



## Larry G. Shirley

July 8, 1938 - May 30, 2022

Larry Gene Shirley, 83, transitioned peacefully into heaven on May 30, 2022, at his home in Evansville, Indiana. He was surrounded by his family and an abundance of love.

Larry was born on July 8, 1938, at home in Cato, Indiana. His father, Lawrence Alfred Shirley was a carpenter, and his mother Elsie Fae (McDaniel) Shirley was a homemaker. Larry graduated from Central High School in Evansville in 1956. At age 17, he joined the military serving as an Electronic Technician in the United States Air Force for six years. He retired from both Faultless Caster and Lewis Bakeries in Evansville, Indiana.

Larry was a Shriner and Freemason for many years. He enjoyed classic cars, a good steak dinner, and a game of poker with family and friends. Larry's favorite vacation place was Gatlinburg, Tennessee where he and his wife Jeannie traveled every year. Larry and Jeannie were married for 27 years and together for 35. Larry loved his family and was a model of strength and courage. He was a devoted husband, father, grandfather, great grandfather, brother, and friend.

Larry is survived by his wife Norma Jean "Jeannie" (Staton) Shirley. His son Kent Shirley and six grandchildren. His son Lawrence "Pete" and wife Lucinda "Cindy" Shirley; grandchildren Lawrence (Danielle) Shirley II, Paige (Garrett)

Byrer, Benjamin Shirley; and great grandchildren Marlee Byrer, Zoie Byrer, Laurel Shirley, and Lina Shirley. His siblings William and Scheryl Shirley.

He was preceded in death by his parents.

Larry will be honored with a Celebration of Life Ceremony at a later date.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Larry G. Shirley*

January 16, 2023 at 06:53 PM



“ *Larry was a great man who would do anything to help others. I was honored to have become a friend of his and his wife's. I am deeply saddened by his passing but he isn't suffering any longer and now at peace. Karen Brownfield*

**Karen Brownfield** - June 08, 2022 at 10:07 PM



“ *So sorry for your loss. All your family will be in my thoughts and prayers.  
I worked with Larry and also with Jeanie @ Faultless Caster.*

*Tammy Pollock*

**Tammy Pollock** - June 08, 2022 at 02:29 PM



“ *Jeannie and family my thoughts and prayers are with you .I just learned of Larry's passing. Larry and I worked together for about 15 years in the maintenance department at Lewis Bakeries.He was a true friend and would not hesitate to help anyone.I learned a lot from him.I know that he will be truely missed but not forgotten by those who met him and got to know him. thank you for everything  
Larry*

*Ron "Marty" Martin*

**ron martin** - June 08, 2022 at 12:44 PM

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“ *I love you Dad and will miss you forever. Pete*

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**Pete** - June 03, 2022 at 09:34 AM