



Gary Foringer

April 27, 1945 - April 14, 2014

Gary “Butch” Foringer, 68, of Sligo, passed away on Monday, April 14, 2014, at the Allegheny General Hospital in Pittsburgh.

Born April 27, 1945 in Porter Township, he was the son of Henry and Alice Miller Foringer.

Butch was a 1963 graduate of Redbank Valley High School.

A veteran, he served in the Army from 1969 to 1971.

He was married on December 23, 1969 to the former Yvonne E. Simpson, and she survives.

Butch first worked for Gourley Meat Packing. He later worked for Karl Drilling and Adobe Mining. He retired as the head dispatcher at Air Ground Express.

He was a member of the Immaculate Conception Church in Clarion and was also a member of the Knights of Columbus #7549.

Butch loved to hunt, build things, and his dog, Lily. He enjoyed planting trees and spending time with his children and grandchildren. He was a Mr. Fix It.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by three children, Ryan G. Foringer and his wife, Kimberly, of New Bethlehem, Alisha Y. Foringer and her fiancé, John Shumaker, of Rimersburg, and Natalie R. Foringer and her fiancé, Brian Hathaway, of Sligo; and four grandchildren, Madison Foringer, Mackenzie Foringer, Maxton Foringer, and Kassia Hathaway.

Also surviving are two brothers, Ronald Foringer and wife, Janet, of New Bethlehem, and Richard Foringer and wife, Verna Lee, of New Bethlehem; brothers-in-law, Robert P. "Bob" Simpson and his wife, Georgia, of Sligo, and Bryant Santini and his wife, Karen, of Arizona; a sister-in-law, Carol Foringer; and a number of nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents and a brother, Donald Foringer; a granddaughter, Arianna Foringer; and mother-in-law, Yvette Santini.

Family will receive friends from 2 to 4 p.m. and 7 to 9 p.m. on Thursday, April 17, 2014, at the Robert V. Burns Funeral Home, 638 Wood Street, Clarion.

Funeral services will be held at 10 a.m. on Friday, April 18, 2014, in the funeral home with Rev. Monty Sayers, pastor of the Immaculate Conception Church, officiating.

Interment will be held in the Immaculate Conception Cemetery.

Memorials and donations can be made to the Clarion Forest VNA, 271 Perkins Road, Clarion PA 16214; or to the American Heart Association, 5455 N. High Street,

Columbus OH 43214.

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Tribute Wall

PK

“ *Yovonne and family, we send our deepest sympathy and prayers.*

peach king - April 24, 2014 at 12:00 AM

SD

“ *My deepest sympathies to you and your family, Yvonne. If there's anything I can do, or you just want to talk or have lunch one day, please let me know. Ken sends his sympathies as well.*

Sharon Daugherty - April 17, 2014 at 12:00 AM

GM

“ *We are so sad that Butch has left this world to be with God. He will be dearly missed by so many. He was a great guy in every sense of the phrase. His mother-in-law, my aunt Yvette, loved him like another son and came to depend on his goodness. We wish we could be there to extend comfort to the rest of the family but we are in Texas this week to spend time with our daughter Maria and her family for Easter. Please know that Butch is in God's loving embrace.*

Gary & Nicki McAninch - April 17, 2014 at 12:00 AM

JW

“ *We are sending our condolences to the family. Gary was a dear and true friend. He will be sadly missed.*

Jeff & Kathy Wells - April 17, 2014 at 12:00 AM

LP

“ sorry about the loss of your husband and father.he was a wonderful person ..he will truly be missed by all...thought and prayers are with the family at this time...god bless you all...

linda preston - April 17, 2014 at 12:00 AM

MW

“ PLEASE ACCEPT OUR SINCERE SYMPATHY

BOBBY & SHERRY WYNKOOP

MR & MRS ROBERT WYNKOOP - April 16, 2014 at 12:00 AM

RW

“ *Dear Yvonne & Family:
You have our Deepest Sympathy on the loss of your Husband,
Father, Grandfather. We will keep all of you in our prayers!*

Regis & Pat Walters - April 16, 2014 at 12:00 AM

MP

“ *I am so sorry for your loss. He was like a second dad to me. You guys are my second family if there is anything you need please let me know. He will definitely be missed. Prayers and Hugs to you at the difficult time.*

Marcie Parks - April 15, 2014 at 12:00 AM