



## Larnie E. Walker

October 16, 1950 - July 23, 2012

Pendleton-Larnie "Lannie" E. Walker, 61, of Pendleton, passed away on July 23, 2012 at his residence, after an extended illness. He was born on October 16, 1950 in Anderson, Indiana and resided most of his life in Pendleton. Lannie graduated from Markleville High School in 1968. He and his wife owned and operated The Transfer Connection. Lannie was a loving husband and father. He enjoyed playing poker with friends. He was also an avid golfer. Lannie is survived by his loving spouse whom he married June 13, 1970, Betty Hill Walker, of Pendleton, daughters, Heather A. Walker Shane Downham of Anderson, Natalie L. Walker of Pendleton, sister, Judi Bob Fesler of Markleville, sister, Alice Lee Mallette of Anderson, sister, Millie Tom Adams of Anderson. He is also survived by several nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by father, Larnie E. Walker Sr., mother, Mary E. Walker. Visitation will be held Friday, July 27, 2012 4:00 pm - 8:00 pm at Robert D. Loose Funeral Homes & Crematory, 200 West 53rd St. Anderson, Indiana. Services will be Saturday, July 28, 2012, 10:00 AM at the funeral home with Rev. Dan Helms officiating. Burial will take place at Memorial Park Cemetery, Anderson. Memorial contributions may be made to American Kidney Fund 6110 Executive Blvd. Suite 1010 Rockville, MD 20852, Heart Disease Research Foundation-National Office 50 Court Street 306A Brooklyn, NY 11201-4801. [www.loosecares.com](http://www.loosecares.com).

# Tribute Wall

PM

“ I was deeply saddened to learn of Lannie's passing. He was a notable member of the Markleville HS Class of 1968 who attended all of our reunions, always sharing his exuberant spirit and humor. But most of all, he was a devoted family man and friend you could truly rely on. We will always cherish his memory by the way he touched so many lives. May you rest in peace dear friend! Phil Mullins, MHS '68

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**Phil Mullins** - August 01, 2012 at 12:00 AM

RG

“ Betty and girls, I was so very sorry to hear of Lannie's passing. It doesn't seem possible that a man so full of life could be gone. We started first grade together and 12 years of school together. Wherever Lannie was you could hear the laughter and know that people were having a good time. I have lots of memories of time in the "Baby Farms". Stay strong and love each other and laugh a little once in a while so that Lannie can hear you. Class of "68"

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**Reba Sisson Goodson** - July 27, 2012 at 12:00 AM

AJ

“ I wish things could have had a better outcome, but we don't see the future. I remember all the good time's we all had as kids. I hope you find comfort in good memories Love to all.

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**Alberta Janes** - July 27, 2012 at 12:00 AM

RG

“ Our deepest Sorrow I know God is with him.

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**Rollie & Chris Girton** - July 27, 2012 at 12:00 AM

JD

“ Betty and Heather, I am so sorry to hear about your loss. Please know that you are in my thoughts and prayers. All of us here at Pendleton Heights High School will be thinking of you and the family.

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**Joyce Daugherty** - July 27, 2012 at 12:00 AM

KD

“ Heather, We were so sorry to hear about the loss of your Dad. May he be in a better place sharing some funny stories with all in Heaven. We love you!

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**Kenny & Donna** - July 25, 2012 at 12:00 AM

HM

“ I cannot express all the things, that I would like to say, about Lannie, my first cousin, so like his Dad, He was the Sweetest kid, growing up, when they came to our home in Ky. Then, in later yrs., he was so funny, and then could be so serious, got that, from My Uncle Lannie, hadn't seen him in a while, but know that I shall see him again, Blessings to this Loving Family of Mine, Betty, {wife} {daughters} and the three precious Sisters, left behind, Know in My Heart, I feel your pain, because, losing a Sibling, is a Loss, you will never overcome, Blessings to all of you, Helen & G.L. McCoy's

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**Helen Bryant McCoy** - July 25, 2012 at 12:00 AM

DG

“ Lannie will always be remembered as an exceptional person in so many ways. Smart and business savvy, a friend and class mate like no other, & for his great sense of humor, his ability to make us laugh. I'm thankful that I got to know Lannie and all of his family...good people that you are proud to know!

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**Debbie Gentry** - July 25, 2012 at 12:00 AM

HO

“ I am so sorry to hear about Lannie. My childhood memories are full of great times at the Walker house. I can still hear his laugh to this day. My prayers are with the whole family during this time. Much love to Betty, Natalie & Heather.

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**Hillary Cooper O'Brian** - July 25, 2012 at 12:00 AM

LA

“ Betty, Heather, and Natalie, my families thoughts and prayers are with you all at this difficult time. Lannie, was an amazing man and will be truly missed by many. Rest in peace and smile down on us from above.

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**Lauri Andres** - July 25, 2012 at 12:00 AM

JL

“ Millie and family, So sorry of the passing of your brother. Sometimes words are just not enough to take away the pain, but just to let you know that you and your family are in my thoughts and prayers.

