



Floyd L. Carlson

October 30, 1937 - January 15, 2024

Floyd L. Carlson, 86, of Metamora, passed away peacefully on Monday, January 15, 2024, at Snyder Village in Metamora. He was born in Peoria on October 30, 1937, to LeRoy and Gladys (Sanford) Carlson. He married his wife, Gerry Yeast, on June 28, 1959, and enjoyed 64 years with her until her passing on October 3, 2023.

He will be lovingly remembered by his children, Sherry (Paul) McAllister of River Forest and Don (Jerri) Carlson of Peoria; his 7 grandchildren, Jimmy, Katie and Joe McAllister, Triscia (Chris) Brubaker, and Cameron, Caitlyn, and Zackery (Kim) Carlson; and 4 great grandchildren, Robert and Michael Brubaker and Erik and Evan Carlson.

He was preceded in death by his son, David Carlson; and his 2 sisters, Marilyn Webster and Sheryl Blunier.

Floyd proudly served in the Air Force from 1960-1964, then worked as an application analyst at Caterpillar, retiring after 30 years of service on April 1, 1997. He loved Nascar, especially Jeff Gordon, and enjoyed golfing, board games, and playing cards. He and Gerry made many wonderful memories traveling in their motorhome, spending time around Branson, Missouri, and wintering in Florida.

He was a member of Bethany Missionary Church in East Peoria for many years and more recently attended Tremont Baptist Church.

A Funeral Service will be held at 11:00 a.m. on Saturday, January 20, 2024, at Gary Deiters Funeral Home & Cremation Services in East Peoria, with

visitation from 10:00 a.m. until the time of service. Pastor Noah Lee will officiate. Private burial will be at Swan Lake Memory Gardens in Peoria. Memorial contributions may be made to Mayo Clinic or Tremont Baptist Church. Online condolences may be left at www.GaryDeitersFH.com.

Cemetery Details

Swan Lake Memory Gardens

4601 Route 150
Peoria, IL

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 20. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Gary Deiters Funeral Home & Cremation Services Inc. - East Peoria
444 E. Washington Street
East Peoria, IL 61611

Funeral Service

JAN 20. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ Hey buddy I hope you get your ice cream in heaven. You better take care of Gerry. Yall enjoy heaven. I was privileged to know Yall.

Katie Foster - June 10, 2024 at 03:12 PM

PK

“ So sorry to hear of Floyd's passing. We met Floyd & Gerry in Florida at Little Willie's RV Resort. Had many fun & memorable times as neighbors. They were both such sweet & fun people to be around. Will always remember Floyd's rambunctious laugh. Deepest Condolences. R.I.P

Patricia Kenney - January 21, 2024 at 10:16 AM

VR

“ Dear Zack, Kim, & family,
Sending our sincere sympathy to your family at the loss of your Grandpa. You're in our thought and prayers.
Valerie and Matt Reny

Valerie Reny - January 18, 2024 at 10:30 PM



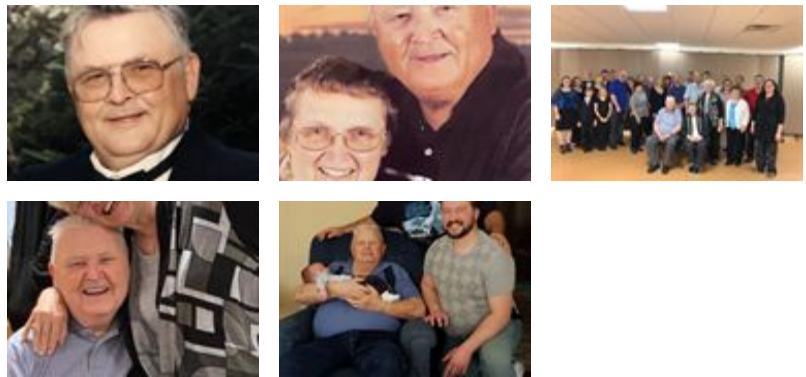
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Gary Deiters Funeral Home & Cremation Services - January 17, 2024 at 01:24 PM



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Gary Deiters Funeral Home & Cremation Services - January 16, 2024 at 05:56 PM



“ Will always treasure our memories of Floyd...especially his deep and loud laugh 😊 He made any family get together special...Paul and Martha Casper..man grove mo

Maruta casper - January 16, 2024 at 12:19 PM