



Derek Thomas McCormick

October 16, 1970 - October 4, 2023

Derek Thomas McCormick, 52, died at 5:06 p.m. Wednesday, October 4, 2023 at Barnes-Jewish Hospital in St. Louis, MO. Born October 16, 1970 in Alton, he was the son of Mary Frazier of Bethalto and the late Thomas McCormick. Mr. McCormick worked as a self-employed boat hauler. He loved boats, motorcycles, friends and family. On October 16, 2019 he married Melissa Gust in Las Vegas, NV. Along with his mother and wife he is survived by three daughters, Alyssa, Alexis, and Myranda from Wood River, a grandchild, Windlyn Hippen of Alton, a brother, Kevin McCormick (Barbie) of Dow, two sisters, Kelly McCormick of Florissant, MO, and Lisa McCormick of Bethalto. Also surviving is his mother-in-law, Kathy Blasioli (Danny) of Wood River, sister-in-law, Kim Michiaels of Jacksonville, IL, brother-in-law, Phil Gust of Kane, nephew, Gage Mosher, and nieces, Aubrey, Emma and Libby McCormick and his best four-legged friend, Lily. Along with his father he was preceded in death by his Grandfather, Charles McCormick, Grandmothers, Maw Maw Ada McCormick and Betty Frazier, Great Grandma, Mildred Shuttleworth and three uncles, Rick McCormick, Larry McCormick and Michael Bloemker. A memorial visitation will be from 6:00-8:00 p.m. Thursday, October 12, 2023 at Gent Funeral Home in Alton. In lieu of flowers memorials may be made via Venmo to the family for medical expenses @melissa-mccormick-114 (1075) or sent to the funeral home. Online guestbook and information may be found at www.gentfuneralhome.com

Previous Events

Memorial Visitation

OCT **12.** 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Gent Funeral Home & Cremation Services

2409 State Street

Alton, IL 62002

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<https://www.gentfuneralhome.com/>

Tribute Wall



“ just a great guy to be around...he was always smiling with a grin that bespoke a sense of humor. he will be missed by all of here at MTI. rest easy buddy.

Steve Hallberg - October 17, 2023 at 08:56 AM



“ Irlene L. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Derek Thomas McCormick.

Irlene L. - October 10, 2023 at 07:13 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Derek Thomas McCormick.

October 09, 2023 at 03:33 PM



“ Magnificent Life Spray was purchased for the family of Derek Thomas McCormick.



October 09, 2023 at 03:33 PM

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“ *Our Condolences to all the McCormick Family,
Derek smile will never be forgotten his sense of humor and his caring sole. He was a one of a kind.*

We worked together at the Airliner and our paths crossed again in the Keys during the boat races it was the best time hanging with Derek. I last saw him he was doing well had come through his surgery and living on Park lane with his Wife and kids. We had thought he had bet it. Our Prayers to you all. Rest in Peace my Friend.



Curtis and Joan Roberts - October 06, 2023 at 03:40 PM