



Walter Reid Lessenberry

November 12, 1950 - January 19, 2022

Walter Reid Lessenberry,

71 of Indianapolis, Indiana, passed away January 19, 2022. He was born in Indianapolis to the late Walter, Jr. and Herta Lessenberry. Walter was a graduate of Downers Grove Community High School North. He retired from Advocate Good Samaritan Hospital in Downers Grove, where he had been employed in the Hospital Environmental Services Division for 39 years. Walter was a member of Gloria Dei Lutheran Church for 50 years, where he enjoyed fellowship and sharing his faith with fellow members.

Walter enjoyed a variety of interests. His love for travel led him to faraway locations that included the Holy Lands and various locations throughout the United States and Europe. He loved sports and was an avid Chicago Bears and Chicago White Sox fan. In his younger days he was often seen out on the ice all day, playing goalie in the neighborhood hockey games, or tossing a softball in the backyard with his siblings. Music played a large role in his life, and Walter enjoyed listening and collecting all genres of music, with Country and Western and Gospel tunes topping the list. Above all else, Walter cherished the time he spent embracing his faith each day. After reading the Bible, he was always eager to share it with others.

A Celebration of Life service will be held in May, 2022 at Adams-Winterfield & Sullivan Funeral Home, 4343 Main Street, Downers Grove, IL 60515, date and time to be determined.

Walter is survived by his siblings, Gary (Debbie) Lessenberry, Cynthia Eros

and Jeffrey (Glenn) Lessenberry; nieces, Victoria Lessenberry, Melissa Lessenberry and Rebecca (Michael) Parker; and great-nieces and nephew, Sofia, Charles and Annaliah. He is preceded in death by the love of his life, Cathleen Sheffer.

Memorial contributions are suggested to Lambs Farm, 14245 West Rockland Road, Libertyville, IL 60048 and/or Ray Graham Associates, 901 Warrenville Road, Lisle, IL 60532.

Tribute Wall

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“ *I lived on the same street as Walter, he would walk with me home from school every now and then. He was such a sweet and gentle boy. I always enjoyed our walks.
I will always remember him fondly. May he Rest In Peace.
Condolences to his family. He will surely be missed.*
Terri (Godfrey) Chaney

Terri Chaney - June 14, 2022 at 09:26 AM

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Gary Lessenberry - January 27, 2022 at 11:02 PM

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“ I work with Walter's sister Cynthia. I didn't know him personally, but what I did know about him that he was a wonderful big brother and a very good hearted person. He loved his family and was a good and faithful Christian man. He loved his daily walks, as well as meeting and greeting people everyday along the way. He was also very loved by his brothers and sister. I know this is a hard time, but hang on to the happy memories and the funny stories those are the things that will warm your hearts forever and make you smile. Rest in peace Walter.

My thoughts and prayer are with your entire family. God bless you all. You had a very special brother that made a lasting impression, impact and different in your lives. May his memory live on forever in your hearts.

*Diane T.
Indianapolis, IN*

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