



## Richard "Rick" "Moonshine" Gasaway

January 28, 1951 - August 19, 2010

### Time Passes, Memories Remain

Richard "Rick" "Moonshine" Gasaway, 59 of Rockford died on Thursday, August 19, 2010 surrounded by his family. He was born on January 28, 1951 in Greencastle, IN, son of Malon and Catherine Gasaway. Rick was last employed as a sprinkler fitter. He served as an election judge, and was a member of ABATE, where he held several officer positions. He enjoyed teaching safety classes at local high schools, educating students on motorcycle awareness. Rick's favorite show was Star Trek. He read the Harry Potter books multiple times, and loved everything to do with flying, including building model rockets with his grandson, Evan. His favorite NASCAR driver was Kasey Kahne. Rick is survived by his brother, James Gasaway; sister, Linda York both of Rockford and was affectionately known as Papa Rick by his grandsons, Timothy (Chrissy) Fair of Cherry Valley and Jeremy Fair of Rockford, and their children and grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his grandparents, parents and brother in law, Reggie York.

A Celebration of Life Service will be held on Saturday, August 28, 2010 at 2 pm at Grace Funeral & Cremation Services, 1340 South Alpine Rd. Rockford, with visitation one hour prior to the time of service, followed by an open house at Rick's home, 4822 Sovereign Blvd. Rockford. Pastor Jeff Bergstrom, of Heartland Community Church will officiate. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the family. To share a memory or leave a condolence online, please visit [www.graceFH.com](http://www.graceFH.com).

# Cemetery Details

**Cremation Rites will be accorded**

# Tribute Wall



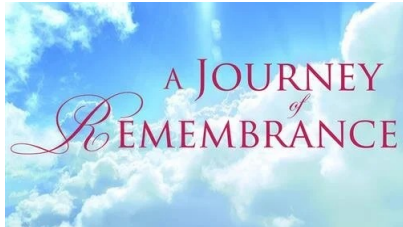
“ Grace Funeral & Cremation Services created a Webcast in memory of Richard "Rick" "Moonshine" Gasaway



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“ Grace Funeral & Cremation Services created a Tribute Video in memory of Richard "Rick" "Moonshine" Gasaway



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“ Rest in peace my friend, your tasks are now complete.  
Lynn Stewart

Peg Grieser - August 25, 2010 at 02:35 PM

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“ Good times, bad times; I guess I never threw our 11 years of marriage completely away. Rest in peace Dickie, it's been a rough road for you and it's time for you to be at rest. Give Ma a big hug from me. Peg

Peg Grieser - August 25, 2010 at 12:11 PM

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“ Rick, you considered me family even before you met me. You opened your home to me and bought me pizza! You and you're caring nature will me missed!

Dezra Cherry - August 22, 2010 at 10:55 AM