



Gerald William Lucas

September 23, 1947 - May 25, 2018

Gerald W. Lucas, age 70, of Manteno, passed away Friday, May 25, 2018 at the Illinois Veterans Home at Manteno.

Gerald was born September 23, 1947 in Chicago, the son of William & Ina Stringfellow Lucas.

Visitation will be held 5:30 - 8:30 p.m. on Wednesday, May 30, 2018 at Clancy-Gernon Funeral Home in Manteno.

Interment will be held at 11:30 a.m. Thursday, May 31, 2018 at Abraham Lincoln National Cemetery in Elwood.

Memorials may be made to the Illinois Veterans Home at Manteno.

Cemetery Details

Abraham Lincoln National Cemetery

20953 Hoff Road
Elwood, IL 60421

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 30. 5:30 PM - 8:30 PM (CT)

Manteno - Clancy-Gernon Funeral Homes, Inc.
291 N. Main St.
Manteno, IL 60950
(815) 932-1214
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Graveside Service

MAY 31. 11:30 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

TB

“ I worked with Jerry for over 20 years at the Nabisco plant in Chicago.
Jerry was a very contentious person who had the job of a maintenance electrician.
Jerry would never say no to someone who needed help.
He was the one that was getting others to laugh.
Jerry was also a proud US Marine who served his country proudly.
My sincere condolences go out to the Lucas family 🇺🇸

Tom Barnas - May 30, 2018 at 02:29 PM

CW

“ I'm a volunteer at the Manteno Veteran's home. Jerry was one of the first members I met. We spent much of our time listening to music. He especially loved instrumentals. Although almost every day he wanted to hear Love Rollercoaster by the Ohio Players. He also loved Sandy Nelson because he was a drummer like Jerry was in his younger days.

I will truly miss him.



Charla Wright - May 29, 2018 at 08:21 PM

JM

I have known Gerry for well over 30 plus years. His humor and caring attitude are what made him so special. We met way back when he lived in Burbank. I remember staying up all night getting his kitchen ready for new cabinets watching old movies along with science fiction movies while paint dried. He also loved his Pepsi. Threw out the years he moved away and family took us in different directions and every now and then we would talk and or get together. He was always a person you can count on for a good laugh and an occasional pressure point grab to keep you on your toes. He was a great friend., a always caring and supportive father, and a one of a kind person which I was fortunate to know. Even after his stroke his spirit was never broke he continued to try to make you laugh and dispite of all he went threw he never gave up fighting to get back to the old Gerry. Gerry will be deeply missed. R. I. P.

joseph michalowicz - May 31, 2018 at 05:02 AM