



Jerry Clarence Falkner

August 4, 1947 - February 28, 2015

Jerry Clarence Falkner

Age 67, of Reddick, IL passed away Saturday, February 28, 2015 at Riverside Medical Center in Kankakee, IL. Born August 4, 1947 in Rice Lake, WI. He is a veteran of the United States Army. He moved to Chicago, IL in 1963 and in 1997 he made his home in Lake Shannon, where he currently resides. He was an avid Green Bay Packers fan, Nascar fan and fisherman.

Surviving are his wife, Tammy (Parker-Gonis) Falkner of Reddick; seven children, Frank Falkner of Justice, IL, Sharon Burgoine of Camden, TN, Aiden Gonis of Reddick, Mikel Falkner of Reddick, Nicole Gonis of Mt. Vernon, IL, Tonya Gonis of Dwight, IL, and Jesse Gonis of Reddick; many grandchildren; many great-grandchildren; mother, Vivian Svacina of Joliet, IL; three brothers, Joe (Chris) Falkner of Manhattan, IL, Brad (Jeanie) Falkner of Manhattan, and Doug (Chris 2) Falkner of Watertown, WI; two sisters, Janice (Dean) Hauser of Morris, IL and Diane (Kelly) Grills of Joliet; and numerous nieces and nephews.

Preceded in death by his father, Raymond Falkner.

Cremation rites have been accorded.

Memorial visitation will be at the R.W. Patterson Funeral Homes, Ltd. &

Crematory, Braidwood Chapel, Friday, March 6, 2015 from 5-7 p.m. Inurnment will be held at a later date in Abraham Lincoln National Cemetery, Elwood, IL.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations to the family would be appreciated. For more information and to sign his online guestbook please log on to www.rwpattersonfuneralhomes.com.

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Cemetery Details

Abraham Lincoln National Cemetery

20953 W. Hoff Rd.
Elwood, IL 60421

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 6. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

KM

“ *Ken Mobley lit a candle in memory of Jerry Clarence Falkner*



Ken Mobley - March 07, 2015 at 07:05 AM

KM

“ *Farewell to an old friend. I will always remember the good times we had raising hell and more. Now that the pain is gone, here's to a pain free after life.*

Condolences to Jerry's family.

Ken Mobley

Ken Mobley - March 07, 2015 at 07:03 AM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Jerry Clarence Falkner.*



March 05, 2015 at 05:58 PM

LF

“ *Lloyd Meredith and the Lake Shannon Family purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of Jerry Clarence Falkner.*



Lloyd Meredith and the Lake Shannon Family - March 05, 2015 at 09:46 AM

JC

“ *John And Wendy Crones lit a candle in memory of Jerry Clarence Falkner*



John and Wendy Crones - March 04, 2015 at 11:43 PM

JC

“ *John & Wendy Crones lit a candle in memory of Jerry Clarence Falkner*



John & Wendy Crones - March 04, 2015 at 11:42 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Jerry Clarence Falkner.*



March 04, 2015 at 03:34 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Jerry Clarence Falkner.



March 04, 2015 at 03:19 PM



“ *Amber Kemmerling lit a candle in memory of Jerry Clarence Falkner*



Amber Kemmerling - March 03, 2015 at 11:40 AM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet* was purchased for the family of Jerry Clarence Falkner.



March 03, 2015 at 09:12 AM



“ *Mary and Bill Schnacky purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket* for the family of Jerry Clarence Falkner.



Mary and Bill Schnacky - March 03, 2015 at 08:56 AM

MB

“ Jerry, you were always one of those fun - loving cousins from Illinois! I remember as a kid, the great memories created when your Dad (Uncle Ray) and Mom (Aunt Viv) and all of you, would come up to visit your Wisconsin cousins and would stay in one of the white cabins at Johnsons Resort on Long Lake. Great times!

Our thoughts and prayers go out to you and all of your family at this time.

Love you, Mary (lou) and Bill

Mary and Bill - March 02, 2015 at 10:12 PM

MJ

“ Jerry you are loved and will be missed by so many! You were the closest I had to a dad for years and I will never forget you! I know your in a better place and are no longer suffering and we will all see you again some day :) my kids were all lucky to have such a great papa :) Rip jerry

Melanie justice - March 02, 2015 at 09:31 PM

FR

“ JERRY I CANT BELIEVE YOUR REALLY GONE , YOUR THE BEST FRIEND I COULD EVER WANT . YOUR MISSED SO MUCH I AM GLAD YOUR NO LONGER SUFFERING BUT WE LOVE AND MISS YOU SO MUCH .. YOU WERE THE BEST STEP FATHER TO MATTHEW , MELANIE AND MELISSA. AND BEST GRANDFATHER TO TIM, TIFFANI, TABITHA, TAYLOR, BRITTANY, BRANDON, IRELYNN, EDYN,DEMI, JAX, AND DALLAS. SORRY THE LITTLE ONES WILL HAVE TO GROW UP WITHOUT YOU. BUT WE WILL ALWAYS LET THEM KNOW HOW WONDERFUL OF A MAN GRANDPA WAS.....R.I.P JERRY WE LOVE YOU

frieda - March 02, 2015 at 09:10 PM

BD

Dear Tammy and family, words cannot express how sad we are at the loss of your precious husband, dad, and grandfather. We never met Jerry but the big smile on Tammy's face during these past 8-9 years have told us so much about this man. We are only so sorry that their time was cut short. He suffered a lot with health problems and kept up a good fight but now is his time for peace and he is free of pain. Now you have all the wonderful memories tucked in your heart and that will sustain you. We pray for the Lord's blessings and comfort upon you Tammy, now and forever. "Auntie Bev and Uncle Dave"..

Bev and Dave - March 03, 2015 at 02:06 PM

FR

“ *Frieda lit a candle in memory of Jerry
Clarence Falkner*



frieda - March 02, 2015 at 08:54 PM

FR

“ *JERRY I CANT BELIEVE YOUR REALLY GONE, WE LOVE AND MISS YOU SO VERY MUCH, JUST GLAD YOUR NO LONGER SUFFERING. YOU WERE MY BEST FRIEND, A TERRIFIC STEP FATHER TO MATTHEW GREAT GRANDFATHER TO TIMMY , TABITHA , EDYN AND DALLAS YOUR A VERY SPECIAL MAN YOU WILL NEVER BE FORGOTTEN... R.I.P JERRY WE LOVE YOU MORE THEN WORDS CAN EVER SAY*

frieda - March 02, 2015 at 08:53 PM