



Dennis Lee

August 4, 1956 - June 23, 2016

Dennis D. Lee, 59, lifelong resident of Monrovia, was released from the illness in his earthly body and gained everlasting life at 11a.m., on Thursday, June 23rd, in the comfort of his home and surrounded by his loving family. He was born on August 4, 1956, in Beech Grove, to the late Virgil H. and Loretta Mae (Miller) Lee.

Dennis graduated from Monrovia High School in 1974 and quickly earned an associate's degree in electronics from ITT Technical Institute. In 1976, he bravely joined the United States Army and served his country working as an Electronic Warfare Intercept Repairman in radio communications. Dennis married his soulmate, Amy Brandenburg on September 29, 1998 and settled into one of the first houses next to what is now known as the Monrovia Place.

A loyal, loving and dedicated man, Dennis was a skilled information technologist and worked as a Senior Field Engineer for 27 years at Avaya, previously known as Nortel and Periphonics Technologies; retiring in April of 2010. He enjoyed the challenge of fixing computers, going to concerts, watching the Indianapolis Colts, NASCAR and basketball. Above all, Dennis truly cherished each moment that he was able to spend with his family and especially grandchildren. In addition, he was a faithful member of the Monrovia Christian Church and lifetime member of the Indiana Volunteer Firefighter Association. A selfless, brave and respected asset to the Monroe

Township Fire Department, Dennis began actively volunteering in 2001 and honorably served the community as the Chief of Monroe Township Fire District from 2005 to 2010. Due to health issues, Dennis retired from active duty and continued to serve as a chairman on the fire station board, where he was currently held the position as the head chairman.

Along with his parents, he was preceded in death by his son, Dennis Lee, II.

Survivors his include his loving wife, Amy Brandenburg Lee of Monrovia, to whom he was united in marriage on September 29, 1998; children, Angela Austin of Selma, N.C and Jonathan Hackett of Mooresville; step-children, Ben Rygiel of Indianapolis and Lance Rygiel (wife, Christena) of Nashville, IN; sisters, Sandra Burnette (husband, Ron) of New Whiteland and Linda Trump of Indianapolis; grandchildren, Alexander, John Jr., Cody, Sophia, Ben, Isabel and Mary; and his lovable feline friend, Bubba.

Friends and family will gather for calling from 1 to 6pm, on Sunday, June 26, 2016, with a brief memorial service conducted by the Indiana Volunteer Firefighter's Association beginning at 5pm, at Light Memorial & Funeral Chapel in Monrovia. A Celebration of Life Service will begin at 11am, on Monday, June 27, 2016, at the funeral home. Pastor Richard Dickison will officiate the services. Dennis will be carried in a firefighter's procession on an antique fire engine to his final resting place in Mt. Pleasant Cemetery, Hall, where military honors will be delivered during the graveside service. Memorial contributions may be made to the Monrovia Christian Church Food Pantry. To share a favorite story, send the family an online condolence or light a candle in his memory visit www.lightmemorial.com.

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN **26**. 1:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Light Memorial & Funeral Chapel
585 East Main Street
Monrovia, IN 46157
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Celebration of Life

JUN **27**. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

MA

“ I also just found out about Dennis' passing. I worked in the call center and considered Dennis to be a great friend. I am so sorry to hear of his passing and want to tell his family that he was truly loved in the Periphonics/Nortel/Avaya call center by all! May He Rest In Peace. Godspeed!

Maryann - March 24, 2018 at 05:57 PM

RD

“ I just found out yesterday February 15, 2018 that Dennis past away. I want to offer my condolences to his family. I worked with Dennis at Periphonics I was the supervisor for their 24 hour national dispatch center. Dennis was a field engineer for periphonics he was a great technician. He is surely missed he was a fine man and a gentleman and I was honored to have known him. May he rear in peace.

Rose DeNicola - February 16, 2018 at 07:22 PM

AA

“ Anthony Ammann lit a candle in memory of Dennis Lee



Anthony Ammann - July 19, 2016 at 03:07 PM

VA

“ Valerie, Christian, Amanda, Emily lit a candle in memory of Dennis Lee



Valerie, Christian, Amanda, Emily - June 27, 2016 at 12:20 PM

SH

“ 501, 532:

"They say you can't take it with you but I think that they're wrong. All I know is I woke up this morning and something big was gone"
Bruce Springsteen "Terry's Song"

You left a big hole in our hearts. We're gonna miss ya buddy. We love ya!

Steve Helming - June 26, 2016 at 06:52 PM

SP

“ *Though we lost touch after our graduation, we did see each other occasionally through the years...the last time being a couple of weeks ago at Best Buy. Little did I realize that would truly be the last time...but wait, a great reunion awaits those whose Lord is Jesus! I look forward to seeing you again my dear friend! Steve Pierson*

Stephen Pierson - June 26, 2016 at 06:20 PM



“ 65 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Light Memorial & Funeral Chapel - June 26, 2016 at 10:45 AM

RM

“ In honor of my cousin. A great man has moved on. Thoughts and prayers to Amy and the kids.



Randall Miller - June 26, 2016 at 08:26 AM

KD

“ Karen Bradley Donnelly lit a candle in memory of Dennis Lee



Karen Bradley Donnelly - June 26, 2016 at 12:02 AM

FR

“ *Dennis Dennis Dennis!!! He wasn't only a good friend he was Framly!! As he would always put it... We met Amy and Dennis Lee when we moved in to our home on Marie Court in Monrovia place addition, we have known him for about 8 years but it seems like a life time... We became so close and really love you both as " Framly" that word Will forever be with us.. Amy we are so sorry for your loss.. Dennis will truly be missed.... For he's one of the good ones...!! Buddy we will for ever love and miss you!..*

Framly... - June 25, 2016 at 05:56 PM



“ *Karen Riggs Owen lit a candle in memory of Dennis Lee*



Karen Riggs Owen - June 25, 2016 at 02:32 PM



So sorry for the last of Dennis. I lost my Husband back in 2002. God Bless you and the family

Karen Riggs Owen - June 25, 2016 at 02:33 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Dennis Lee .*



June 25, 2016 at 10:36 AM

ER

“ He'd be there with a bottle of water to greet you after your jogging 5 miles as well as do whatever he could to get your computer back up and running when it was down. That's the type of man I will forever remember him by. He will be forever missed, but he is in a much better place with Christ. Glad he is not suffering anymore down here.



Eric - June 25, 2016 at 09:14 AM

KI

“ Kim lit a candle in memory of Dennis Lee



Kim - June 25, 2016 at 03:19 AM

JC

“ Jan Holcomb Cummick lit a candle in memory of Dennis Lee



Jan Holcomb Cummick - June 24, 2016 at 05:08 PM

AJ

“ Amy- our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family!
Love, Amy and Bryce Johnson

Amy Johnson - June 24, 2016 at 04:47 PM