



Joseph Edward Gilbert

March 17, 1959 - August 5, 2023

Joseph E. Gilbert, 64, of Rensselaer, IN, passed away on Saturday, August 5, 2023. Joseph was born in Rensselaer, IN, on March 17, 1959, the son of Joseph A. and Clara (Smith) Gilbert.

Joseph graduated from Rensselaer Central High School with the Class of 1977. He married Sandra E. Berna on September 2, 1977, in Reno, NV. Joseph worked as a Supervisor at Talbert Manufacturing for over thirty years. He enjoyed riding motorcycles and watching sports, especially the Chicago Bears. He also liked to read, particularly Stephen King novels. Above all, Joseph loved spending time with his family and grandchildren.

Joseph is survived by his loving wife of forty-five years, Sandra Gilbert; children, Brandon (Katheryn) Gilbert of Rensselaer, IN, Melissa (Dennis Jr.) Barnett of Rensselaer, IN, Kara (Tim) Lomax of Norfolk, VA; grandchildren, Kelsey, Kailey, Logan, Ethan, Brandon Jr., Joseph III, Brindi, Paige, Jacob, Ivy, Emmalynn, Corbin; mother, Clara Gilbert; sisters, Linda Gilmore of Knox, IN, Lisa Anderson of Dallas, TX.

Joseph was preceded in death by his father, Joseph.

Friends may call on the family on Saturday, August 12, 2023, from 9:00 AM to 11:00 AM CT at Jackson Funeral Chapel of Rensselaer. A funeral service will

be held immediately following at 11:00 AM CT with Pastor Jeremy Eisele officiating. Interment at Memory Gardens of Rensselaer.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Faith Pentecostal Church of God.

Cemetery Details

Memory Gardens of Rensselaer

Memory Gardens
Rensselaer, IN 47978
(219) 866-5125
info@jacksonfuneral.com

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 12. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Jackson Funeral Chapel of Rensselaer
250 N. McKinley Avenue
P.O. Box 70
Rensselaer, IN 47978
(219) 866-5123
info@jacksonfuneral.com
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Funeral Service

AUG 12. 11:00 AM (CT)

Jackson Funeral Chapel of Rensselaer
250 N. McKinley Avenue
P.O. Box 70
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Tribute Wall

KW

“ Prayers for Joe's family. So sorry for your loss and wishing you peace and strength.

Kim White - August 12, 2023 at 11:58 AM

DL

Hi, Kim, it's Dorrie. We were in Rensselaer for my cousin's funeral and have just returned home. Thank you for your prayers. Sorry we didn't get to see you. ❤️

Dorothy Gilbert Lefler - August 15, 2023 at 09:35 AM

JC

“ 1 file added to the album Tribute Video



Jackson Funeral Chapel - August 10, 2023 at 01:29 PM

SA

I'm so sorry I missed today. Fly high Eddie. I'll see you on the other side soon. Hugs and prayers for the family.

Sandra Gilbert Ainsworth - August 12, 2023 at 09:39 PM

TK

“ To the family. Wishing you comfort and peace to face the days ahead and loving memories to hold in your heart. We will miss you Eddie . Prayers for the family love, David and Teresa Kath.

teresa kath - August 08, 2023 at 06:02 PM

MB

Thank you so much! Love you guys

melissa Barnett - August 09, 2023 at 02:30 PM



“ *Brandy Luttrell lit a candle in memory of Joseph Edward Gilbert*



Brandy Luttrell - August 08, 2023 at 06:37 AM



I'm so very sorry Missy.....My thoughts and prayers are with all of you.

Brandy Luttrell - August 08, 2023 at 06:38 AM

MB

Thank you

melissa Barnett - August 08, 2023 at 05:02 PM

DL

“ *I knew my cousin as Eddie and he was very special to me!!! I am so sorry that his time on earth was short, but I'm very thankful that God placed him in our Gilbert Family and that we had the time together that we had. To Sandy, Sally, Linda, Lisa, Melissa, Brandon and Kara and all the others who knew and loved him I grieve with you, but I look forward to that big Gilbert Family Reunion when God reunites us all. Hang onto your memories of a special man and treasure them in your heart. Love you all ❤️!!!*

Dorothy Gilbert Lefler - August 08, 2023 at 12:28 AM

MB

Thank you! He sure did love all of his family! Was the most important thing to him. Love you

melissa Barnett - August 08, 2023 at 05:03 PM

JE

“ *Praying for Melissa & Dennis & their family. We love you! You are a very special family .God is right beside you holding you up.
John & Brenda Eisele*

John & Brenda Eisele - August 07, 2023 at 06:01 PM

MB

Thank you sister Brenda and brother John! You all have been the most amazing support and so thankful for you both! Love you!

melissa Barnett - August 07, 2023 at 11:11 PM

CW

So sorry

Carol Williams - August 09, 2023 at 03:56 PM

SB

“ *Sherri Bennett lit a candle in memory of
Joseph Edward Gilbert*



Sherri Bennett - August 07, 2023 at 04:44 PM

MB

Thank you

melissa Barnett - August 07, 2023 at 11:12 PM

CS

“ *Cindy Sheffer lit a candle in memory of Joseph Edward Gilbert*



Cindy Sheffer - August 07, 2023 at 03:12 PM

MB

Thank you so much

melissa Barnett - August 07, 2023 at 03:28 PM

SM

“ *I worked with Joe for 40 Years at Talbert Manufacturing. He was always a nice guy! He will be missed!!*

Sandy Miller - August 07, 2023 at 03:05 PM

MB

Thank you so much! My dad was one of a kind for sure.

melissa Barnett - August 07, 2023 at 03:29 PM

GM

Joe Gilbert, Was a great guy and good classmate of 1977. We have know each other since grade school through middle school and high school. Enjoyed many good times and laughs with Joe. Some in school - during band on brand trips and especially jazz band. Joe will be missed by me and sure many others.

Gerry Murray - August 07, 2023 at 08:01 PM