

DeWayne "Ken" Dawson, 71, of Geneva, IN, passed away at 9:43 a.m. on Wednesday, May 28, 2014 at his residence in Geneva. He was born on Monday, February 03, 1943, in Decatur, IN. He married Marjorie Dawson on Saturday, November 03, 1984 in Berne, IN. He was a 1963 graduate of Decatur High School. Ken had been a member of Moose Lodge 1311, and Masonic Lodge 571 F&A.M. both in Decatur, and the Scottish Rite Valley of Fort Wayne. Being recently retired, he had worked for many years at McIntosh in Berne, Limberlost Apartments in Geneva, and also was self-employed. The Dawson's formerly owned and operated the High Line Restaurant in Geneva. He also formerly had served in the United States Navy.



He is survived by his wife Marjorie, son Anthony D. "Tony" (wife Sarah) Dawson, Berne, IN., daughter Ashley D. Dawson, Geneva, IN., son Scott A.K. Dawson, Rochester, IN., daughter Erica Sue Dawson, Fort Wayne, IN., daughter Shari (husband James) Bailey, Wells Co., IN., sister Donna (husband Gary) Heckert, Decatur, IN., half-brother Karl Lough, Decatur, IN., half-sister Maxine Brickley, Decatur, IN., half-sister Lue Flippo of Kentucky, and 5 Grandchildren. Preceding him in death were his father Arthur "Pete" Dawson, and mother Katherine Wolfe, brother William Dawson, half-brother Wilbur Lough, and brother-in-law Warren Brickley.

Visitation will be on Friday, May 30, 2014, from 3:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m., with a Masonic service at 7:00 p.m. by Masonic Lodge 571, F&A.M. at the Downing & Glancy Funeral Home in Geneva. Services will be held Saturday, May 31 at 11:00 a.m., with Pastor Michele Isch officiating. Interment will follow in the West Lawn Cemetery in Geneva.

Arrangements are being handled by Downing & Glancy Funeral Home in Geneva.

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