



Gerald T. "BB" "Jerry" Garbin

November 17, 1952 - October 9, 2021

Gerald T. "Jerry" "BB" Garbin, 68, of St. Albans passed away Saturday, October 9, 2021 at his residence with his family by his side.

He was born in Turtle Creek, PA to the late Jordan F. Garbin and Norma Jean Stead. He was also preceded in death by his brothers, John and Joseph Garbin; Maternal grandparents, Harry and Gertrude Stead; paternal grandparents, Peter and Ann Garbin.

Jerry retired from Central Machine Shop, South Charleston with 28 years of service.

His hobbies and interests were an avid scroll saw worker, baseball coach and a FIFA certified Soccer Referee. He was an Eagle Scout, Cub and Boy Scout Adult Leader, loved to sing and was Choir Boy of the Year Pittsburgh Diocese 1966, avid Steeler Football Fan.

Surviving are his loving wife of 36 years, Rita A. Prosser Garbin; sons, Jeremy Garbin (Denise) of Cape Coral, FL. and Jason Garbin (Lana) of Cross Lanes; grandchildren, Cobey Garbin (Starla) of Fairmont, WV, Ariel Garbin of Cape Coral, FL., Robbie Garbin of Cross Lanes, WV., Jessa Holton of Cross Lanes, WV., and great grandson, Roman Garbin of Fairmont, WV., sister, Carol Chandler (Barry) of Rincon, GA., brothers, Jordan Garbin of White Oak, PA., Fred Garbin (Debbie) of Myrtle Beach, SC., and Lou Garbin (Lisa) of Murrysville, PA., numerous nieces, nephews and cousins.

While there will be no service of visitation there will be a celebration of his life at a later date.

In lieu of flowers the family suggests donations to the American Cancer Society, In Memory of Gerald T. Garbin, PO Box 22718, Oklahoma City, OK 73123-1718.

You may visit Jerry's tribute page at BartlettNicholsFuneralHome.com to share memories or condolences with the family.

Bartlett-Nichols Funeral Home, family owned and located at 409 Sixth Ave., St. Albans is

honored to serve the Garbin family.

Tribute Wall

CC

“ *BB was my baby brother. We fought like cats and dogs but we would do anything for each other right down to BB dressing up and playing house with me since I was one of the only girls on our street! Love to Rita and family in West Virginia and Florida. I will miss him terribly but take solace in the fact that he has been reunited with our dear mother and Gram.*

Carol Chandler - October 13, 2021 at 08:50 AM

RG

Thank you Sis, I love you both!

Rita Garbin - October 18, 2021 at 12:50 PM

DM

“ *We meant Jerry a long time ago. He was such a wonderful friend and he will be missed. Love to Jerry family they were his life.
Rest In Peace*

David and Jane McIlwain - October 12, 2021 at 05:32 PM

RG

Thank you so much

Rita Garbin - October 18, 2021 at 12:48 PM

BK

“ *My heart is heavy for the loss of your loved one. May God grant you peace and rest during this most difficult time. My prayers and thoughts are with you.*

Billie Kirk - October 12, 2021 at 12:23 PM

RG

Thank you

Rita Garbin - October 18, 2021 at 12:49 PM

MS

“ *So sorry to hear of Jerry's passing. sending love, hug's and prayers!*

Marti Smith - October 12, 2021 at 07:15 AM

RG

Thank you

Rita Garbin - October 18, 2021 at 12:50 PM

ED

“ Oddly enough my first memory of Jerry is that him and his sister Carol Grace were my very first babysitting job. He was a ball of fire, always on the move even though their place was not overly large he managed to cover every bit of it. I got to visit him & Rita at their home and had a wonderful time. I also have several items that he made and I will treasure them always. I will miss you cuz!!

Eileen "Jones" Dooley - October 11, 2021 at 11:17 PM

RG

Thank you Cuz. ❤️🙏

Rita Garbin - October 12, 2021 at 07:09 AM

SB

“ Uncle Jerry married my aunt Rita on a cold wet night. My sister Jason Jeremy had to prank them with their new car. Rolled it in plastic wrap the covered it wet leaves. Jerry was not happy to our faces but many years later he told me one night as we sat up at my place talking about that night he walked back inside had to go away from everyone and laughed his butt off. He was funny that way. and I loved him for it. I'm gonna miss him love you Jerry

Steve prosser (bephiew) - October 11, 2021 at 06:33 PM

RG

Thanks so much for sharing this memory! I'm still mad at you guys for that. As my car was only 3 months old! Lol Not really? I love you Steve! 🙏❤️

Rita Garbin - October 12, 2021 at 07:11 AM

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“ Jerry was my neighbor back in the day on Stewart St, lost touch over the years until we connected on Facebook. Enjoyed catching up with our lives and our morning chats. Was so sorry to hear about all of his health issues and then to find out he had passed away. He was obviously much loved by many. My heartfelt sympathies to Rita and his family.

Linda Beveridge (Lang) - October 11, 2021 at 08:14 AM

CD

Worked with Jerry at AEP Central Machine Shop. Great guy. We were friends on Facebook in later years. So sorry for your loss. Prayes. Connie Dawson

Connie Dawson - October 11, 2021 at 10:52 AM

RG

Thank you for the kind words of comfort.

Rita Garbin - October 12, 2021 at 07:12 AM

GS

I was very saddened to hear about BB's passing. He was one of the first in our little 'Hood' to go to High School. We all looked up to him especially when he would tell us about High School. I will always remember the fun we had up on Stewart Street playing Release, Hide & Go Seek and sled riding down past his home in the winter. When I went back to an All Class HS reunion I was asking friends if anyone remembered BB Garbin. They said yes and he was there. I said "what" he's where. He's here. I said where and they pointed to other side of the building where I tracked him down. I finally caught up with him after all those years.

George E Smith - October 12, 2021 at 09:15 PM

DO

I knew Jerry for a long time we lived close to each other growing up & went to school together. He was such a good friend to everybody & really did care about his family & friends. It was sad to hear about his passing but at lease his cancer is gone & he's not in pain anymore either you surely be missed my friend & I hope your'll be R.I.P. My deepest sympathy being sent to Rita & Family!! Love, Donna Colmer Yutzzy

Donna - October 12, 2021 at 11:36 PM

RG

Thank you all for all the fond memories and kind words of comfort for me and my family! Jerry was a special guy. And I miss him dearly.

Rita Garbin - October 18, 2021 at 12:53 PM