



Gary J. Tassi Sr.

November 7, 1950 - March 30, 2022

Age 71, of Custer Park, IL passed away unexpectedly Wednesday, March 30, 2022 at his home. Born November 7, 1950 in Chicago, IL to the late Guido and Catherine Marie (nee Zriny) Tassi. Gary was a maintenance mechanic for Stepan Chemical Company, retiring in 2013. He was a proud member of the National Rifle Association. At the age of eleven he rode his first motorcycle and that is when his love for motorcycles began. He also had a passion for muscle cars and enjoyed attending cars shows and reminiscing about cars from his generation. He took great pleasure in tending to his vegetable garden and sharing his harvest with friends and neighbors. Gary also enjoyed feeding the birds and many other different animals that came through his yard.

Surviving are his wife of forty-four years, Cathy A. (nee Craig) Tassi of Custer Park, whom he married June 4, 1977 in LaGrange, IL; son, Gary J. Tassi, Jr. of Custer Park; sisters-in-law, Kim Tassi of Presque Isle, WI and Nancy (the late John) Krivak of Dixon, IL; brothers-in-law, Bill (Kim) Craig of Manhattan, IL and Jim (Linda) Craig of Darien, IL; mother-in-law, LaVerne Craig of Elwood, IL; and many nieces, nephews, and their families. Preceding him in death were his parents, Guido and Catherine; and one brother, Terry Tassi. Per his wishes cremation rites will be accorded and there will be no services. R.W. Patterson Funeral Home & Crematory is entrusted with the arrangements. For more information and to sign his online guestbook, please log on to www.rwpa-ttersonfuneralhomes.com or find us on Facebook.

Tribute Wall

RG

“ Although I now live in Kentucky I worked with Gary at Stepan and considered him a great friend so Gary my friend RIP gone but not forgotten ❤️

Rodney Garrett - April 02, 2022 at 11:16 PM

JF

“ My Deepest Sympathy to Cathy, Gary Jr, and their entire Family in the loss of Gary Sr.
May all of your fond memories of your happy times together help you threw this very difficult time.
Jan Falk

Janet Falk - April 02, 2022 at 06:32 PM

WT

“ I worked with Gary many years at Stepan, he always put a smile on my face whenever we talked.

Condolences to all Gary's family.

*Bill Theobald
Shorewood Il*

William L. Theobald - April 02, 2022 at 04:34 PM

MS

“ My deepest condolences for your loss. So many great memories growing up down the road from this great family. Cathy and Gary you are both in my prayers.

Matthew Scholes - April 01, 2022 at 09:02 PM

RR

“ Rob Ragland lit a candle in memory of Gary J. Tassi Sr.



Rob Ragland - April 01, 2022 at 11:13 AM

RS

“ So sorry to hear about the passing away of Gary Tassi. I always enjoyed talking to him while cutting his hair. My deepest condolences to his wife Kathy and their son. Rhonda Schaefer (Impressions)



Rhonda Schaefer - April 01, 2022 at 12:55 AM

JS

“ Worked with Gary , a great guy and friend. Rest in Peace.

Jerry Studer - March 31, 2022 at 09:47 PM