



August Samuel Haynes Sr.

May 18, 1944 - July 19, 2023

August Samuel Haynes Sr, age 79, passed away suddenly on Wednesday, July 19, 2023. August was born on May 18, 1944, to August and Eileen Haynes in Detroit, Michigan. He graduated from Center Line High School in 1962, and later joined the Marine Corps from 1963-1967. He then started a career in roofing from 1969 until his retirement.

August left a mark on all who knew him. He was a husband, a dad, brother, grandpa, and a friend. He loved nothing more than spending time with his family and grandkids. He enjoyed having donuts and coffee with old friends and watching old westerns, Gunsmoke being his favorite. August had a way of making everyone he knew feel special in their own way. This is not goodbye but see you later and, in his words, "rock on".

August is survived by his wife, Mary Haynes; his children, August "Gus" (Amanda) Haynes, Eric Haynes, Amber (John) Sweet, Adam (Lindsay) Haynes, Andrea Haynes; his stepchildren Robert (Daina) Decker, Kelly Decker, Joseph (Jennifer) Decker; Loved grandfather of 17 Grandchildren, 2 Great grandchildren along with many nieces, nephews and friends. He was preceded in death by his parents, August and Eileen Haynes; siblings Pat Mero and Leonard Haynes. Memorial visitation will be held on Friday July 28, 2023, from 3-5 PM at Rudy Funeral Home 25650 Van Dyke in Center Line with a Memorial service at 5 PM. Please visit www.rudyfuneral.com to share a memory or to light a candle.

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 28. 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of August Samuel Haynes Sr..*



July 27, 2023 at 05:40 AM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of August Samuel Haynes Sr..*



July 25, 2023 at 11:04 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of August Samuel Haynes Sr..*



July 25, 2023 at 12:43 PM



“ *Uncle Gus was the best. I'll always remember his big hugs with a smile. I love and miss him very much*



cyndy meloche - July 25, 2023 at 11:09 AM

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“ I am a CLHS Class of 1962 classmate. I have fond memories of Gus at school and in the neighborhood. Gus was always kind and had a quick smile for everyone. I am not surprised to learn Gunsmoke was a favorite of his. He was one of the good guys.

Carol Maxwell - July 25, 2023 at 06:53 AM

RM

“ Remembering all the mornings we sat and drank coffee before work.



Rick Myers - July 25, 2023 at 05:21 AM

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I will always remember the fun times spent together with Gus with the Pasta House Group, birthday parties, trips to Julian while Gus and Mary lived in San Diego. Gus was always there for his family and friends. You will be missed Gus. Rest in Peace my friend.

Lisa Quintanar - August 24, 2023 at 10:02 AM