



Mr. Dale A. Cochran

April 19, 1950 - April 4, 2019

Dale A. Cochran, 68, of Peoria died at 10:55 PM on April 4, 2019 at his home with his family by his side. He was born on April 19, 1950 in Peoria to Charles and Evelyn (Talley) Cochran. He married Peggy A. Hagemeyer on August 30, 1980 in Peoria. She survives. Also surviving are 3 children Patrick, Tara and Alaina Cochran all of Peoria; 2 grandchildren Amelia and Jaxon; brother Earl (Sandy) Cochran and sister-in-law Lois Cochran. He was preceded in death by his parents, brother Dennis Cochran and sister Carole Cochran. Dale was a graduate of Limestone High School and was a Caterpillar Inc. Retiree. Celebration of Life for Dale will be on Friday, May 10th from 4-8 PM at Bartonville VFW Post 3883. Memorials may be made to Easter Seals. Gary Deiters Funeral Home & Cremation Services is assisting the family with arrangements.

Events

MAY **Celebration of Life** 04:00PM - 08:00PM

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Bartonville VFW Post 3883

4518 S Lafayette Ave, Bartonville, IL, US, 61607

Comments



“ Deb Atkinson Crist lit a candle in memory of Mr. Dale A. Cochran



Deb Atkinson Crist - April 17, 2019 at 03:35 PM



“ Love him for a long time Dale you will be missed

Deb Atkinson Crist - April 17, 2019 at 03:36 PM



“ Dale was a great friend for many years. Although we have not seen each other in many years, Dale was always fun to be with and brought me many great times. I will miss him and wish Peggy and kids well.

Chuck Hartseil - April 09, 2019 at 08:40 PM



“ I was very young when I met Dale. He came along to marry my sister. I did not see him as an addition to our family. I saw him as just a man that was going to take my sister away from me. I could not allow that. On the day I met him, I had locked myself in my room while he sat in a chair in our living room reading a newspaper. I decided I had enough. I stomped out to where he sat. I ripped the newspaper down, looked him straight in the face, held up my fist and said "I'm going to punch you in the nose!". He looked right back at me and said "and I will dot you in the eye!". He did not offer me comfort. He did not offer me promises. Instead he offered me a piece of his heart. He would always play with me during the many weekends that I would spend at their house. He took me on road trips to meet and spend time with his family. He took me on a tour of Caterpillar. He took me bowling. He took me along even after he had his own kids. From the day I met him, he has always been a part of our family and a friend. But he was never just a man.

Cindy - April 07, 2019 at 08:06 PM



“ The first time I met Dale was at his folks house when I was dating his baby brother Denny. I went to sit down and he immediately told me that was his chair. So, I jumped up and his mother told me He was teasing. He was always quite the joker!!
Lois

Lois Cochran - April 07, 2019 at 04:08 PM