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Duane Eric Reeves, 47, of Decatur passed away March 20, 2021 at Decatur Memorial Hospital with the love of his life and his mother by his side. Duane was born April 7, 1973, in Boulder, CO, the son of Robert Reeves and Paula (Sardina) Gonsalves.

Duane graduated in 1991 from Lake Park H.S. In Roselle, IL. Between his Jr and Sr year of High School, Duane enlisted in the US Navy from which he retired as a Chief Petty Officer in 2011 having served over 20 years. He was currently employed at Austin Industrial where he thoroughly enjoyed his job and the group of guys he worked alongside. He enjoyed woodworking projects and time spent with family and friends playing games. He was an avid sports fan always watching his Cubbies, Blackhawks, Northwestern and all college football. He will not only be missed by his family but his three fur babies: Sophie, Muffin and most especially, Cody.

Surviving is his wife, LeShelle Donoho; son, Austin (Abby Brooks) Harris; parents, Robert (Jan) Reeves and Paula Gonsalves; brother, Dale (Cheryl McMillin) Reeves; parents-in-law, Terry (Shelba) Donoho, sister-in-law, Stephanie (Scott) Williams; grandson, Carter Harris; nieces and nephews, Rachel, Torri, Braden, Alex and Jack, as well as many extended family and friends. He was preceded by his step-father, grandparents and one uncle.

A memorial service for Duane will be held at 4:00 pm, Saturday, March 27, 2021, at Graceland/Fairlawn Funeral Home with visitation proceeding starting at 3:00 pm.

Memorials can be made to the National Pancreatic Cancer Foundation.

Arrangements by Graceland/Fairlawn Funeral Home and Cremation Center, 2091 N. Oakland Avenue, Decatur, IL 62526. Condolences and memories may be shared at www.gracelandfairlawn.com.

Services will be streamed at www.funeralvue.com/login/event#51127.

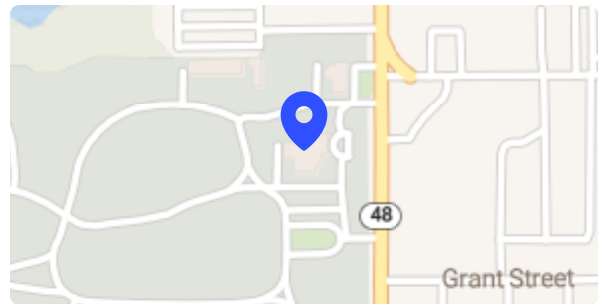


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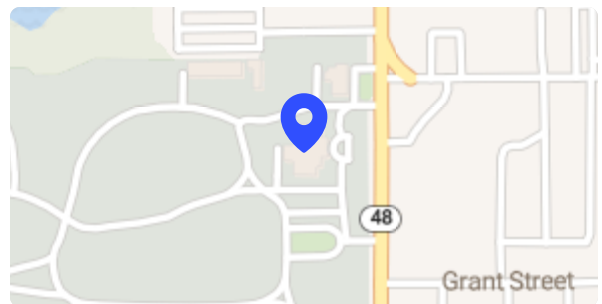
Memorial Visitation

- Saturday**, March 27, 2021
- 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM CT
- Graceland Fairlawn Funeral Home**
2091 N. Oakland Avenue, Decatur IL 62526



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Verlyn Rosenberger posted:

LeShelle, I was sorry to learn of the death of your husband at such a young age. I remember you as a bright, sweet first grader in my class in the Monarch Wing at Dennis School. My thoughts and prayers for comfort and peace are with you and your family as you adjust to your loss. With sympathy and love, Verlyn Rosenberger

April 1 at 5:35 AM



Anonymous sent a Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum to the Reeves family.



March 27 at 5:27 AM



Dory Reeves posted:

Duane will surely be missed. I am so glad to have known him, he was quite the man. May God comfort his Family in this time of sorrow. Dory Reeves

March 26 at 6:31 AM



Homer Sardina posted:

My heartfelt condolences to LaShelle, Paula, Bob, Dale, Rachel and the friends of Duane. I hope the memories of Duane brings comfort in this time of loss.

March 25 at 12:53 PM



Anonymous sent a Serene Retreat to the Reeves family.



March 24 at 4:36 AM



Anonymous sent a Medium Dish Garden to the Reeves family.



March 23 at 2:45 PM



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Rachel Reeves posted:

Itsy-bitsy spider climbed up the water spout. Down came the rain and washed the spider out. Out came the sun and dried up all the rain. And the itsy-bitsy spider climbed up the spout again.

March 23 at 5:36 AM



Janice Woodman March 23 at 3:19 PM

Bobby , we are so sorry for the loss of your son, Duane. We send you and your family our sincere condolences and pray for your comfort. Jack and Jan



Robin D Brunner March 23 at 11:18 AM

So sorry for your loss. Your love for each other was so obvious. May your memories comfort you now.



Leshelle March 23 at 6:24 AM

Love you sweetie. Your dad was just talking about this yesterday. 😊



Memories only last if you share them

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



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