



Gregory Len Dalton

November 20, 1958 - February 13, 2015

Great Husband, Dad, Papa and Friend

Gregory Len Dalton, 56, of Machesney Park died on February 13, 2015 in Rockford Memorial Hospital. Greg's final moments on earth were spent surrounded by the people he loved the most; his wife of 29 years, Donna, and his beloved daughters. Greg was born on November 20, 1958 in Rockford, son of Guthrie and Joy (Parsons) Dalton. Graduate of Auburn High School in 1976. He married the love of his life, Donna Glodo on September 7, 1985. He was employed at Amerock for 20 years. He was an all-around great guy, with an excellent sense of humor. He loved life, and could often be found belting out songs in the shower or handing out affectionate nicknames to the people in his world. It was rare to see Greg without one of his many ball caps in his huge collection. He was a huge NASCAR fan, and was also devoted to the Miami Dolphins and the Texas Longhorns. Survived by his wife, Donna; daughters, Amanda (Keith) Melvin of Marshfield, WI, Kelly (Ryan) Fagerstrom of Rockford, Krystal (fiancé Scott Doman) Dalton of Austin, TX; grandchildren, Sydney, Dalton and Sophia Melvin and Rylee Fagerstrom; Mother, Joy Dalton of Rockford; sister, Nancy (Rick) Jenkins of Roseville, CA; several cousins; special cousins, Rick and Stevie Dalton; special friends, Bernita Blozis, Debbie and Randy Huckabee and Chris and Jack Mandala; and his beloved dog, Charlie. Preceded in death by his father. Greg's family is thankful to Dr. Craig Rogers and the ICU Staff at RMH. Celebration of Life at 11 a.m. on Tuesday, February 17, 2015 at Heartland Community Church, 1280 South Alpine Rd. Rockford, with visitation at 9 a.m. until the time of service. Interment in Arlington Memorial Park on Wednesday, February 18, 2015 at 1 p.m. In lieu of flowers, memorials to the family. Grace Funeral & Cremation Services is assisting the family. To share a memory or condolence, visit www.graceFH.com.

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 17. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Heartland Community Church
1280 South Alpine Road
Rockford, IL

Celebration of Life

FEB 17. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Graveside Service

FEB 18. 1:00 PM (CT)

Arlington Memorial Park Cemetery
6202 Charles Street
Rockford, IL

Tribute Wall



“ Grace Funeral & Cremation Services created a Webcast in memory of Gregory Len Dalton



Grace Funeral & Cremation Services - February 20, 2015 at 11:04 AM

CL

“ We are so sorry to hear of Greg's passing. We were your next door neighbors on Towermont - the quieter ones :). The first year we moved in I mowed our yard with a push mower. The following spring, I think Greg took pity on me, and sold me his old rider at a great price. My mom and dad are still using that mower! I enjoyed looking at all of the pictures and hope that your memories bring you comfort. You are in our thoughts and prayers. Allan and Cathy Levandowski

Cathy Levandowski - February 17, 2015 at 11:14 PM

KA

“ KARLA lit a candle in memory of Gregory Len Dalton



KARLA - February 16, 2015 at 08:52 PM



“ 120 files added to the album LifeTributes



Grace Funeral & Cremation Services - February 16, 2015 at 01:36 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Gregory Len Dalton.



February 16, 2015 at 07:00 AM

BM

“ I remember when Greg and Donna were married and Amanda became part of our neighborhood family. Riding bikes and playing tag until one of our parents yelled for us. My memories of those years are some of the best of my life. When my mom passed in '88, the Dalton branch of the neighborhood family tree was a major pillar of support in my life. You are all wonderful people! My heart aches for you. I have no words or actions that will ease your sorrows. I can only say, from my experience, as time goes by, your focus will shift from the profound sense of loss to sharing fond memories and stories of the fun, crazy times you all had together.
Thinking of you all and saying a special little prayer for you, Amanda.

Becky (Coleman) Meyers - February 15, 2015 at 10:02 AM



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February 14, 2015 at 08:53 PM

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“ We remember Greg always working on his racing cars. Greg always had a smile on his face. Thinking of you all and remembering our time with Greg on Elinore Ave.

Alan and Jane Schuessler - February 14, 2015 at 06:43 PM



“ Be My Love Bouquet with Red Roses was purchased for the family of Gregory Len Dalton.



February 14, 2015 at 05:48 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Gregory Len Dalton.



February 14, 2015 at 02:33 PM