when a school classmate passes. Years later, as adults, I returned home and ran into him downtown. Was surprised he knew all about my family, even mentioning my brother who had died some years earlier. I found out he knew about most families in town. I was impressed, a side of him I hadn't known about. Rest in peace, Mickey.

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**Marilyn Berry Grigsby** - May 01, 2025 at 05:13 PM