



Lowell Lee Keplar

October 7, 1948 - September 15, 2016

Mattoon, IL – Lowell “Lee” Keplar, age 67, of Mattoon, IL, passed away at 1:17 p.m., Thursday, September 15, 2016, at Mattoon Rehabilitation and Health Care Center.

Services in his honor will be held Saturday, October 1st at 9:30am at the Maranatha Baptist Church 3400 Dewitt. The family is being assisted by Mitchell-Jerdan Funeral Home, located at 1200 Wabash Avenue, Mattoon, IL 61938.

Born October 7, 1948, in Effingham, IL, Lee was the son of Frank E. and Ivy L. (Graham) Keplar. He married Judy Ann Smith on September 17, 1976, in Mattoon. She survives. Other survivors include two sons, Stanley “Paul” Giberson and wife Michelle of Gays, IL, and James “Jim” Giberson of Mattoon, IL; one sister, Brenda Kay Keplar; and one grandson, Tyler Giberson of Gays, IL. He was preceded in death by his parents; and step-father, Ronald Clem “RC” Carter.

Lee was a member of the Maranatha Baptist Church. Prior to his retirement in 2005, Lee had been employed with Mattoon Auto Salvage Towing and Recovery for 30 years and Sears Automotive Center for 10 years.

In his free time, Lee enjoyed restoring cars, car shows, and anything having to do with cars. He especially enjoyed sharing his love of cars with his grandson, Tyler, and taking him to car shows.

Please visit www.mitchell-jerdan.com or www.facebook.com/mitchelljerdanfuneralhome to light a virtual candle in his honor or share a memory with his

family.

Tribute Wall



“ *Lowell Lee Keplar*

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“ *Paul and Jim we are sorry for your loss. Lee was a very nice person. We became friends because my parents lived next door. The kepler/ giberson family are the sweetest neighbors anyone could ask for. God bless your whole family and all your loved ones.love and prayers, Becky & Maurice Craig, pesha & Thomas Woodard.*

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