



## John "Greg" Gregory McCollum

July 28, 1958 - April 15, 2009

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Tucson, Arizona-John 'Greg' Gregory McCollum, age 50, of Tucson, Arizona, formerly of Kansas, Illinois, passed away at 11:45 a.m., Wednesday, April 15, 2009, at St. Joseph's Hospital in Tucson. The funeral service in his honor will begin at 11:00 a.m., Thursday, at Mitchell-Jerdan Funeral Home, 1200 Wabash Avenue, Mattoon, IL 61938, with Reverend Pat Murphy officiating. Visitation will be held Wednesday evening from 5:00-8:00 p.m., also at the funeral home. Greg was born July 28, 1958, in Evansville, Indiana, the son of James E. and Marylyn J. (Rumley) McCollum. He married Cheryl 'Cherie' Lynn Masulis on February 7, 1977, in Danville, Illinois. Greg is survived by his mother, Marylyn; his loving wife, Cherie; their children: Jessica McCollum (Yolanda Young) of Tucson, AZ; and Jeremy (Jenny) McCollum of Tucson, AZ; four brothers: Jeffery Edwin McCollum of Paris, IL; James Mark McCollum of Altamont, IL; Joseph Bradley (Lisa) McCollum of Oakland, IL; and Jackie Randy McCollum of Paris, IL; three brothers in-law: Tom (Glenda) Masulis of Tucson, AZ; Charles (Lori) Masulis of Mattoon, IL; and David (Molly) Masulis of Mattoon, IL. He leaves three grandchildren: Tristen, John, and Jada, all of Tucson, Arizona; several nieces and nephews; and several great nieces and great nephews. He was preceded in death by his father. Greg was a former employee of Trailmobile in Charleston, Illinois. His hobbies included woodworking, camping, and hunting with his father and brothers. Greg was a wonderful husband and loving father, a devoted son, loyal brother and doting grandpa.

He cherished his family and treasured his friends. \r\nPlease visit [www.mitchell-jerdan.com](http://www.mitchell-jerdan.com) to light a virtual candle in his honor or share a memory with his family. \r\n

# Tribute Wall



“ John "Greg" Gregory McCollum

October 08, 2023 at 07:40 PM



“ My Parents and Greg's Parents were friends, therefore all of us kids became friends.\r\n\r\nI have good memories growing up this family and the McCollum boys. Greg and I were the same age so we seemed to hang out together.\r\n\r\nMy heart goes out to the entire family.\r\n\r\nFondlys Yours,\r\nMichelle Jones

Michelle Cummings ( Jones ) - May 22, 2009 at 02:12 PM



“ My dear friend Marylyn, we are heartbroken to hear this news. I had no idea anything was wrong just knew you spent the winter with him. I remember when our children were little and played together.\r\n\r\nI will be giving you a call. God love you all.\r\n\r\nWith all our love Pat & Bill

Pat & Bill Perkins - May 21, 2009 at 03:49 PM



“ We was so sorry to hear about Greg.Our Hearts go out to his family.He was such a good man helped everyone an any one he could.His life ended way to soon.But his memorys with us will live in us forever.\r\n\r\n

Fraya&Jackie Vaughan - May 03, 2009 at 09:17 PM

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“ *Marylyn: So sorry to read about Greg. I am sick & can't make it to visitation & service. I am keeping you and your family in my prayers.*

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**joan Stuckey-Etherton** - April 22, 2009 at 09:36 AM