



Harry E. Barthalow

March 17, 1946 - August 2, 2020

GREENFIELD – Harry E. Barthalow, age 74, of Greenfield, passed away on Sunday, August 2, 2020 at Hancock Regional Hospital. He was born in Chambersburg, Pennsylvania on March 17, 1946 to Luther and Thelma (Lewis) Barthalow. He graduated from Center Grove High School in 1964. From 1964-1968 he served in the U.S. Air Force. Harry married Matilda “Tillie” (Satkamp) on June 14, 1986 in Indianapolis.

He worked as a pipe fitter for Amtrak and Eli Lilly for 30 plus years. Harry was a member of the Corvette Indy. He loved cars, motorsports, and riding his Can-Am Motorcycle. Harry enjoyed being outdoors hunting, boating, and snow skiing. He always knew how to laugh and have a good time. Harry took great pride in his yard, and nobody could mow straighter lines than him.

Harry is survived by his wife, Matilda Barthalow; sons, Jeremy (Tracie) Hoffman of Indianapolis and William Hoffman of Fairland; four grandchildren, David Hoffman, Ava Hoffman, Austin Hoffman, and Aaron Hoffman; one great-grandson, Jameson Hoffman; brother, Luther Barthalow of Lebanon; sister, Marie Marburger of Brownsburg; and a niece, Tina Pennington of Jamestown. He was preceded in death by his parents, Luther and Thelma Barthalow; brothers, Calvin Barthalow and Alvin Barthalow; and a sister, Linda Barthalow.

Visitation will be held on Friday, August 7, 2020, from 12:00 p.m. until 2:00 p.m. Erlewein Mortuary & Crematory, 1484 W. US Hwy. 40, Greenfield, IN 46140. A graveside service will take place following the visitation at 2:30 p.m. at Philadelphia Cemetery in Greenfield. As a reminder, masks are required in public indoor spaces and please practice social distancing.

Friends may share a memory or condolence at www.erleweinmortuary.com.

Cemetery

Events

Philadelphia Cemetery

2650 W. Highway 40

Greenfield, IN, 46140

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Visitation

12:00PM - 02:00PM

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Graveside Service

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Comments



“ Harry was a very good friend and neighbor for many years. He would donate his time, labor and knowledge when ever anyone needed his help. We would spend one week a year together with two other friends doing nothing but looking at old cars, trucks and visiting automobile related places.

He was the slowest person at the dinner table to finish his meal, but he had so many other qualities that more than exceeded one little habit. His story telling was always part of a visit, but that was the joy of Harry.

Rob Matthews

Rob Matthews - August 06, 2020 at 09:43 AM



“ Harry was a special person. At work when 90% of the work force was using all kinds of bad language, Harry would just grin and walk away. I thought a lot of Harry and even though I moved south and haven't seen him in 20 Yrs I will still miss him. Good bye Harry and tell God to let some of my life slide and I will make it up to him. Goodbye.

Lloyd Raymer (Amtrak Ret) - August 13, 2020 at 04:17 PM



“ Some of the million things I remember about my brother.

Harry had a talent for running out of fuel.
How much he enjoyed my sausage gravy.
Buying gifts for my daughter when I could not afford them
How he always had to look immaculate before going out.
And especially me getting sick in his Corvette and him not even getting angry.

Marie Marburger - August 05, 2020 at 12:25 PM



“ I think the memory that stands out for me about Harry is his laugh. I always enjoyed to cut up and tell stories and hear the laughter.

Joe Fleming

Joseph Fleming - August 04, 2020 at 09:33 AM



“ My great great, friend for many many years, I will always miss u,and love u dearly,nickey,I have a place in my heart for u for ever.

nickey hamm - August 05, 2020 at 02:50 PM



“ Harry has been a part my life for as long as I can remember. The only family my sister and I had locally were our parents. Harry helped my father with projects (big and small), frequently had dinner with my family and he became a member of my family. I hope he knew the place he held in our hearts. He meant the world to all of us.

Kelly Robbins-Cripe

Kelly - August 06, 2020 at 09:17 PM