



Thomas J. Gustafson

September 25, 1948 - December 26, 2013

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Memorial service for Thomas J. Gustafson, age 65 of Princeton, recently a resident of the Illinois Veterans Home in La Salle, will be Monday, Dec 30, 2013 at 12:00 PM at the Norberg Memorial Home. Rev. George Woosnam will officiate. Burial will be private and at a later date. The family will receive friends on Monday, Dec 30, 2013 from 10:00 AM to 12:00 PM at the Norberg Memorial Home. Military Rites will be performed.

Thomas J. Gustafson passed away on Thursday, Dec 26, 2013 at St. Margaret's Hospital in Spring Valley. He was born on Sep 25, 1948 in Princeton, IL to Willie and Mona (Gilbert) Gustafson. He graduated from Princeton High School in 1966. He graduated from Barber College in Moline. Tom served in the US Navy during the Vietnam War. After his military service he was a barber in Princeton for many years. Tom was previously married to Candace Jacobson. He was on the Bureau County Agricultural Board, holding several positions over the years and he was very active in the Bureau County Fair. Tom also announced the races at Bureau County Speedway for several years. He was a member of First United Methodist Church of Princeton.

Tom is survived by two sons Tipton (Victoria) Gustafson of Fair Lawn, New Jersey and Justin Gustafson of Peru and two grandchildren Margo and Kai of Fair Lawn, New Jersey. Also surviving are two sisters Meri (Gary) Giese of Princeton and Ann (Greg) Crofton of Neponset, and nephew Joshua Crofton and three nieces Jessica, Victoria, and Emma Crofton.

He was preceded in death by his parents and grandparents.

Memorials may be directed to Bureau County Fair or Friends of Strays.

Cemetery Details

Private and at a later date