



Garry Deitrich

February 11, 1947 - October 4, 2016

Garry K. Deitrich, 69, of Ollie died Tuesday, October 4, 2016, at his home in Ollie. He was born Tuesday, February 11, 1947, in Sigourney. Garry graduated from Sigourney High School with the Class of 1966. Garry served two terms as Keokuk County Sherriff from 1972 until 1980. On May 29, 1974, Garry was united in marriage to Judy Andeway at Galena, Illinois. He later worked at TriOak Foods in Richland for 31 years retiring from there in 2015. Garry loved visiting with people, watching T.V. and fishing. He was a member of Ollie Baptist Church and enjoyed attending church activities. He was a former member of the Ollie Lions Club.

Garry is survived by his wife of over 42 years: Judy Deitrich of Ollie; four sons: Joe (& Cindy) Deitrich of North English, Vernon (& Linda) Reinier, Jr. and Richard (& Emmy) Reinier both of Fairfield, and Robin (& Marti) Reinier of Ollie; a daughter: Melody Whitehurst of West Des Moines; 14 grandchildren: Jacob, Hannah, Bethany, George, Amber, Lindsay, Megan, Eric, Cameron, Sammi, Ryan, Christian, Kyle and Crystal; 20 great grandchildren: Madison, Peyton, Kayla, Chloe, Seirra, Adelaid, Tegan, Teria, Hailey, Brett, Piper, Phoebe, Cael, Noah, Cameron, August, Hunter, Dakota, Declan and Savannah; two brothers: Jim (& Charlotte) Deitrich of Sigourney and Ronnie "McGee" (& Jane) Deitrich of Cedar Rapids; and a sister: Sherry (& Tony) Hammes of Cape Girardeau, Missouri.

He was preceded in death by his parents; three brothers: his twin, Jerry, Pedro and Bill Deitrich; two sisters: Sarah Smithart and Garland Seaba.

Memorial services will be held Saturday, October 8, 2016, at 11 A.M. at the Ollie Baptist Church in Ollie with Reverend Gary Reeves officiating. As was his wish, Garry's body has been cremated and no burial is planned at this time. Visitation will be in the fellowship hall of the church Saturday from 10 A.M. until service time at 11 A.M. Memorials may be made to the Ollie Baptist Church.

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT 8. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Ollie Baptist Church
Ollie, IA 52576

Memorial Service

OCT 8. 11:00 AM (CT)

Ollie Baptist Church
Ollie, IA 52576

Tribute Wall

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“ Garry was our milk man, before he was the sheriff. When there was a customer in the store when he delivered he would always carry their groceries to their car. That was just how NICE a guy he was!!! And yes he did love to visit. Mae Shelby worked for me and Garry had worked with her at Albaugh's Grocery in Sigourney, so they shared a lot of memories. Sincerely thinking of his family--Dixie Shipley-Delta Grocery.

Dixie Shipley - October 07, 2016 at 10:18 AM

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“ Garry, the world has lost one of the "good guys". You were always a great friend to our whole family and even though we hadn't seen you since Darrell's funeral you were thought of often, Bettie and Karen Downey

Bettie Downey - October 07, 2016 at 10:01 AM



“ Kathy Brower lit a candle in memory of Garry Deitrich



Kathy Brower - October 06, 2016 at 09:20 PM

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“ Garry, this world will be missing a very giving and generous human being! I'm regretting I didn't take the time to look you up last month while attending our 50th class reunion, as I had intended to do.

Rest in peace.

*Friends forever,
Don Chilton*

Don Chilton - October 06, 2016 at 03:19 PM

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“ George And Pat Stanich lit a candle in memory of Garry Deitrich



George and Pat Stanich - October 05, 2016 at 08:03 PM