



Mr. Gary E. Barringer

January 16, 1943 - June 2, 2018

Gary E. Barringer, 75 passed away at his home on June 2, 2018 with his family by his side. Gary was born to Paul Barringer and Helen Griffith in Waverly, New York. After graduating from high school, he enlisted into the Air Force where his career in law enforcement began with the 7544 Air Police Squadron. He was stationed in Toul-Rosieres Air Base, France during the Berlin Crisis. After leaving France, he was transferred to Chanute Air Force Base, Illinois from 1964-1966. He received an honorable discharge in 1966 and moved to Mobile, Alabama where he started his civilian career in law enforcement with the Mobile Police Department. In 1967, Gary accepted a Security Officer position with Wackenhut Corporation at the Kennedy Space Center for a short period of time. His career with the Brevard County Sheriff's Department started in 1968. He rose through the ranks from road patrol to Commander. He received numerous awards during his career and was named Florida Police Officer of the Year 1972. While working full-time, he obtained his AS Degree from Brevard Junior College. In 1976, Gary received his Bachelor of Arts Degree in Criminal Justice from Florida Technological University currently known as University of Central Florida. He was also a graduate of the FBI Academy in 1979. He served the citizens of Brevard County until he retired in 1995.

Gary was preceded in death by his son, Michael, his parents, Paul and Helen, his sister, Patty and his brothers, Paul, Donnie and DuWayne. He is survived

by his wife, Geri, his daughter, Sharon Pack and her husband, Jeff, his son Chris Parsons and his wife, Lori, his sister, Jackie Ayres and his brother, Lynn Barringer and his wife, Roxie. He is also survived by his grandchildren, Ashley and Tom Becker, Jaclyn Pack (Dexter), Karen and Tyrell Cook, Ethan and Noah Parsons and Kyra Marcellino. And he is also survived by two great-grandchildren, Caden and Mariah Cook.

The Celebration of Life will be held Friday, June 8th at the Police Hall of Fame in Titusville, Florida. Visitation will begin at 2:00pm with the celebration service beginning at 2:30pm. If you have a "Gary Barringer" story, be prepared to share it. Interment will be at the Cape Canaveral National Cemetery at a later date.

In lieu of flowers, family requests donations to either Hospice of St. Francis, 1250-B Grumman Place, Titusville, Florida 32780 or the Central Brevard Humane Society, 1020 Cox Road, Cocoa, Florida 32926.

Police Hall of Fame, Titusville, Florida. Funeral arrangements will be handled by Funeral Solutions.

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 8. 2:00 PM - 2:30 PM (ET)

American Police Hall of Fame
6350 Horizon Drive
Titusville, FL 32780
(321) 264-0911

Celebration of Life

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Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Gary E. Barringer*

January 30, 2023 at 03:36 AM



“ *Thought of you today Gary.
Linda Dankowsk*



Libda Dankowski Ciolfi - August 01, 2018 at 09:22 AM



“ *So very sorry to hear of the loss of Gary. I still think of him as that young deputy who first worked for Leigh Wilson. He was always one of my favorites. Carol (Carter) Shaffer*

Carol Carter Shaffer - June 07, 2018 at 10:25 AM



“ *With Deepest Sympathy, Marie Ball Peterson and Family*

Jean Breemen - June 06, 2018 at 07:54 PM



“ *Chrissy lit a candle in memory of Mr. Gary E. Barringer*



Chrissy - June 05, 2018 at 11:48 AM