



Terry Lee Apel

January 9, 1954 - January 3, 2023

Terry Lee Apel, age 68, of Springfield, Ohio

Born to Hank and Ann Apel on Saturday January 9, 1954. Terry died peacefully in his sleep on Tuesday January 3, 2023.

He was preceded in death by his father, Hank and his wife, Toni.

He is survived by his mother, Ann Apel, son Vaughn Apel, grandson Logan Cooley-Apel, granddaughter Zara Apel and his dear friend Sheila Duncan.

Terry was a kind and friendly man who had many friends from all walks of life. Despite his need for a few filters.

He was a longtime employee at St. Elizabeth Hospital in Dayton, Ohio. He finished his maintenance career at Huber Heights City Schools.

Terry had a spiritual connection with nature and the Earth. Many memories were made hunting, fishing, camping and exploring the wonders of nature with family and friends.

His passion for music was a lifelong adventure. Going to concerts and playing guitar with his band mates for so many years. His favorite saying was "IF IT'S TOO LOUD..YOU'RE TOO OLD!"

Terry Apel, you will be greatly missed by many and you were loved by all.

A special thanks to The Hospice of Dayton for their care and guidance.

Tribute Wall

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“ Terry, you were a second dad to me, Nick and Chloe's pap, and a great friend to Tommy. I will always love you so much, as will my entire family. You may not be here for us to get a huge hug from to comfort us or for us to hear that great laugh of yours, but I know spiritually, you are. I will keep every single promise I made to you at our last talk. Thank you for all of the memories and all of the love you shared. I hope I can make you proud. It's not goodbye dad, it's see you later. ❤️



Rachel Wirick - January 12, 2023 at 02:55 AM

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“ I went to school with Terry. I also have had the pleasure of doing Terry's Mother's hair. Terry would bring his Mother to New Carlisle to have her hair done because she loved coming to my salon. Terry and I would enjoy talking. His Mother loved him so much! She would always talk about Vaun and his son. Terry was such a good man!! He loved his family!! Vaun ,, I am so sorry for your loss. Prayers for all of you, ,, Karen Martin

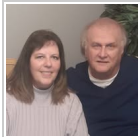
Karen Martin - January 11, 2023 at 07:07 AM

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“ *My father. I miss you so much. You going to be missed everyday. Words can't describe the pain I have of losing you and mom already in my life. I know that you will be watching over me and guiding me throughout my life.*



vaughn - January 10, 2023 at 03:48 PM



“ *Terry will be missed very much by many. I enjoyed his friendship and playing music with him. He was a fine guitar player and enjoyed a sip of good bourbon, that am proud to say I has the pleasure to enjoy with him. Love you buddy. Prayers to you and your family.*

Jim Gilmore - January 10, 2023 at 08:59 AM