



## Walter J. Stoltz Jr

April 16, 1938 - April 22, 2018

Walter J. Stoltz Jr. , age 80 of Marine, IL, died Sunday, April 22, 2018, at Saint Elizabeth Hospital in O Fallon, IL.

He was born April 16, 1938, in St. Louis, MO, the son of Walter and Thelma (nee Jackson) Stoltz Sr.

On May 04, 1963, he married Linda Lou Jackson who passed away March 22, 2017.

He was a member of Marine Sportsman's Club and United Auto Workers.

Walter was born and grew up in South St. Louis. He graduated from East Side High in East St. Louis, IL. He started working after High School at Monsanto, Granite City Steel and started working at Ford Motor Co. in 1968. He retired as a production worker in 1999. He enjoyed gardening, fishing and weight lifting.

Survivors include :

Son - Walter J. "Joe" Stoltz III, Highland, IL

Son - Wayne J. "Jeff" Stoltz, Marine, IL

Daughter - Pamela L. (John) Busey, Jackson, MO

Grandchild - Amber .

Grandchild - Brittany .  
Grandchild - Tony .  
Grandchild - Jordan .  
Great Grandchild - Riley .  
Great Grandchild - Tyler .  
Great Grandchild - Aden .  
Sister - Leona Gaffney, Marine, IL

He was preceded in death by :  
Father - Walter J. Stoltz, Sr.  
Mother - Thelma Lee Stoltz Sr. nee Jackson  
Wife - Linda Lou Stoltz nee Jackson  
Brother - William John Stoltz  
Brother - Homer Stoltz  
Sister - Doris McAlexander

Arrangements are being handled by Spengel-Boulanger Funeral Home in Marine, IL.

Private graveside services and interment were held at Marine Cemetery in Marine, IL., with Rev. Philip H. Kershner, officiating.

Memorial contributions may be made to American Cancer Society.

# Tribute Wall

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“ *My deepest sympathy to the friends and family. Walter has been such a wonderful neighbor to my parents when they lived next door to him and then to me for all these years. You could always see Walt outside on pretty days working on or fixing something. Also out working in his garden, that looked like it was taken from a magazine! I always enjoyed our visits and his interesting stories. He lived life to the fullest. Enjoyed riding his bike. We'd talk about the bike rides and complain about the wind. You are missed already and will be missed every day. Enjoy your Garden in the sky, along with those little blue flowers!! ( thanks for not mowing them). Thanks for being such a Wonderful friend and neighbor!! Until we can meet again and have a glass of ice tea and chat. ♡in Loving memory♡*



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