



Gary Amon Barnes

June 17, 1953 - July 7, 2020

Gary Amon Barnes, 67, of Columbus passed away Tuesday evening, July 7th, 2020 at his home after a six-month illness.

He was born June 17th, 1953 in Columbus, the son of Joe and Marcella (Medlin) Barnes. He attended school in Columbus and graduated from CUHS with the class of 1971. He attended Clarkes Business School in Topeka, becoming a court reporter and worked in Omaha, NE, retiring in 2007. He returned to Columbus and worked at Numerous odd jobs and made many friends.

In 1975 he married Janet Schell. They raised two children and later divorced.

Gary had a love for Corvettes and had six in his lifetime. While living in Nebraska he was an avid Cornhuskers fan who also loved model trains. He enjoyed the music of Australian rock band ACDC and liked to sing karaoke. He was a hard worker who enjoyed detailing cars and other activities. During his illness, he enjoyed watching many videos of cars and model trains. He enjoyed visits from many long-time friends in recent months.

He is survived by a son, Corey of Omaha, NE. A daughter, Ashley (Clint) Begnoche of Las Vegas, NV. Grandchildren, Rorric Barnes, Mila Begnoche and grandson Ezra Ford Begnoche is expected in September. A sister Brenda (David) Boyd, of Columbus. Many nieces and nephews. He is survived by special friend and companion Diane Schoenewald, as well as many friends.

Gary was preceded in death by his parents, Joe and Marcella Barnes.

Gary has been entrusted to Bath-Naylor Funeral Home for cremation.

A celebration of life will be held at a later date.

Comments



“ Sorry to see you go, Barney. We had some fun times many years ago. You were a fun-loving character. I tried to reach you several months ago, as I had lost track of you and you came upon my mind. Rest ion peace until we meet again, dear friend. Say hello to Bush for me.

Rick congdon - July 18 at 06:32 AM



“ Hi, Rick, I am sorry to let you know that Bush passed away years ago from cancer.

Janet - July 18 at 03:12 PM



“ Gary and I shared a lot of time together incolumbus rebuilding his 66 Bette in auto mechanics class. Rode around a lot in that Bette. Rest In Peace buddy. Richard

richard barrett - July 16 at 09:13 AM