



## Michael "Mike" Blakely

August 16, 1942 - January 9, 2024

Michael ("Mike") Blakely, 81, died on Tuesday, January 9, 2024 at his home in Godfrey. Born in 1942, he was the son of William and Georgie (Fuller) Blakely. He retired as a self-employed accountant. Mike is survived by his wife, Janet, son Greg (Dee), daughter Janeen, stepchildren Brian and Jaime (Trent), granddaughters Emily (Barron) and Amelia (Kitt), step grandchildren, Will and Emma, great-granddaughter Lucy, and a brother, Stephen (Susan).

Visitation will be from 1:00-3:00 pm on Monday, January 15, 2024 at Gent Funeral Home in Alton, with prayer service following at 3:00 pm.

Memorials may be made to the 5A'a animal shelter. Gent Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements. Online guestbook and information may be found at [www.gentfuneralhome.com](http://www.gentfuneralhome.com).

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 15. 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (CT)

Gent Funeral Home Inc  
2409 State Street  
Alton, IL 62002  
(618) 466-5544  
<https://www.gentfuneralhome.com/>

# Tribute Wall

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“ I'm so sorry to hear that Mike has passed away. His mother and mine were best friends from High School until Georgie died. I haven't seen Mike or Steve since we were kids, but always heard about them through my mother. My condolences to his family. Kathy (May) Houck

Kathleen Ann Houck - January 15, 2024 at 04:26 PM

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“ Love Mike & Ardene planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Michael "Mike" Blakely.

Love Mike & Ardene - January 12, 2024 at 08:08 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Michael "Mike" Blakely.



January 12, 2024 at 08:08 AM

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“ I never knew Mike but heard Linda speak of him often. This is a time for reflection of the good times and the bad for the entire family. Please know that you are in my thoughts and prayers. RIP Mike.

Marce M. Corbett - January 10, 2024 at 10:02 PM