



Norman Lee Gifford

July 15, 1934 - April 26, 2014

Norman Gifford, 79, of Morrisville, Missouri passed away Saturday, April 26, 2014 at Manor Care in Springfield. He was one of 9 children born to Ben and Madge Gifford in Sacville, Missouri. Norman joined the U.S. Air Force as a young man and made the military his career. He and Dorothy were married in 1955. They lived in many different states and countries before retiring and moving back to the area in 1974. He had the ability to fix and repair just about anything. He enjoyed working on race cars and other automobiles. He was never idle and stayed involved in any of his children's projects, helping and giving advice. He always loved to travel and was very fond of country music and doing a little "boot-scooting." Norman was preceded in death by his parents; his wife Dorothy in 2001; siblings Clyde, Carl, Juanita, Michael, Mary Ruth; and brother-in-law Jim Burk. He is survived by sons Larry Gifford and his wife Kathy of Aldrich, Darren Gifford and his wife Kay of Morrisville, Ted Gifford of Springfield, daughter Laura Floyd and her fiancée Brian Perry of Battlefield; grandchildren Karen Dorsey and her husband Randy of Houston, TX., Bryan Gifford of Houston, TX., Heather Morris and her husband Jarrod of Bolivar, MO., Kyle Gifford, Eric Floyd, Crystal Bradshaw and her husband Rodney, Caitlin Howe and her husband Jason, Brady Gifford, Josh Gifford all of Springfield, MO; great-grandchildren Stone, Kylie, Emma, Zoey, Sydney, Caden, Taylor, Logan, Marlie and Aiden; sister Shirley Burk; Ben Gifford and his wife Lavon, Bill Gifford and his wife Sue; numerous nieces and nephews. Funeral services for Norman Lee Gifford will be held at 12 PM

Tuesday, April 29th at the Murray Funeral Home in Bolivar. A visitation will be held from 11 - 12 prior to the servicetime. Burial will immediately follow at Rose Hill Cemetery near Willard, Missouri. Online condolences may be submitted at www.murrayfuneralhomes.com.

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Tribute Wall



“ *Norman Lee Gifford*

October 05, 2023 at 05:18 AM



“ *Norman Lee Gifford*

January 26, 2023 at 04:15 PM



“ *Count me among those who will always remember and are better off for having known both Norman and Dorothy. That wonderful deep tone laugh that Norman shared will always be remembered and cherished as a sign of happy times. God Bless.qq*

Dave Strader - April 30, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *I'm so sorry for your loss. Uncle Normal and Aunt Dorothy always were so special to us. Aunt Dorothy's pies and Uncle Normal's fun loving ways . God's peace. Love, Becky and Steve Hamm*

Becky Hamm - April 29, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *I think the world of all of the Giffords, just like a second family to me. Chin up Papa-Boy. Thoughts and Prayers from the Wards.*

M Ward - April 28, 2014 at 12:00 AM

MM

“ Sorry to hear about your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.

Mike and Betsy Meese - April 28, 2014 at 12:00 AM

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“ Our thoughts and prayers are with the Gifford family in this time of loss.....SRC Heavy Duty Family

SRC Heavy Duty - April 28, 2014 at 12:00 AM

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“ Our thoughts and prayers go out to Norm's family.

Sam & Bev Swihart - April 28, 2014 at 12:00 AM