

LARRY L. HORTON

EAST PEORIA - Larry L. Horton, 68, of Homosassa, FL, formerly of East Peoria, passed away on Tuesday, April 21, 2021, in his sleep.

Larry was born December 21, 1952, in Peoria to parents R.G. and Marie (Snow) Horton. He married Cynthia Grens on December 9, 1972, in East Peoria.

Surviving are his wife, Cindy Horton of Homosassa, FL; one daughter, Michelle (Jeff) Inman of East Peoria; one son, Larry (Vanessa) Horton of Washington; siblings, Gennie (Steve) Geshe of Blue Earth, MN, Ron (Wanda), Dave (Cheryl), Curt (Tinker), all of East Peoria, Carl (Cheryl) of Sebring, FL, Richard (Sheri) of Seymour, MO; sisters-in-law, Carol Evans of Green Valley, IL, Sue (Donnie) Tucker of Mapleton, IL, Barb Nelson and Debbie Maddan of Pekin, IL; grandchildren, Dallas Halihan, Kori (Cameron) Johnson, Joey Inman, Hunter Horton, Daniel D'Amico, Lily D'Amico; great-grandchildren, Tyler Halihan, Haven Harms and Kailey Johnson; and too many bieces and nephews to list.

He was preceded in death by his parents; mother-in-law, LaDonna Grens; brothers-in-law, Butch Grens, Larry Evans, Mike Grens, Bob Nelson; sisters-in-law, Carol Horton, Dorothy Horton; nephews, Wayne Crafton, Ron Horton Jr.; niece, Annette Hitchcock; and greatnephew, Ryan Stewart.

Larry was a 1971 graduate of East Peoria Community High School. He worked at Caterpillar for 31 years before retiring in 2003. He then drove a cement truck for Stark until 2017.

Larry enjoyed riding his motorcycle and working on cars. He was a jack-of-all trades and the first person to be called if help was needed.

Cremation has been accorded. There will be no services. A celebration of life will be held June 5, 12 PM, 211 Legion Rd., Washington, IL.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be given to Tazewell Animal Protective Society, 100 TAPS Lane, Pekin, IL 61554.