



Columbus "Abbott" Abbott

November 16, 1942 - November 30, 2020

Columbus "Abbott" Abbott, 78, of Indianapolis, passed away November 30, 2020. He was born November 16, 1942 in Albany, KY, to the late Ted and Pearl Abbott. Abbott proudly served his country in the U.S. Marine Corps. He married Betty L. Boal, February 12, 1983, and was employed with International Harvester (now Navistar) for 39 years, retiring in 2004. Abbott loved working on his hobbies and putting a smile on people's faces.

Abbott is survived by his loving wife of 37 years, Betty L. Abbott; daughters, Angela Abbott and Denise Manley; grandchildren, Andrea Abbott, Alex Manley, Brooke Gordon and Jaylan White; great-grandchildren, Apollo Pernell, Theo Pernell and Addalyn Manley; and sister, Christine Abbott. He was preceded in death by two brothers, Penny and Kenneth Abbott; and two sisters, Wilmirth Marley and Sallie Johnson. No funeral services will be held. Final care and arrangements are entrusted to Shirley Brothers Washington Memorial Chapel.

Cemetery Details

Anderson Cemetery

6380 E. 10th St.
Indianapolis, IN 46219

Tribute Wall

DM

“ He was the greatest man. He was my stepdad. But in my heart he was my dad. He gave me away at my wedding. He was the grandfather to my 3 children, and to my granddaughter. He loved my mom (his muffin top) like no other. They were truly soul mates. My heart hurts for her. But I know that he is watching down on all of us, especially my sister Angie. Love you Abbott we miss you. Denise Manley

Denise Manley - December 05, 2020 at 04:21 PM

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“ If my memory serves me correctly, Columbus was in my freshman class at Manual High School. I remember him for his contagious smile. My thoughts and prayers are with his family.

Bob Foley

Bob Foley - December 03, 2020 at 10:56 AM

DA

“ Betty, I am so sorry to hear of Columbus' passing. He will be truly missed. He worked for me at Navistar spotting trailers in shipping/receiving. He was a true pleasure to be around. I'll miss him at the union meetings - if we ever have one again.

Diane Atkins

Diane Atkins - December 03, 2020 at 09:03 AM