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Decatur-Shannon V. Walters, 74, of Decatur, passed away Friday, May 1, 2015 in Decatur Memorial Hospital with his family by his side.

Shannon was born January 12, 1941 in Decatur, Illinois the son of George “Van” and Elsie (Lempke) Walters. He graduated from Eisenhower High School and retired from Caterpillar. Shannon was a member of Calvary Baptist Church and enjoyed hunting, fishing, golf, and his classic car and truck. He was married to Pearl Wilkinson from 1960-1975. He then married Ellen (Cunningham) Powell on September 25, 1982.

Shannon leaves behind his wife Ellen, daughters Terri (Mike) Varick, Lori (Jerry) Boulware, stepdaughter Kris Ross, stepsons Kevin Powell and Kent (Dawn) Powell, grandchildren Brendan and Colton Varick, Nikole Boulware, Amanda Powell, Kassey (Daniel) Davenport, and Megan and Sara Ross, great-grandchildren Chase and Turner Powell and Emily Davenport, and sister Rachel Beatty.

Shannon was preceded in death by his parents and brother Gary Walters.

The family would like to give a special thanks to the nurses and staff with the Arcadia Unit at Heartland, 4th floor at DMH, and DMH Hospice for all of their loving care and support.

Services to celebrate Shannon’s life will be 7 p.m. Tuesday, May 5, 2015 at Graceland/Fairlawn Funeral Home. Visitation will be from 5-7 p.m. prior to the services at the funeral home. Burial with “Flight Home” Ceremony will be 11 a.m. Wednesday, May 6, 2015 in Graceland Cemetery. In lieu of flowers memorials are suggested to Calvary Baptist Church.

The family of Shannon V. Walters is being served by the Graceland/Fairlawn Funeral Home, 2091 N. Oakland Ave. Decatur, IL. Please view the online obituary, send condolences, and share memories at www.gracelandfairlawn.com.



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NI

Nikole posted:

I miss you so much grandpa! I regret not calling you more, not a day has gone by that I don't think about you.. I love you so much. I know you're not suffering anymore and that is what is making this so much easier. I love you.-your little dear and your only granddaughter Nikole

June 22 at 4:12 PM

PW

Peggy Price Woods posted:

Dear Ellen,I was so sorry to hear of Shannon's passing. He was always so nice at our class reunions and one could tell he loved you dearly. I will be lifting you up in prayer. May God's everlasting love comfort you.Peggy Price Woods

May 7 at 6:25 AM

RM

Randy Morrell posted:

Ellen, I am so sorry to hear about Shannon, he was such a nice guy!! I have so many good memories of our times at work and during those despicable strikes. He was always such a character and so willing to help at anything he could! We have been out of the area for so long and out of touch with so many of the people from the '90's and UAW/ (cat). I cannot express how sad it was to see that he had passed. Randy and Lana Morrell

May 5 at 1:49 PM

CA

Carol And Lyle Ater posted:

To Ellen and Family: We send you our deepest sympathy. We're thinking of you and praying for you at this sad time. Carol and Lyle Ater

May 5 at 10:23 AM

LK

Larry And Sue Kramer posted:

Lit a candle in memory of Shannon V. Walters

May 5 at 8:00 AM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Shannon by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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