

Gary L. Tucker

November 11, 1951 - April 11, 2018

Garry L. Tucker, age 66, of Tampa passed away April 11, 2018. A native of Moultrie, GA, anf longtime resident of Tampa, he was a well known painting contractor, and is survived by his wife: Anne C. Tucker; mother: Jeanette

Tucker; sisters: Carolyn Soler (Jimmy Sweeney), and Setrina Riverol (Eduardo). Graveside funeral services will be held Thursday, April 19, 2018, 11:00 AM, at Centro Asturiano Memorial Park.

## Cemetery

**Centro Asturiano Memorial Park** 

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## **Comments**



Setrina Riverol lit a candle in memory of Gary L. Tucker



Setrina Riverol - 19 hours ago





An external video has been added.



Boza & Roel Funeral Home - Yesterday at 12:02 PM



Anne, We love you and Gary so very much. Our thoughts are with you as we mourn the loss of such a great friend and all around great guy. He will be so very missed. We love you, Bob & Lynn Hurley

Lynn Hurley - Yesterday at 09:16 AM



66 GARY, MY DEAR SWEET HUSBAND YOU WILL BE IN MY HEART FOREVER AND EVER. I WILL ALWAYS LOVE YOU AND WE WILL BE TOGETHER AGAIN SOON,

ANNE {CHINITA}





Thoughts and prayers to Anne and family. I remember when Coach Howell called him "Superman" at the awards banquet. More powerful than a locomotive (struck out 20 of 21 batters in a game) Faster than a speeding bullet (everyone knows of his speed) and able to leap buildings in a single bound (this is when he jumped over the catcher in the state semi finals to score a run) Not only a great athlete but an all around good person. RIP in Peace Gary ...

Jim Trainor - April 15 at 06:00 PM



66 Bob Jones lit a candle in memory of Gary L. Tucker



Bob Jones - April 15 at 05:22 PM



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Carol Soler - April 15 at 03:31 PM



66 Carol Soler lit a candle in memory of Gary L. Tucker



Carol Soler - April 15 at 03:23 PM



Carol Soler lit a candle in memory of Gary L. Tucker



Carol Soler - April 15 at 02:15 PM





66 Setrina Riverol lit a candle in memory of Gary L. Tucker



Setrina Riverol - April 15 at 11:25 AM



66 We had a loving kind and funny brother...so many good times with him growing up and being always so protective of us...he will be watching over us always...love you setrina Carol Soler - April 15 at 03:27 PM





Anne Tucker lit a candle in memory of Gary L. Tucker



anne tucker - April 14 at 06:15 PM



66 Beautiful life you had with my brother. He loved you like no other. He will always be with you ..looking over and protecting you....so very happy he had such loving kind wife....i love you Anne

Carol Soler - April 15 at 03:25 PM





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anne tucker - April 14 at 05:17 PM



66 I LOVE YOU MY SWEET HUSBAND . YOU WILL BE IN MY HEART FOREVER AND EVER. WE WILL BE TOGETHER AGAIN . ANNE TUCKER



ANNE TUCKER - April 14 at 03:54 PM



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ANNE TUCKER - April 14 at 02:48 PM



66 Marsha lit a candle in memory of Gary L. Tucker





66 Rest in peace and memories of loved ones to share.

Marsha - April 13 at 03:38 PM



I used to pal around with Joey and Gerard Errico back in the hood, and that's how I came to know Gary more back in the 70s. He was a cat with a million stories, one wicked sense of humor, and a Howitzer cannon for an arm. Rest in peace, my brother . . . . you've earned it.

Pete Fonte - April 13 at 11:45 AM



Gary and I were ball playing buddies since we were 9 yrs old. We went to Lois, Pearce and Leto together. We played on many a team together and many all-star teams together including Leto. Where we both participated in football, track and baseball. We hit back-to-back homers as all-star team mates and I was lucky enough to hit 4 home runs batting against him. I wish we would have stayed closer it was me that moved all over the states as Gary made his mark in Tampa. Rest-in-peace Gary. I will truly miss you!

Danny Hill - April 13 at 08:55 AM



Although I only knew Gary very briefly when we were both at Leto, I remember him fondly and as I have traveled around the world as an adult I have often mentioned his name in the telling of some of my stories about my time in Tampa. He and I crossed paths through our love of baseball and we played against each other in the Town & Country league. Gary was the best player in the league, in my opinion, and as a pitcher, he was the hardest guy to get out of anyone I ever pitched against (sorry Danny). He was also the fastest runner I ever played with. I remember when he got a walk to first base he would take off running and never stop at first base - he was headed for second before our catcher (Lanny) could throw the ball back to me. I also remember after graduation going to a try-out that Gary was at for the Yankees, if I remember it correctly. He was a great athlete and a funny guy. I wasn't close to Gary, since I was a new kid in town and didn't grow up in Tampa, but he was always nice to me, he told some funny stories, and he was always smiling and laughing. I remember him with respect and appreciation. Thank you Gary for being nice to me during our short time together. My condolences to your wife and family. Rest in peace. Don Pearson.

Donald Pearson - April 13 at 07:36 AM



I'm so saddened too hear of Gary's passing....We had some great times and memories at Leto....My Condolences to his family......and especially Anne who I introduced Gary to her.....May He Rest In Peace...

Anthony Pullara - April 13 at 01:37 AM



Anne, I'm so sorry to hear of Gary's passing. May a lifetime of memories and love help you through this painful time. My condolences to you and your family. Zenia Machin Gallo

Zenia Machin Gallo - April 12 at 11:37 PM



Gary was a great Guy I remember one day after school i was struggling to deal with a flat tire and Gary walks up and literally picks up my 58 English Ford wagon in the front and kiddingly says ok start changing that tire Felix..( nickname) but he ends up changing it for me

Super nice guy... I never forgot that day.. you will b missed big guy Debra Akers

Debra Akers Surprenant - April 12 at 09:46 PM