



Gene F. Smith

January 7, 1942 - April 5, 2013

Gene F. Smith, 71, passed away on Friday, April 5, 2013 in Port Charlotte, FL. He was born Jan. 7, 1942 in Chicago and was a Mundelein resident since 1975. Gene was a loving father, caring friend, flawless drummer, passionate fisherman and was proud to be called a friend to all who knew him. He was a 1960 graduate of Lane Tech High School and was the owner of the Turn On Tackle Company, producing Grandma Muskie Fishing Lures. He enjoyed his corvette and spending summers on Bass Lake in Pentwater, Michigan with family and friends. Surviving are his wife Margaret Domeny; 4 children, Deborah P. Smith of West Allis, WI, Don (Helen) Smith of Antioch, Tom (Janice) Smith of Lisle and Steven G. Smith of Chicago; 14 Grandchildren, Rebecca (Aaron) Wockenfuss, Russell (Valerie) Johnson, Benjamin and Sarah Johnson, Danielle, Grant and Sarah Smith; Zachary, Corryn, Allysa, Santino, Marina, Alaina and Marissa Smith; 2 Great Grandchildren, Kendall Wockenfuss and Jameson Johnson; his sister, Diane (Eugene) Kinser and sons, Brian, Kevin and Chris Kinser and their families and his lifelong friend, Patricia Dostert. He was preceded in death by his parents, Fred and Dorothy Smith, by an infant son, Gene Steven Smith and infant granddaughter, Sarah Anne Johnson. Visitation will be from 3:00 to 8:00 p.m. Thursday, April 11 at the Burnett-Dane Funeral Home Ltd., 120 W. Park Ave. (Route 176, one block west of Milwaukee Ave.), Libertyville. Interment will be at Elm Lawn Cemetery in Elmhurst. In lieu of flowers, contributions can be made to Tidewell Hospice House, 1158 Veronica, St. Port Charlotte, FL 33952, www.tidewell.org. For

information, 847-362-3009 or sign the guest book at www.burnettdane.com.

Tribute Wall

SJ

“ *Please accept our deepest sympathy.*

*Tom and Shirley Johnson
New Berlin, WI*

Shirley Johnson - April 27, 2018 at 06:33 AM

JE

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with all of the family.*

Jackie and Phil Eldridge

Jackie Eldridge - April 27, 2018 at 06:33 AM

SB

“ *Remembering him with fondness as a man of many smiles and laughter.*

May you feel Christ's arms, giving you peace and comfort. He sees your hearts and knows your loss.

Our thoughts and prayers are with you all as you grieve, mourn, and remember.

*With love,
The Buchmeyer Family*

Steve & Liz Buchmeyer - April 27, 2018 at 06:33 AM

JK

“ Our prayers and thoughts are with you, Marge, and your family. Gene truly was a good man. We remember him with a smile always on his face and a warm hand extended to welcome.....May God hold you and your family in the palm of His hand.

*Love and our prayers,
Joe and Linda Kraft.*

Joe and Linda Kraft - April 27, 2018 at 06:33 AM

TZ

“ Sorry to hear about Gene, we were good friends in high school.

TED ZAHAREAS - April 27, 2018 at 06:33 AM

FB

“ Sorry to hear about Gene. I remember from way back when hanging out around the porch table at your cottage with Dorothy, Gene and everybody. Fun times. I also looked forward to running into Gene and Pat at the lake. He always had a smile. As he told me at my dad's wake, be glad of the times you spent with him. Frank Barsley and family

Frank Barsley - April 27, 2018 at 06:33 AM



“ Gene was a dear part of many memories from my childhood. His love of laughter and life will be greatly missed.

April 11, 2013 at 12:00 AM