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**Jean Lennis** - July 25, 2012 at 12:00 AM

TM

“ he was always nice to everyone he met or new. his family & frends were all close. god bless and may he rest in pease.

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**tom&cara myers** - July 25, 2012 at 12:00 AM

MM

“ You all are in our prayers. So sorry for your loss. Haven't gotten to see him for a long while but he surely was one of the funniest, most fun-loving people I ever met.

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**Michelle Bardin Murrell** - July 25, 2012 at 12:00 AM

CF

“ *What a great man along with his amazing family... Thoughts, prayers and support for everyone during this difficult time!*

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**Cindy Fowler** - July 25, 2012 at 12:00 AM

LD

“ *Thinking of you, Walkers. I am grateful to have so many happy memories of spending time with Lannie and your wonderful family. Sending you love and strength.*

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**Liz Ave Dee** - July 25, 2012 at 12:00 AM

DG

“ *Betty and Heather, We were so saddened to hear of Lannie's passing. He was such a great guy. We are very thankful that our paths crossed and you all were such a part of our lives and our children's lives. Rest in Peace our dear friend. You will truly be missed.*

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**Dan and Dee Ann Gernand** - July 25, 2012 at 12:00 AM

BA

“ *Family - Friend - Father - Lannie was a good friend to me from the day I met him and will be apart of my memories for life. May God comfort Betty, Heather, Natalie at this time. He will be missed.*

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**Bob Adams** - July 25, 2012 at 12:00 AM

DB

“ Heather, I'm so sorry and wish I had the words to take the pain away. I remember seeing your dad at Transfer Connection over the years, but what I remember the most is being at your house in Freed's Village when we were little kids. Your dad was always so nice...and SO FUNNY. He is the reason for many laughs and many smiles. Sending hugs and prayers to you, Natalie and your mom.

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**Darcy Boles** - July 24, 2012 at 12:00 AM

BH

“ My thoughts and prayers are with you Betty & your family. We have all lost a great man. It's comforting to know that he no longer has pain and that he is helping preparing a place for us all.

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**Bret HACK Hackleman** - July 24, 2012 at 12:00 AM

LF

“ Lannie was only a cousin, however, he was more like my uncle. He was one of the kindest men I have ever known. He never met a stranger and he had a very caring heart. Betty, you have been an amazing and strong wife. Heather, you have your dad's sense of humor, and will carry it on in his memory. Natalie, you are the rock just like him. Love you all so much. Heaven was truly blessed when they received him. Prayers for you all.

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**Lisa Fulk** - July 24, 2012 at 12:00 AM

MI

“ An amazing man that will be so truly missed. I am so lucky that I was able to call him family but more important, a friend. Thanks for the wonderful years. May you rest in peace. Love to Betty, Heather, Natalie, & Shane

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**Misty** - July 24, 2012 at 12:00 AM

JT

“ Betty and girls we are so sorry to hear about Lannie. He will be so greatly missed. Looked forward to seeing him every reunion and hearing his funny jokes. Are prayers are with you at this time. Please feeling are arms around you to give you comfort.

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**Jim & Terri Trinklein** - July 24, 2012 at 12:00 AM

TB

“ I always enjoyed coming to Transfer Connection and talking with Lannie. He had some good stories and you could tell he had a love for life! Will miss ya Lannie! Prayers to Betty, Heather and the rest of the family! God Bless!

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**Tim Basey** - July 24, 2012 at 12:00 AM

JR

“ Millie and family: To lose a brother, spouse, brother-in-law, Dad, uncle and other titles that have been attached during his lifetime, is seemingly unbearable. Just remember he will live on in memories and deeds for a long time. I'm sure he's helping Upstairs to entertain the other residents as only he can do. Probably busy fluffing wings, adjusting halos at a cocky angle and doing what he does best...making folks laugh. He will be missed but will always reside in your heart. A big hug for those he left behind...

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**Jack and judy Roberts** - July 24, 2012 at 12:00 AM

BF

“ Thinking of you all with heartfelt sympathy. Lannie was one of a kind & always left everyone he met with a smile ... and possibly a sore face from laughing so hard. We know he will be missed so very much by so many.

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**Bob & Linda Fesmire** - July 24, 2012 at 12:00 AM

AP

“ Lannie was such a clown! When I was a freshman and he and Ira Forney were seniors, I sat at their table in Mr. David Pritchard's art class at Markleville High School. I was kinda sweet on Ira at the time, though being sweet on him was as far as things went. Lannie teased me whenever he noticed that I was giving Ira one of my goofy stares. Being at that art table is one of the things I most remember about Lannie. I went on to start dating Richard "Chad" Chadwick a short time later. Chad another member of the MHS Class of 1968 passed on last year. I know he'll be there to meet Lannie! My condolences to Millie Walker Adams his sister and the rest of his family. Thank you, Lannie, for adding memories that still make me smile re: my freshman year at MHS!!!

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**Ainsley Jo Phillips** - July 24, 2012 at 12:00 AM