



Larry L. Gerlach

January 10, 2024

On Wednesday, January 10, 2024, Larry L. Gerlach, 77, of Lancaster, was welcomed into the presence of his Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. Born in East Petersburg, he was the son of the late Albert S. and Leona G. Gerlach.

Larry retired from LSWMA as equipment and maintenance manager after many years of employment.

He is survived by Sandi, his wife of 54 years, two children, Vanessa Chamberlain (Marc) and Troy Gerlach (Jaimie) and five wonderful grandchildren, Logan, Gavin, Paige, Andrew and Emma. Siblings Dolly Barr (John) and Audrey Martin (John) and a sister-in-law, Denise Bonner (Richie) of North Carolina.

Larry was a big man with an even bigger heart, loving and cherishing his wife, children, and grandchildren. Although he suffered much during the last months of his life, he rarely complained.

Larry enjoyed NASCAR, bowling, riding his Harley and most of all his favorite college football team, the University of Alabama Crimson Tide.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend Larry's Memorial Service at Trinity United Church of Christ, 2340 State Street, East Petersburg, PA 17520 on

Monday, January 22, 2024 at 11:00 a.m. with the Rev. Dr. Christopher Rankin officiating. The family will receive friends from 10:00 a.m. until the time of service.

In lieu of flowers, contributions in Larry's name may be sent to the University of Alabama Scholarship Fund, Box 870343, Tuscaloosa, Alabama 35487-0343.

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN **22**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Trinity United Church of Christ
2340 State Street
East Petersburg, PA

Memorial Service

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Tribute Wall

BF

“ Sandie Ken and I are so sadden to hear about Larry He was so sweet May the Heavely Father watch over you and your family wish I knew your cell number

Beverly Fry - January 21, 2024 at 05:08 PM

MN

“ We were saddened to learn of Larry’s passing and are carrying your family in our thoughts and prayers at this difficult time.
Tobe Rohrer and family

Mary Neville - January 20, 2024 at 08:55 PM

RF

“ I met Larry and Sandy when I was just nine years old when my parents & I moved to Pennsylvania . Larry & Sandy were our landlords & became like family to me. I babysat Vanessa & Troy, while Larry and Sandy were like a big brother and big sister to me. I tried to reach out via Facebook without success.
May the Love & peace of Christ be with you all during this time.
With Love, thoughts & Prayers
Ruthie (Tetlow)Fellenbaum

Ruth Tetlow Fellenbaum - January 19, 2024 at 08:57 AM

AF

“ I worked as a vendor with Larry for many years. With the many years of working together, I was blessed to become a friend and a sister in Christ with Sandi and got to know Venessa and Troy. Larry and Sandi shared in both births of my children with love and support.

I had attempted to locate you on FB with no avail.

I have kept Larry in my prayers and that he would receive Jesus as his Lord and Savior. My heart is tenderly warmed with knowing that he did and that he is in heaven. God is so good!

Please know that I share in your sorrow and that I wish you all peace.

Very truly,

Audrea L. Fuhrman

Audrea L. Fuhrman - January 18, 2024 at 10:45 AM

HG

“ I'm so very sorry to hear about the passing of Larry. He was such a kind, caring and personable neighbor who always had a smile and a kind word to share. May you rest in peace my friend.

Harry Goodman - January 17, 2024 at 03:12 PM