



Gary Spencer

December 15, 1945 - April 18, 2020

Gary Allen Spencer, age 74, of Dafter, Michigan passed away Saturday evening, April 18, 2020, at his home.

Gary was born in Staten Island, New York on December 15, 1945, the son of Warren and Rita (VanDusen) Spencer. He served his country in the U.S. Army during the Vietnam War. He fought with the 7/13th Artillery and the 1/50th Infantry. Gary was a member of the VFW Post #9023 and the American Legion Post #3. He enjoyed many outdoor activities like hunting, fishing, trapping, camping, and going 4-wheeling. He also enjoyed dancing and shooting pool for the VFW league. Most of all, he loved to spend time with his family and friends.

Gary is survived by his current wife: Lauri Spencer of Dafter, MI; four children: Tim Spencer of Dafter, MI, Sherri (Jon) Wakeley of Highland, IL, and Jeremy (Lynn) Spencer and Warren (Tashia) Spencer both of Cheboygan, MI; a step-son: William "Bud" Proulx of Sault Ste. Marie, ONT, many grandchildren; his mother: Rita (VanDusen) Spencer of Sault Ste. Marie, MI; and a sister: Gail (Clifton) Blose of Manistique, MI.

He was preceded in death by his father: Warren A. Spencer; a wife: Pam Spencer; a granddaughter: Madison Spencer; and two brothers: Glen and Roy Spencer.

A memorial service with military honors will be held at C.S. Mulder Funeral Home at a time yet to be determined.

Tribute Wall

RB

“ Our hearts & prayers are with you Lauri, Sherri & Warren as you prepare for tomorrows memorial service in Gary's honor. I so wish we could have made it there to be with you, and to represent the 7-13th. You made so many of us feel so special in allowing us to share in your wedding during last years reunion. It was such an honor and special time. Getting to know all of you was an honor - Gary was a hoot to be around, a fun loving guy, down to earth, serious when needed, but always a twinkle in his eye! He will be so missed by all of us, not just during the reunions, but every single day when we think of the friendship we had, and the memories we made, and the times we shared. Then, as a Vet brother...well those brothers will never forget Gary! Big hugs to all of you - we love you~Ron & Kris Burrill and the 7-13th Vietnam Veterans group.

Ronald & Kristine Burrill - June 13, 2020 at 12:00 AM

BF

“ Our sincere condolences from our family to yours at this time of sincere need. Gary was one outstanding man and will be forever missed by those who were fortunate enough to get to know him. God speed, love to all!



Bonathan and Grow Family - April 22, 2020 at 12:00 AM

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“ Gary was a member of the VFW Post 9023 that i am honored to be Commander of. I will miss him terribly. What a great man. We shared many stories at the V.A. and he will never be forgotten



Peggy and Phil Sibbald - April 21, 2020 at 12:00 AM

RJ

“ Our deepest sympathy to the Family of Gary Spencer, especially to his Mother and Sister.
With found memories
Dick Jacobson

Richard and Barbara Jacobson - April 21, 2020 at 12:00 AM

JS

“ I am so sorry to hear of Garys passing. He was truly a great man and I enjoyed so much the time I was able to spend with him and the occasional phone call. He will be missed by many! My condolences go out to his family.



Julie Seifert - April 20, 2020 at 12:00 AM

JL

“ We are so sorry for your loss. Gary will be truly missed. Much love sent to the whole family. Hugs.



Jessie/Jason LaLonde - April 20, 2020 at 12:00 AM