



Gary A. Ludolph

July 10, 1950 - September 20, 2014

WATERLOO-Gary A. Ludolph, 64, of Waterloo, died Saturday, September 20, 2014 at the Cedar Valley Hospice Home in Waterloo.

He was born July 10, 1950, in Waterloo, Iowa the son of Thomas F. and Alice Simpson Ludolph. He married Margaret Dwyer Burns September 13, 1989 in Las Vegas, NV.

Gary graduated from Waterloo East High School in 1968 and served in the United States Army in the Vietnam War. He was retired as a maintenance supervisor at John Deere and later as a realtor with Oakridge Realtors from 2001-2013.

Survived by his wife of Waterloo; son, Gary (Lisa) Ludolph Jr., of Phoenix, AZ; two daughters, Angie (Jim) Shindelar of Greenfield, IA, and Ami Burns of Cedar Falls, IA; six grandchildren, Brady and Jackson Ludolph, Kennedy and Landry Aikey, and Whitney and Dillon Shindelar; two brothers, Tom (Lucy) Ludolph of Silver Lake, MN and Kurt (Heidi) Ludolph of Evansdale, IA; three sisters, Linda Shirley (Victor Gutierrez) of Waterloo, IA, Lora (Jamie) Hickman of Cedar Falls, IA, and Janis (Tony) Fowler of Castle Rock, CO; sister-in-law, Tammy (Mike) Schell of Cedar Falls, IA; and thirteen nieces and nephews.

Preceded by: his parents; brother, Keith "Ricky" Ludolph and granddaughter, Olivia Aikey

Services are scheduled for 10:00 a.m. Wednesday, September 24, 2014 at the Richardson Funeral Service in Cedar Falls, with inurnment in the Greenwood Cemetery Cedar Falls. Visitation will be from 4 to 7 p.m. Tuesday

at the funeral home. Full Military Honors conducted by the Cedar Falls AMVETS Post #49 and the Iowa Army National Guard. Memorial contributions may be directed to Cedar Valley Hospice or the Iowa SIDS Foundation. Online condolences may be left at www.richardsonfuneralservice.com

Cemetery Details

Greenwood Cemetery

the end of College St, north of First Street
Cedar Falls, IA 50613
(319) 273-8628

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP **23**. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

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Funeral Service

SEP **24**. 10:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

JP

“ No heart breaks alone for God is always near. When a prayer is whispered God is always there to hear. When sorrow's overwhelming, He comforts tenderly. A single tear never falls that he does not hear. (Psalms 65:2)

Jeff and Peggy - September 30, 2014 at 11:58 AM

JP

“ My thoughts and prayers are with the Ludolph family.

Jr. Grand Master Joseph Philip
UNI Tae Kwon-Do Club

Jr. Grand Master Joseph Philip - September 24, 2014 at 06:18 PM

KB

“ Margaret, we are praying for you during this difficult time. Our very deepest sympathy.
Keith and Kathy Blum



Kathy Blum - September 24, 2014 at 12:31 PM



“ I had the pleasure of having Gary for a Supervisor for nearly 20 years. Gary always spoke so high of his' family and children. Truly a "family man" who always was quick to expound of family pride! I did have the pleasure of witnessing Gary's pride as a Citizen of this Country. Always one to expound of Service to this Country. Great example! Thanks Gary!

Rod Foster

Rod Foster - September 23, 2014 at 09:53 PM



“ With deepest sympathy to all of Gary's family. I remember working with Gary back in the foundry days. Then, just after we retired golfing in the morning and riding motorcycles in the afternoon - what fun! Gary was always so full of energy and will be missed. RIP.

Steve Hastings - September 23, 2014 at 03:08 PM



“ We send our deepest sympathy Margaret and family. We are so sorry and want you to know you are in our thoughts! When someone you love becomes a memory that memory becomes a great treasure. He will always be in your heart!

*Love to you,
Jack & Nancy Anderson*

Nancy Anderson - September 23, 2014 at 02:19 PM



“ With my deepest sympathy to the family of Gary. Remembering the foundry days and the times out on the golf course. He truly was full of energy and always enjoyed being out with the guys. With sincere thoughts,

Terry Erion - September 23, 2014 at 09:13 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Gary A. Ludolph.*



September 22, 2014 at 10:09 PM



“ *My deepest sympathy, Margaret. Gary was a great roomie in real estate. Always willing to help out when he could. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family during this difficult time. Anne Stratton*



Anne Stratton - September 22, 2014 at 11:56 AM



“ *Margaret and Family,
I am deeply saddened by Gary's passing. I will always have fond memories of the times I got to spend with you all and Gary. I'm sure he is in heaven holding Olivia with a big smile. I wish you Peace and comfort in the days ahead.
Love Jim Davis*

Jim Davis - September 22, 2014 at 10:02 AM



“ *Our deepest sympathy to the Ludolph family.

Columbus High School Alumni*



Columbus High School Alumni - September 22, 2014 at 08:39 AM

TG

“ *Margaret and Family,
Gary will sure be missed in the Rosehill driveway group. He was a very dependable neighbor and would step in to help whenever he saw a need. We loved his kind spirit and light hearted humor. He was a hard worker rather in his business endeavors or his home life. He has left a wonderful legacy. We are here for you always.
Love and Prayers,
Trent and Rita Gerdes*

Trent and Rita Gerdes - September 22, 2014 at 07:47 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Gary A. Ludolph.*



September 22, 2014 at 03:23 AM

LC

“ *We had the great pleasure of meeting Gary & Margaret ! spending time together with Mutual friends. Eating pizza at the OP, And Chicken on Wheels, and many other happy occasions. Our hearts go out to Margaret and family. Rest in peace Gary. Lynne & Mitch Campbell*

lynne campbell - September 21, 2014 at 08:27 PM

KL

“ Kaye and i have a lot of memories of Gary. Riding motorcycle's with Gary & Margaret and the rest of the gang. Also golfing with him. He always had the snake bite medicine just in case we would see any snakes. He was one of the luckiest slot machine players i ever seen. He was always in a good hearted mood R.I.P. WILL MISS YOU GREATLY!!!!

KAYE AND JACK LANTAFF - September 21, 2014 at 06:52 PM

RG

“ I have a lot of fond memories of Gary working with him in the Foundry our motorcycle rides and of course our times spent hitting that little white ball on the golf course. Those hot summer days taking care of our lawns and the ride up the street on my lawn tractor for a cold one.

Ralph Geweke - September 21, 2014 at 06:12 PM



“ Blooming Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Gary A. Ludolph.



September 21, 2014 at 05:41 PM

GD

“ Hey ,, cuz who's going to come up behind me at Hy Vee (Waverly) and hit me on the head..... say hello to all our loved one's you will see again... RIP Your cuz Gloria.

Gloria Dreier - September 21, 2014 at 05:25 PM