



## George Burk, Jr.

May 17, 1950 - January 19, 2008

George R. Burk Jr., 57, of Watseka, died Saturday (Jan. 19, 2008) at Watseka Health Care. Visitation will be from 11 a.m. Monday, until the 1 p.m. funeral service at Clancy-Gernon Funeral Home, Bourbonnais. The Rev. John Story will officiate. Burial will be in Clifton Cemetery. Memorials may be made to the family. Mr. Burk was a former employee of Canadian National. He was born May 17, 1950, in Chicago, the son of George R. Sr. and Beatrice Murphy Burk. He was a member of the Bradley Sons of American Legion and International Brotherhood of Teamsters Local 766. He enjoyed playing bingo and watching movies. Surviving are his wife, the former Catherine Marek, whom he married April 10, 1971, in Tinley Park; one son, George R. Burk III of Watseka; two daughters and sons-in-law, Tammy and Gary Wells of Kankakee, Kathy Jo and Tim Cahill of Woodstock, Ga.; seven grandchildren; five sisters and two brothers-in-law, Cindy and Jay Gillenwater of Pittwood, Wanda and Michael Selm, Cheryl Burk, all of Bradley, Linda Burk of Watseka and Diane Schmalz of Kankakee; four brothers, William Burk, Kenny Burk and Robert Burk, all of Watseka, and Donald Burk of Streator; and his mother-in-law, Benita Marek of Bradley. His parents; one brother, John; and one sister, Brenda, are deceased.

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“ *Cathy, Tammy, Kathy-Jo and GR, we are sorry we are not able to be there with you but just know we are there in spirt and that we love you all so much. We hope in remembering the good times, with time and love from your family the pain of the loss will ease. We send you love and hugs and we will talk to you soon. Love, Ed & Karen##imported-begin##Ed & Karen Marek##imported-end##*

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