Garland Gay Evans (1954 - 2016) Obituary



Garland Gay Evans August 26, 1954 - January 8, 2016

Garland was the 5th child of Joseph Glen Evans Sr. and Sylvia Delores Evans. Garland attended Hinkley Elementary School through the 8th grade, then went to Barstow High School, where he was a Star Athlete. Football was his passion, and he played all four years that he attended Barstow High School, where he was one of

the most notable athletes from 1969 to 1972. Garland graduated from Barstow High with a full scholarship to Arizona State University. After a knee injury, he completed his education and football career at California Luther University in Thousand Oaks, California. Garland was employed by Sorrento Lactalis Inc. in Nampa ID as a Warehouse Manager for 14 years. He traveled across the country and abroad while working for Sorrento's. He parted ways with Sorrento's and started his own business, Event Center, where he was able to work for himself. Throughout Garland's life he touched so many people and was known as a caring and loving guy. Garland is survived by his loving father Joseph G. Evans Sr.; son Michael of Meridian ID; six brothers and their families Joseph G. Evans Jr. and Mildred Evans of Morgan Hill CA, Gary L. and Ylda Evans of Gilroy CA, Charles A. and June Evans of Los Gatos CA, Robert D. Evans of Barstow CA, Duran K. Evans of Fairfield CA and Rodney G. Evans of El Mirage AZ; two sisters Teresa S. Evans of Los Angeles CA and Wendy (Joyce) Evans-Sandin of Fresno CA; a host of nieces and nephew, great-nieces and nephew, aunts, uncles and cousins. There will be a memorial service for Garland on Saturday, January 16, 2016 at 11:00am at Union Missionary Baptist Church, 1360 Riverside Dr., Barstow CA 92311.

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