



Glen E Wright

October 17, 1942 - July 4, 2022

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Glen was born on October 17, 1942 in Starke County Indiana to Donald and Margaret Wright. He passed away July 4, 2022 in Fort Wayne, Indiana.

He is survived by his three sons, Glen, Alan and Thomas along with several grandchildren and great grandchildren. He was preceded in death by both parents, Donald and Margaret, his wife Shirley, brothers Donald, Ray, Bill, Jim and Dave and sister Rowena. Thanks to the staff at Byron Health Center

Tribute Wall



“ I REMEMBER DAD

I remember Dad:

** Teaching me that work was a four letter word, but it wasn't a "bad" word.*

** Giving me a penny for every nail I found on the ground around a remodel/construction site we were working on.*

** Being upset when finding me sitting on the ground behind one of the fifty oak trees on our property when I was supposed to be raking leaves. He was not a "happy camper" at that moment.*

** Working swing shifts at the mill and not handling midnight shifts too well. His body did not like sleeping during daylight hours.*

** Working endlessly on making the house a great place to live.*

** Laughing so loud at cartoons (any Loony Toons cartoon (Sylvester, Yosemite Sam, Elmer Fudd, Wile E. Coyote, numerous pre-show cartoons at the drive-in theater, etc. etc.)*

** Trying to get me to concentrate on a job site. I had a habit of "looking at anything or anyone I heard passing by"... and Dad would tell not be concerned about anything except the task at hand. ...and I still try to not be distracted till this day.*

** Ice skating.*

** Rollerskating with Mom.*

** Cleaning and caring for anything he owned. He explained to me how important it was to take care of the things God entrusted to him.*

** Pouring the concrete sidewalk, steps and porches in front of the house.*

** Driving the family places on vacation.*

** Driving the car down a dirt road every once in a while just for fun... and he made it fun!*

** Taking the family to visit Grandma Wright on a regular basis. It was always a good visit. (I miss her very much!)*

** Enjoying anything I would do or play with my music.*

** Playing harmonica around the campfire on camping trips.*

** Taking me hunting and shooting.*

** Trying to get me to eat wild berries with him. I never did and still*

don't... unless they're strawberries.

** Accepting the nickname "little man" the best he knew how ...and backing down from no one ...while always knowing who he could outrun if he had to. LOL!*

** Saying, "It's good to keep 'em guessing."*

** Teaching me that "picking up & cleaning up" is part of the job.*

** Visiting me at times and places no one else ever would (at a job place - no matter what hour: day or night -, at school, on vacation, etc. etc).*

** Telling me how extremely proud he was of all his sons.*

** Picking up hitchhikers on his way home from work and giving them money or food if they needed it.*

** Being willing to let me try anything despite my inability to see things well (riding bikes, motorcycles, waterskiing, driving go-karts, vehicles, etc. etc.)*

** Exercising, running, running backwards for exercise and explaining that his dad used to do the same thing.*

** Telling me to take care of myself.*

** Telling me he love me.*

** Always giving me a hug when greeting me and a hug & kiss when leaving.*

** Being so happy to play softball in Arizona.*

** Most of all: SPENDING HIS TIME WITH ME.*

*DAD, you were the best. Thank you for sharing your life with me. -
Tom*

Thomas Wright - July 09, 2022 at 06:09 AM

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“Great guy had a lot of good times, working at Bethlehem Steel, the car pool was the best.

Gary Belue - July 07, 2022 at 02:16 PM