



Martin A. Steele Sr.

December 31, 1954 - January 19, 2018

Dateline: Gillespie, IL

Martin A. Steele Sr., 63, died at 3:39 a.m. on Friday, January 19, 2018 at St. Francis Hospital in Litchfield, IL. He was born December 31, 1954 in Alton the son of Gerald and Lupe (Torrez) Steele. He was a mechanic and maintenance worker with various business establishments in the area. He was a member of City of the Lord Church in Granite City. On March 22, 2002 in Edwardsville, he married Christy (Ward) and she survives. Also surviving are four daughters, Shonda Jones (Doug) of St. Peters, MO, Kathy Watts of Nebo, IL, Brandie Barnes (Larry) of Greenville, IL, Amanda Brandon (Bob) of Bulpitt, IL and four sons, Mike Steele of Bethalto, Tony Steele of Alton, Dean Atwood (Josieann) of Brighton, and Michael Atwood of Kentucky, several grandchildren, and great grandchildren, two brothers, Charles Steele(Judy) of Granite City and Robert Steele of East Alton and two sisters, Lisa McBride (Terry) of East Alton and Martha Lair (David) of Rosewood Heights and many other family members. Besides his parents he was preceded in death by two sons, Nathan Atwood and Nicholas Atwood, and five brothers, Jerry, Frank, Richard, Joe and John Steele. Visitation will be from 9:00 a.m. until time of funeral service at 11:00 a.m. on Thursday, January 25, 2018 at Gent Funeral Home in Alton with Pastor Ronnie Johnson Officiating. Burial will be at Upper Alton Cemetery. Memorials may be made to the family. Additional information and online guest book may be found at www.gentfuneralhome.com

Cemetery Details

Upper Alton Cemetery

Oakwood Avenue
Alton, IL 62002

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 25. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Gent Funeral Home & Cremation Services
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Alton, IL 62002
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Funeral

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Tribute Wall



“ *Martin A. Steele Sr.*

January 28, 2023 at 10:19 AM



“ *Martin A. Steele Sr.*

January 28, 2023 at 08:19 AM



“ *Love u dad miss u more then u know hope to c u again*



Martin a Steele Jr - May 30, 2021 at 03:56 AM



“ *Shonda Perkins Jones lit a candle in memory of Martin A. Steele Sr.*



Shonda Perkins Jones - January 24, 2018 at 10:51 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Martin A. Steele Sr..*



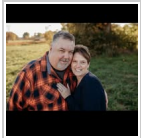
January 24, 2018 at 10:47 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Martin A. Steele Sr..*



January 23, 2018 at 04:02 PM



“ *Brandie Barnes purchased the Pretty Please for the family of Martin A. Steele Sr..*



Brandie Barnes - January 23, 2018 at 03:53 PM



“ *Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant was purchased for the family of Martin A. Steele Sr..*



January 23, 2018 at 10:42 AM



“ You will be missed so much by everyone... You didn't know a stranger you would help anyone and everyone. we are really going to miss you, Your jokes, Your laughter when you were being rotten. but most of all the love you showed us all, you had a heart of gold we couldn't ask for a better Dad and Grandpa.... Until we meet again rest easy. Love and miss you so much.....

Brandie and Family

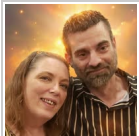
Brandie Barnes - January 23, 2018 at 12:59 AM



“ Gracious Lavender Basket was purchased for the family of Martin A. Steele Sr..



January 22, 2018 at 05:23 PM



“ He was a great man that Loved Mom with all his heart.... and her children. We will miss you Dad ...love forever and always !

Dean and JoJo

JoJo Atwood - January 22, 2018 at 04:59 PM