



Steven Robert Newman

July 16, 2018

Steven Robert Newman, 69, of St. Petersburg passed away Monday July 16, 2018 surrounded by his family.

He was born in Muncie, Indiana. His family eventually settled in the St. Petersburg, FL area in 1957. He graduated from Dixie Hollins High School in 1967 and the University of South Florida in 1985.

He retired after 28 years of service with GTE/Verizon. After retirement he enjoyed traveling, riding his bikes, and watching old Cary Grant movies. Music was his passion, whether it was listening to it or playing it on his guitar. However, more than anything he loved his family.

He is survived by his wife of 48 years, Brenda Gayle Newman. His daughter and son-in-law Andrea and David Duff. His sister, Melanie Britner and his two grandsons, Kevin and Cameron. Also, numerous nieces and nephews.

Memorial gifts can be given to the Michael J. Fox Foundation for Parkinson's Research.

Tribute Wall



“ *The family of Steven Robert Newman uploaded a photo*

August 19, 2019 at 12:00 AM



“ *Bobby Salerno - Friend of Gayle's posted a condolence Most sincere condolences to Gayle and family on your family's tragic loss of one who was considered "one of the good guys" by both friends and family. May his spirit and the memories of him continue to provide a source of smiles and inspiration throughout the years ahead.*

Bobby Salerno - Friend of Gayle's - August 17, 2018 at 12:00 AM



“ *Gayle - wife posted a condolence Steve always told me that when he died the one thing he hoped that people would say about him was that he was one of the good guys. Evidently he succeeded. I have received so many texts from friends, co-workers, and family telling me what a good person he was. He was a wonderful husband, a fantastic father, a caring brother and son, and a loyal friend, in other words, one of the good guys. He will be missed. I sure miss him and his sweet smile terribly. I love you Stevie.*

Gayle - wife - July 25, 2018 at 12:00 AM

MG

“ Mark Nieves - Co-worker GTE posted a condolence I am so sorry to learn of Steve's passing. My sympathies go out to Gayle and the entire Newman Family. Steve was one of my co-workers at GTE/Verizon for many years. We played softball together for a short while and we both enjoyed the game. He was always so friendly and helpful when having a job to do at South Office or Skyway Office. He always helped all COE installers when something was needed in house. Steve was a special person who had a great smile and a wonderful laughter. Rest in Peace my friend, it was a pleasure knowing you all those years. Mark & Kathy Nieves

Mark Nieves - Co-worker GTE - July 24, 2018 at 12:00 AM

BT

“ Bill Latimer - Co-worker, ball team posted a condolence Gayle, So sorry to hear about Steve passing, it would be hard to find a nicer guy. We played ball together a number of years as you know and work together also. I still have a ball team picture that includes Steve, Bill Brownridge, and a number of others you know. May he Rest In Peace. Bill

Bill Latimer - Co-worker, ball team - July 22, 2018 at 12:00 AM

DF

“ Duff family - family posted a condolence Gayle, Andi, and family, we know that what you are going through right now is very difficult, just know that we are here for you. We know that Steve was a very special man and we are truly sorry for your loss. Please don't hesitate to reach out if there is anything we can do.

Duff family - family - July 20, 2018 at 12:00 AM