



Gary R. Baird, Sr.

December 28, 2020

Gary R. Baird, Sr. 73, of Gloversville, went to meet the Lord on Monday December 28, 2020 after a long battle with cancer.

He served in the US Army from 1964- 1967 and was stationed in North Carolina and Germany.

Gary worked in local tanneries and later for Coleco Industries. He retired in 2010 as a driver for more than twenty years with Gloversville Transit.

Gary was a member of the Gateway Christian Community Church in Gloversville.

Gary enjoyed attending NASCAR and Dirt auto racing, and attending his granddaughter's soccer, basketball, and softball games.

Survivors include his wife of fifty-one years, Barbara; three children, Gary (Alisha) Baird, Jr., Jennifer Mauck, and Jessica Baird; a granddaughter, Alexandria "Alex" Benfatti; several siblings, nieces, nephews, and cousins.

Cremation was performed at Park View Crematorium, Schenectady. A celebration of Gary's life will be held at a later date. Memorial contributions may be made to the Alexandria Benfatti College Fund or to Gateway Community Church, both in care of the funeral home. Arrangements are by the Robert M. Halgas Funeral Home, Inc, 111 County Highway 106, Johnstown, NY 12095.