



Gary Don Garmany

August 16, 1946 - November 1, 2015

Funeral service for Gary Don Garmany, age 69, of Decatur, will be Wednesday, November 4, 2015, 2:00 p.m. at Shelton Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Dr. Scotty Hogan officiating. The family will receive friends for two hours prior to service. Interment will be in Roselawn Cemetery.

Mr. Garmany, who died Sunday, November 1, 2015, at Decatur Morgan Hospital, was born August 16, 1946, in Georgia, to Wesley W. Garmany and Cora Bradley Garmany. He was preceded in death by his parents. Mr. Garmany retired from Solutia following 37 years of service. Following retirement, he worked at Shelton Funeral Home. He also worked with youth in the Decatur area coaching sports, and was a basketball referee for 13 years. Mr. Garmany was an avid sportsman.

He is survived by his loving wife of 49 years, Carolene Hughes Garmany of Decatur; two sons, Tony Garmany (Kathleen) of Holly Ridge, NC, and Greg Garmany (Tonya) of Hartselle; one brother, W. O. Garmany of Danville; one sister, Gloria Jean Craig of Marietta, GA; four grandchildren, Zachary Garmany (Stephanie), Stephanie Hess (Derek), Conner Garmany, and Kennadi Hogan; one great-grandson, Hayden Hess; and a host of nephews and nieces.

Pallbearers will be Zachary Garmany, Brandon Garmany, Jason Craig, Mark

Craig, David Hughes, and Ray Hughes.

In lieu of flowers, the family respectfully requests memorial donations be made to the American Cancer Society, P. O. Box 22718, Oklahoma City, OK 73123-1718.

Tribute Wall

SB

“ To the family, I'm so sorry to hear about Gary's passing. We were classmates at West Morgan & I rode to school with him & Gloria a few times. I last saw him 10 yrs. ago when my mother died & he was working at Sheltons. Praying that God will give you comfort & peace in the days to come.



Shelby Smith Brazier - November 11, 2015 at 12:00 AM

TK

“ To the family I was a classmate of Gary Don's in Austinville. We were a tight knit group of "'girls and boys' of that era and I will always remember Gary Don (he was always called by both names to us). He had the darkest hair and eyes and the brightest, sweetest smile . Thinking of you all with special thoughts and Love.



Teresa Pepper Knowles - November 05, 2015 at 12:00 AM

BT

“ Caroline & Boys, remembering each of you prayerfully. You have so many good memories of Gary, such as his wonderful smile, positive attitude, & courage to help you along the way. Sorry we will be unable to be there tomorrow, but thinking of you. May you know God's presence in the days to come.



Bonnie & Derwin Teichmiller - November 04, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JS

“ *Worked with Gary at Monsanto. So sorry for your loss. We had many good times at work and playing golf. Sorry that I will not be able to attend the service, but you are in my prayers. Jackie*



Jackie Sneed - November 04, 2015 at 12:00 AM

KT

“ *Dear family: I'm am so sorry for your loss. I will not be able to attend services tomorrow, but please know you all are in my thoughts and prayers. Gary was always quick with the wit and smile. Wish we could have spent more time together, but with the many miles between us, it was difficult. Take care and keep your spirits up. We have the promise of seeing him again one day.*



Karen Bradley Thompson - November 03, 2015 at 12:00 AM

AH

“ Dear Aunt Carolene, Tony and Greg - I'm so sorry I can't be there tomorrow, and wasn't able to make it to see Uncle Gary before he was gone. I'm heartbroken that I can't be there to celebrate his life tomorrow. Julie and I spent a long time the other day, remembering how good Uncle Gary was to Mom, and how much she loved him, and how he was one of the only people who could get her to eat when she wasn't feeling well. I also remember when I was a kid, I LOVED to come visit your house because Gary always smelled like pipe tobacco, and to this day, i buy tobacco candles, because they remind me of that smell. He was such a beautiful soul, and had so much love to give. I miss him already. It's hard to believe he won't be there when I visit next. Sending love and hugs from afar. May God give you all peace and comfort and so much love. All my love, Allie



Allison Holmes - November 03, 2015 at 12:00 AM

MB

“ Dear Carolene and Boys, We are so very sorry to hear of Gary's passing. He always had the prettiest smile on his face. It is so good to know that we will see him again one day never to be separated again. We love you all and are praying for you.
Marilyn Bradley Bramblett



and family

Marilyn Bradley Bramblett - November 03, 2015 at 12:00 AM