



## Frederick J. Gallico

September 12, 1957 - June 25, 2014

56, of Indianapolis, passed away June 25, 2014. He was born September 12, 1957 in Elmhurst, IL, to Fred and Stella Borek Gallico. Frederick was in radio sales for 17 years, most recently with Continental Broadcast Group. He played the guitar in a band called the Verdibyrd; and was also the owner of FJG Photography.

Visitation will be Sunday, June 29, 2014 from 4:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m. at Shirley Brothers Fishers-Castleton Chapel, 9900 Allisonville Rd. with funeral services Monday at 11:00 a.m.

Fred is survived by his sons, Timothy J. and Nicholas W. Gallico; parents, Frederick and Stella Gallico; and siblings, Glenn Gallico, Beverly Sigler, David Gallico, Daniel Gallico and Terri Penas.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUN **29**. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Shirley Brothers Fishers-Castleton Chapel  
9900 N. Allisonville Road  
Fishers, IN 46038  
(317) 841-7878  
info@shirleybrothers.com  
<https://www.shirleybrothers.com>

## Funeral Service

JUN **30**. 11:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

DD

“ I worked with Fred at McCloud Service for 10 years. He was a gifted sales professional, had a wit & humor that was intelligent and "lightning fast" He was a devoted friend, colleague and committed to family & friends!  
Rest in Peace my good friend,  
Doug Dvorak

doug dvorak - July 04, 2014 at 03:48 PM



Thank you Doug.

Nick Gallico - July 16, 2014 at 11:12 PM

MW

“ I have cut your hair, every 2 weeks, on Saturday @ 11:00 for the last 10 years. We have shared many laughs, many tears, and oh so many stories. Sometimes I counseled you, and many times you counseled me. We talked about anything and everything. You captured some of the most beautiful pictures of the ones I love the most. You were far more than just a client. You were a dear friend to me, and I love you. I can't believe I am never going to see your face or hear your kind voice, or laugh at your sarcasm ever again. My heart is filled with sadness beyond words. I'm going to miss you terribly. RIP my dear friend, Fred Gallico. I Love you man

Michelle Watson - July 01, 2014 at 09:42 PM



Thank you for the great words. I apologize again you didn't know of the services.

Nick Gallico - July 02, 2014 at 08:09 PM

AC

“ Fred was one of the funniest, most ambitious and lovable guys I've ever met. You had to be quick to catch up with him because he was always one or two steps ahead of you metaphorically and literally. He couldn't sit still long as there was too much life to be lived out there. I think he spent the majority of his free time studying the craft of photography and waiting for equipment to go on sale on Ebay for just the right price from China. He couldn't wait to "go out and shoot...anything, let's just go shoot" he would always say. Passing his endless growing knowledge to Kim and I is a priceless gift we will always cherish. While out shooting together in our studio, downtown, in broad ripple, at Ft Ben Harrison State Park we talked about love, religion, our childhood, music...no topic was off limits. Fred is the closest thing to a brother Kim and I will ever have. I am blessed to have had him as a friend and brother from another mother for the far too short time we had. Love you, Fred, with everything I got!

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**Amy Castillo** - June 29, 2014 at 08:03 PM

 Nick Gallico

Thank you. And you are right. He always found awesome deals on anything! I wish I had that trait of his. :). Thank you for being there for Tim and I.

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**Nick Gallico** - July 02, 2014 at 08:11 PM

TN

“ Dear Family,  
My path crossed Fred's when I joined the Indy Chamber membership sales team in September of 2013. Fred was the person who spent the most time with me. He was incredibly giving, thoughtful, smart and inclusive. He shared all kinds of information to help get me acclimated. Fred took me on sales calls, took me to lunch and did just about anything he could do to help. We became fast friends and I will always be grateful for the way he extended himself to help the new kid. I remember him as kind, gentle, hardworking, honest, committed and fun to be with. Please know that Fred, along with all of you, are in my prayers. May Peace and Grace be with you all. Toni Neely

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**Toni Neely** - June 29, 2014 at 04:57 PM

 Nick Gallico

*Thanks for the kind words Toni.*

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**Nick Gallico** - July 02, 2014 at 08:11 PM

MD

“ What does it say about our friendship that we worked with each other at *THREE DIFFERENT* Radio Companies? I was usually asked to leave. Fred never wore out his welcome anywhere because he was a good team member....a good man to have around. He didn't divide staffs or argue about accounts or fixate on petty things. He built relationships with people and tried to make things better. Tried to help many around him.

....Big or small – he was there for me as a friend.

....You will see Fred's face in your mind or hear his voice in your head and you will smile. You hear a guitar riff or see an awesome photograph...there's Fred. We search for comfort knowing we are better people for having spent time with him and richer to have shared in both his passions and his fears. Although we will miss him greatly, we are better and happier humans for having known him.

*Michael Davidson*

<http://wmichaeldavidson.wordpress.com/2014/06/29/remembering-fred-gallico/>

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**Michael Davidson** - June 29, 2014 at 12:34 PM

TG

*That was absolutely beautiful! That touched me in many, many ways. Great tribute. Those are the things that help my brother and I smile. Well said. Thank you.*

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**Tim Gallico** - June 30, 2014 at 08:40 AM

 Nick Gallico

*I agree with Tim. Thank you.*

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**Nick Gallico** - July 02, 2014 at 08:12 PM



“ 4 files added to the album Memories Album



**Shirley Brothers Mortuaries & Crematory** - June 28, 2014 at 09:55 AM

TG

*My father was the greatest friend and dad a person could want. He sincerely loved and cared about his family and friends. he will be more than greatly missed. I love you and thank you for the wonderful man you made me today. you had a great run dad....*

*Tim*

**Tim Gallico** - June 28, 2014 at 10:25 AM

MD

*He was proud of you boys, too. Our hearts are heavy as we share your loss.*

**Michael Davidson** - June 29, 2014 at 12:47 PM

JD

*Your father was one of my first guitar teachers back in Pekin, Illinois. He was always so patient and friendly. Really wanted you to learn and it showed. Sad day when he quit teaching. Even sadder day now. So sorry for your loss. May you and your family find comfort and peace during this time. God bless you all.*

**Jeff Van Dyke** - August 26, 2015 at 06:54 PM

BJ

“ Fred has been one of my best friends and colleague for the last dozen+ years. When I started at WFMS, he approached me in my first few days of working there (maybe the first day) and asked me to join a group for lunch. We hit it off immediately, and became fast friends. That's who Fred was; always inclusive, ready with a smile and a laugh. Through the years, we shared a ton of great times - whether it was the birth of my son, career transitions, good times, tough times...we were always there for each other. I loved playing music with him and I will always cherish the memories we created with the Verdibyrd, many of which are not for public consumption. There is truly something missing in the world without Fred here, but I guarantee he is with our Lord, and bugging the crap out of Jimi Hendrix to teach him that chord that he couldn't quite figure out. I will love Freddy G until the day I die, and then I'll party my ass off with him when we meet again. God bless Timmy and Nick...he was so proud of you both and you can be proud of him.

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**Brady Jacoba** - June 27, 2014 at 11:09 PM

TG

Thank you Brady, those memories of you guys rocking out, will always leave a smile on me no matter what. Thanks for being a great friend to my dad. Sorry for your loss as well.

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**Tim Gallico** - June 28, 2014 at 10:42 AM

AC

Brady, it's been 3 days. Fred has that chord down to a science by now. Loved your tribute, Buddy!

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**Amy Castillo** - June 29, 2014 at 10:51 PM