



## Gary Joe Campbell

December 21, 1938 - July 16, 2013

Gary Joe Campbell, age 74, of Dixon, died Tuesday July 16, 2013 at KSB Hospital in Dixon. He was born December 21, 1938 in Dixon the son of Edward "Sparky" and Gertrude (Gebert) Campbell. He had owned and operated the Midas Muffler Shop in Dixon for over 30 years prior to his retirement. He was a member of the Dixon Elks Lodge.

Joe enjoyed wintering at the Villages in Florida, playing golf, boating, snowmobiling, skeet shooting and hunting.

He married Sally Hill July 13, 1957 in Dixon, IL.

He is survived by his wife, daughter Barb (Chuck) Levan of Dixon and son Edward (Rebecca) Campbell of San Antonio, TX, 2 grandchildren Lindsey (Dan) Reglin and Stacy (Eric) Kane and 1 great granddaughter Brooklyn Kane. He was preceded in death by his parents.

Mass of Christian Burial will be held on Friday July 19, 2013 at 10:30 AM at St Patrick Catholic Church in Dixon with the Rev. Bernard Sehr, Pastor, officiating. Cremation will follow with burial of cremains at a later date in Oakwood Cemetery. Visitation will be on Thursday, July 18, from 5:00 to 8:00 PM at the Jones Funeral Home in Dixon. In lieu of flowers a memorial has been established to St Patrick Catholic Church. Condolences may be sent online at [www.thejonesfh.com](http://www.thejonesfh.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Oakwood

416 S Dement Ave  
Dixon, IL 61021

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL 18. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Jones Funeral Home, Dixon  
204 South Ottawa  
Dixon, IL 61021  
Ph: 815-288-2241  
[info@thejonesfh.com](mailto:info@thejonesfh.com)  
<https://www.thejonesfh.com>

## Service

JUL 19. 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM (CT)

St Patrick Catholic Church Holloway Center  
612 Highland Ave  
Dixon, IL 61021

# Tribute Wall



“ Gary Joe Campbell

October 08, 2023 at 11:30 AM



“ Gary Joe Campbell

December 31, 2022 at 02:40 AM



“ Dear Sally and family,

*While it has been a number of years since we have seen you, please know that you are in my thoughts and prayers. When we were kids running through Aunt Gert and Uncle Sparky's big house, Gary Joe was already in high school and way cooler than any of us. I still remember seeing at Sparky and Gert's, if I recall correctly, a wedding day photo of you and in a convertible or through a back window, and I thought that was the height of coolness. Always enjoyed seeing Joe at the shop when he was fixing some rattletrap car I was driving in my twenties and at other times. A good and kind man, he will be remembered fondly by his cousins, Michael, Karen, and me. And condolences from our mother Alice, as well.*

*Chris and I send blessings and fond wishes to all of the family,*

*Patrick White*

Patrick E. White - July 18, 2013 at 05:56 PM

JW

“ We just heard the news and send our thoughts and prayers to Sally, Barb, Ed, and their families. Since I was one of the O'Connor kids who grew up around Campbell Motors, I feel like I have known Joe all my life. Michael, too, has fond memories of childhood times with Aunt Gert and Uncle Sparky. Please know we are sorry for your loss and we send our deepest sympathies. Michael and Joanne White, Ferryville, Wisconsin

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**Joanne White** - July 18, 2013 at 04:47 PM

ML

“ Dear Sally and Family,  
I am so saddened by the loss of Joe. May you find comfort in your memories and strength in your love of one another. I am so thankful for all you did for me during my moving transition... Without your help, I would have "truly" been that fish out of water! I look back at the night Ron and I met you at Spanish Springs. We were late because of making the offer on the house. Joe laughed when he saw us rounding the corner of the movie theater and with that "Wonderful Grin" of his said to Ron....."Too late...I just drank your beer!" Later we had dinner and enjoyed friendship and laughter together. As we left the restaurant he gave us the warning about a loud noise that was about to take place. Again, grinning, he explained that 9:00 PM is when they roll up the streets. We nearly rolled IN the Streets laughing. And that was very true!!  
I can feel your loss and pray for all of you. May you be surrounded by God's loving embrace and realize how much you are loved.  
With "heartfelt blessings"  
Love,  
Mary Latta

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**Mary Latta** - July 18, 2013 at 11:09 AM

BR

“ Dear Sally,  
Gary & I are so very sorry to hear about Joe's death. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family during this sad time. Aging is so very difficult, especially when we hear news like Joe and our other losses. May God's love and your faith help comfort you.  
Sincerely, Barb Reeder

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**Barbara Reeder** - July 17, 2013 at 05:32 PM

SM

“ Sally, Ed and Rebecca, I'm so sorry for your loss. I remember many fun times during  
Petunia Festival when Joe would take us on his boat to watch the fireworks. He loved  
a good time with family and friends.

*Susan Mossholder*

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**Susan Mossholder** - July 17, 2013 at 02:31 PM

MS

“ We'll miss you, Uncle Joe!

*All our love to Aunt Sal, Barb, Ed and families*

*Marti, Susan, Katie and Jacob Swegle*



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**Marti and Susan Swegle** - July 16, 2013 at 05:53 PM

DF

“ *Dee Floto lit a candle in memory of Gary Joe Campbell*



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**Dee Floto** - July 16, 2013 at 12:53 PM

CR

*We are so sorry for your loss! What a great man Joe was and we enjoyed talking to him over the years and doing business with him at Midas.*

*God Bless all of you ~  
Randy and Cathy Roux  
Robert Brandenburg*

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**Cathy Roux** - July 18, 2013 at 09:12 PM