



Michael William Watson

November 22, 1948 - May 15, 2025

Princeton - Michael William Watson, known as Mike, passed away at Manor Court (Liberty Village), May 15, 2025.

Mike grew up in the Malden area and attended Malden High School. A hardworking man throughout his life, he held positions at Harper Wyman, Del Monte, and later V&C Construction, where his dedication and strong work ethic were well respected.

Mike was a man of simple pleasures who found great joy in the little things. He loved playing cards with friends and family, spending time outdoors fishing, and going "yard sailin'," as he fondly called it, always on the lookout for a good find and a good story.

He is survived by his two sons, Eric and Jason; his eight siblings; and numerous nieces and nephews who will carry forward his memory with love and laughter.

He was preceded in death by his parents, George and Ruby Jean Watson, and five siblings who welcomed him home with open arms.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be directed to the Bridges Senior Center in Peru, Illinois-an organization close to Mike's heart.

Services will be held at a later date.

Online condolences may be shared at www.norbergfh.com.

Arrangements by Norberg Memorial Home, Inc. & Monuments.

Tribute Wall



“ One of the best memories I have of Uncle Mike is going to visit him in Kentucky!!! I was young and Uncle Mike gave me the first slingshot I ever had, it was a home made one but it was the coolest thing I ever seen at the time!!! I used it for a lot of years before it just wore out and even then I didn't want to throw it away lol. Uncle Mike I will love and miss you always rest in peace until I see you on the other side!!!

Your Loving Nephew
David Dean Wiemken

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