



## Gary L. Kime

January 27, 1946 - October 4, 2023

Gary Lee Kime, age 77 of Clifton, passed away October 4, 2023, at his home in Clifton surrounded by family. He was born in Kankakee on January 27, 1946, the son of Charles Vance and Lucille (Eastman) Kime. Gary married Carel Hiatt on May 17, 1969, at Asbury United Methodist Church, Kankakee. Gary was a farmer, a profession that he loved. He enjoyed fishing and life at his cabin in Northern Wisconsin. Gary was a Green Bay Packers fan and an avid outdoorsman.

Gary was a veteran of the United States Army. He was stationed in Germany from 1965 to 1967.

Surviving is his wife, Carel of Clifton; two sons and daughters-in-law, Chris (Andrea) Kime of St. Anne, Mike (Gina) Kime of Bradley; one daughter and son-in-law, Kathy (Pat) Boudreau of Clifton; one sister, Alice Floyd of Leroy, IL; six grandchildren; eight great grandchildren; many nieces and nephews.

Gary is preceded in death by his parents; three sisters and two brothers.

Cremation rites have been accorded.

Memorial visitation will be held from 4:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. on Wednesday, October 11, 2023, at Schreffler Funeral Homes, Kankakee.

Inurnment will be held at a later date at Abraham Lincoln National Cemetery, Elwood.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to St. Jude's Children Research Hospital.



# Cemetery Details

## Abraham Lincoln National Cemetery

20953 W. Hoff Road  
Elwood, IL 60421  
(815) 423-9958  
<http://www.cem.va.gov/cems/nchp/abrahamlincoln.asp>

# Previous Events

## Memorial Visitation

OCT 11. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Schreffler Funeral Home - Kankakee Chapel  
1900 W. Court St.  
Kankakee, IL 60901  
(815) 932-2421  
<https://www.schrefflerfuneralhomes.com/>

# Tribute Wall

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“ I ran into one of our old friends from grade school and he told me of Gary passing. What a nice guy who never was afraid to give you a hard time or let you know you could do better in a funny way. Although I wish time didn't pass so fast the memories of St. Anne grade school are always with me and the Kime family was a big part of those days.

*My families thoughts and prayers.*

*Love to you*

*Chris Daily*

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**Chris Daily** - October 16, 2023 at 03:27 PM

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“ Carel, So sorry to hear of Gary passing . We lose contact with these people we know and care about in that special Family heritage. Respecting the relationship my wife Joan had with the Kime family. We did not know of any illness Gary had and thank you for caring for him. We know you have many fond memories that will sustain you for many years. Our prayers are now for you and your family.

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**Larry Skelly** - October 11, 2023 at 10:16 AM



“ Cheeseboard Gourmet Gift was purchased for the family of Gary L. Kime.



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October 10, 2023 at 10:12 AM

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“ *Janice Shenk lit a candle in memory of Gary L. Kime*



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**Janice Shenk** - October 09, 2023 at 11:47 AM

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“ *Gary was such a pleasure to be around. Deepest condolences to his family.*

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**Jed and Sarah Sidentop** - October 05, 2023 at 10:04 PM