



Jerry Dean Evischi

August 8, 1937 - October 30, 2021

Left his earthly body on October 30, 2021 in Centralia at the age of 84. Born in Centralia on August 8, 1937, the son of Elda Wright Evischi and Ermando Ugo Evischi.

He married Andrea Moore on May 1, 1971.

Always the life of the party, he always had a magic trick, or joke for friends. His favorite pastimes included bocci ball, riding his Harley and playing golf. He will be sadly missed by all of his family and friends.

Jerry joined the US Navy, in Naval Aviation, in 1955 at the age of 17.

Following his service, he worked for IL Central Railroad and retired as a security guard at Kaskaskia Jr. College after 20 years. He was also a member of the Elks Club. Jerry is survived by his wife Andrea Evischi, daughter Lynn Rudy (Richard) of Flora, IL., son Bradley Thornhill (Patty) of Mt. Vernon, IL., son Connor Thornhill (Amy) of Miamisburg, OH., and daughter Rae Ann Quidgeon (Chris) of Centralia.

He was the best PeePaw to his many grandchildren: Ann, Autumn, David, Kate, Chase and Sailor, and great-grandchildren: Caleb, Lainy, Danielle, Gwen, Arya, Zander, Natalie, J.P., III, and Jon.

Jerry was preceded in death by his parents and his brother Donnie.

A Celebration of Life Service will be held at a later date. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to The Alzheimer's Association (Act.Alz.org) and will be accepted at the Sutherland-Garnier Funeral Home and Cremation Services at 235 North Sycamore Street Centralia, Illinois

62801, (618)532-3523, who is honored to be of service to the Evischi Family. Online condolences may be made to the family by visiting www.sutherlandfuneralhome.com and the Sutherland-Garnier Funeral Home Facebook Page.

Tribute Wall

CL

“ *Christy Lockwood lit a candle in memory of Jerry Dean Evischi*



Christy Lockwood - November 15, 2021 at 11:05 AM

SH

“ *So sorry for your loss. May God wrap His arms around you. Love you all. Dennis and Sue Hampsten and family*

sue hampsten - November 07, 2021 at 06:23 PM

RA

“ *Love you so much dad. Until we see you again*



Rae - November 06, 2021 at 10:27 PM

SL

“ *Andrea, Rae Ann. - So sorry to hear of Jerry's passing. Please know you are in our thoughts.*

Stacie , David Lashbrook - November 04, 2021 at 04:42 PM

WL

“ *Sorry to here about Jerry had great times with him Rick&Wendy Langford*

Winifred Langford - November 04, 2021 at 02:51 PM

MM

“ To all of Jerry’s family. My thoughts and prayers are with at this time. Always remember and share the good times, which I’m sure were many with others. I remember Jerry from the Bigger Jigger days and played several Bocci games e we other him. He was always a good guy. Mike Marcum Murfreesboro TN

Michael Marcum - November 04, 2021 at 10:39 AM

MM

Several Booci games with him.

Michael Marcum - November 04, 2021 at 10:41 AM

VM

“ Andrea,
You & your family are in my thoughts & prayers.
I have a lot of good memories of you both. ❤️



Val (Garren) Matthews - November 03, 2021 at 04:29 PM

JH

“ Prayers to the family, Robert and Janice Hagen

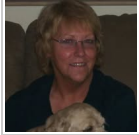
Janice Hagen - November 03, 2021 at 04:08 PM

BP

“ Prayers and Condolences to Everyone.
Brian & Tina Pieplow and family, Xenia IL



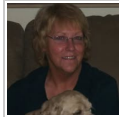
Brian & Tina Pieplow - November 03, 2021 at 01:40 PM



“ *Jan Edgar- Poehler lit a candle in memory of Jerry Dean Evischi*

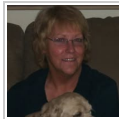


Jan Edgar- Poehler - November 02, 2021 at 07:44 PM



Good guy-Good friend!

Jan Edgar- Poehler - November 02, 2021 at 07:45 PM



My condolences to Andrea and family!!

Jan Edgar- Poehler - November 02, 2021 at 07:47 PM



Fond memories of Jerry at KC.

Jan Ripperda - November 02, 2021 at 10:11 PM



he was always fun to be around. great guy. he will be missed.

Bob Logullo - November 04, 2021 at 09:26 AM



“ *So sorry for your loss. Praying the wonderful memories help you through this difficult time.*

Melody Hirsch Moehle

Melody Moehle - November 02, 2021 at 09:32 AM

JH

“ So very sorry for your loss, Connor & Amy you and your family are in our thoughts and prayers.



Janet Finley - Huffman - November 02, 2021 at 03:10 AM

PB

“ I am so saddened by the passing of Jerry! My thoughts and Prayers to you, Andrea, and Rae and all the family!! Jerry was always such a kind and thoughtful man to me and many that I saw. God bless you, Andrea, for the wonderful care you gave him! Godspeed! 🙏💔😊

Peggy Myers Beal - November 01, 2021 at 09:39 PM

SS

“ Jerry and Andrea were some of my favorite people when I was a kiddo. They would frequent my parent's bar & always acted if seeing us little ones was the brightest spot in their day. I'm so sorry for your loss, he was a marvelous man.

Stacy Kretzer Shuler - November 01, 2021 at 07:11 PM

AF

“ Jerry was one of the best grandpas and fathers I've ever know. I'm so sorry to hear about his passing. The world will miss him so much until we see him again. So much love to this family during this painful time.

arica foltz - November 01, 2021 at 05:22 PM