

IN LOVING MEMORY

Gary "Ya Ya" Maas

Born

August 28, 1952 ~ Watertown, Minnesota

Died

March 23, 2019 ~ St. Cloud, Minnesota

Service

Karvonen Funeral Home ~ Wadena, Minnesota
Monday, April 1, 2019 ~ 11:00 a.m.

Clergy

Pastor Nate Loer

Pallbearers

Taylor Maas ~ Tucker Maas ~ Derek Reger
Daniel Reger ~ Mike Kneisl ~ Adam Roth

Military Honors

Elmer Goche V.F.W. Post 3922

Survived By

His companion of 13 years, Susan Reger;
daughter Tammy (Eric) Clausen; son Michael (Kori)
Maas; 3 grandchildren; 3 sisters: Kathy (Leon) Krone;
Susan (Neil) DeMaras; Cecila (Randy) Kottke; 2 brothers:
Tom and Kevin ; many other relatives and friends.

Laid to Rest

Minnesota Veteran's Cemetery ~ Camp Ripley
Little Falls, Minnesota

Gary Charles Maas was born to Lloyd and Viola (Otto) Maas on August 29, 1952 in Watertown, Minnesota. After high school graduation, Gary honorably served in the United States Marines from 1970 to 1971. He enjoyed buying and selling cattle when he resided in southern Minnesota, before moving to Hewitt, MN. Gary was also employed as an over-the-road semi driver. He has resided in Hewitt, Minnesota for the last 20 years.

Gary loved fishing, deer hunting, carpentry, and gardening. Among the many things he enjoyed were working/training his horses, either horse & buggy or skidding logs with his horses. Gary passed away Saturday, March 23, 2019 at St. Cloud VA Hospital, St. Cloud, Minnesota.

Gary is preceded in death by his parents and his brother Mike.



Remember

Fill not your heart with pain and sorrow,
but remember me in every tomorrow.
Remember the joy, the laughter, the smile.
I've only gone to rest for a little while.
Although my leaving causes pain and grief,
my going has eased my hurt and given me relief.
So dry your eyes and remember me,
not as I am now, but as I used to be.
Because I will remember you all,
and look on with a smile.
Understand in your hearts,
I've only gone to rest for a little while.

