



William "Gary" Breeden

August 19, 1940 - July 12, 2021

William Gary Breeden, 80, of Carson City, Nevada, passed away peacefully on July 12th 2021 with his two beloved daughters by his side.

Gary was born August 19th 1940, to Lynn and Alice Breeden in Pomona, California. Gary graduated from Bonita High School in 1958, then honorably served in the United States Navy from 1960-1964 where he reached the rank of Radioman 3rd Class.

After returning home from the Navy, Gary worked for General Dynamics before relocating to Nevada to become an iron worker with Union 118 until he retired. Gary enjoyed many hobbies including golfing and archery, both of which he excelled at, winning 10 plaques and a state championship in archery. However, his favorite times were spent riding horses with his two daughters, Jo Dee and Sandra.

Gary enjoyed his retired years golfing with his best friend Al, and devoting much of his time to his family and friends which he loved very much. Gary looked forward to drives from Carson City to Tifton, Georgia to spend time reminiscing with his sister, Carolyn Atkins. On some occasions, Gary would detour to Carver, Minnesota to spend time with Sandra, his grandchildren and great grandchildren.

Gary was preceded in death by his parents, Lynn and Alice Breeden and his brother James Breeden. He is survived by his sister, Carolyn Atkins (Jim) of Tifton, Georgia, his brother, Robert Breeden of Carson City, Nevada, two daughters Jo Dee Leid of Reno, Nevada and Sandra Mellgren (Daniel) of

Carver, Minnesota. Six grandchildren, Ricky Eward Tester, Gary William Tester, David Michael Leid, Daria Ashley Leid, Amber Nicole Trudeau and Sydney Lynn Trudeau four great grandchildren, Kennedy, Guinevere, Carson and Franklin, along with many nieces and nephews.

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

JUL 15. 5:30 PM (PT)

Autumn Funerals & Cremations

1575 N. Lompa Ln.

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Tribute Wall



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