



## Steven Paul Adams

May 18, 1950 - February 20, 2020

Steven Paul Adams, 69, of Anderson, passed away on February 20, 2020 at Community Hospital in Anderson. He was born on May 18, 1950 in Anderson, Indiana where he resided his entire life.

Steve graduated from Anderson High School in 1969 and proudly served his country in the US Army.

He is a retired after 32 and a half years as a Journeyman for Guide Lamp division of General Motors.

Steve was a member the Local 663 Union. He was an avid Pacers fan, Anderson Indians basketball fan, and even made the breast plate for the Indian Mascot. He loved Indian art, NASCAR, and sitting on the front porch swing with Joker the dog.

Steve is survived by his loving spouse, Shirley Adams; his children Paul Adams and Ginger (Mark) Schmitzerle; his mother, Helen (Bill Lawson) Davenport; granddaughters, Kimberly (Patrick) DeMarchia and Haily'Ana Moles; grand-dog Joker; great-grandchildren, Gemma DeMarchia and Logan DeMarchia; sister, Sandy Adams; half sister, Cindy Adams; nieces, Angie (John) Parrish and Lindsey Haston; great nieces, Chasity Turner, Shailey Parrish; great-nephew, Skyler (Kaylie) Parrish; and great-great nephews,

Jayden and Logan Anderson.

He was preceded in death by father, Richard R. Adams; brother, Scott Haston; grandson, Christopher Corson; niece, Jamie Harless; mother-in-law Naoe "Granny" Higashi Neal; Uncle, John Candon; and close friend, Eric Honda.

Visitation will be held Tuesday, February 25, 2020, 12:30 pm - 2:30 pm at Loose Funeral Homes & Crematory, 200 West 53rd St. Anderson, IN.

Services will be Tuesday, February 25, 2020, 2:30 pm at the funeral home with Brad Storm officiating.

Burial will take place in East Maplewood Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to the American Heart Association, American Cancer Society and the American Diabetes Association.

[www.loosecares.com](http://www.loosecares.com).

# Cemetery Details

**East Maplewood Cemetery**

## Previous Events

### Visitation

FEB **25**. 12:30 PM - 2:30 PM (ET)

Loose Funeral Homes & Crematory  
200 W 53rd St  
Anderson, IN 46013  
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info@loosecares.com

### Service

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Steven Paul Adams.* ”



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February 24, 2020 at 10:03 PM



“ *Bettagere Orthodontics purchased the Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet for the family of Steven Paul Adams.* ”



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**Bettagere Orthodontics** - February 24, 2020 at 09:07 PM



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**Ginger** - February 23, 2020 at 02:26 PM

“ A memory Steve and I shared became a story that was repeated so many times that today we can laugh when sharing it. On the morning of January 6, 1969 we awoke to the worst snow storm of the season. Neither of us had any idea what we were actually doing, at that time in our lives, but one thing was certain, after nine long months a baby was ready to make her grand appearance. Waddling through several inches of deepening snow, we finally made it to that poor little Chevy Corvair. Try crossing town in a snow storm during rush hour traffic (we all remember the daily parade of vehicles making their way to one of the General Motors plants) Finally making it across town I decided it was too early to go to the hospital. I wasn't in any pain so surely the time wasn't near. Heading to my mother's house we ran out of gas and I forgot to mention that poor excuse for transportation had a broken gas gauge. Poor Steve, leaving me to freeze in that little bitty car he trudged a mile to my dad's house, only to discover that daddy had wrecked his car, the night before, so he couldn't help us. Oh no!!! I pitied Steve having to call my mother to deliver the news. She came and took us to her house, only to discover we had to immediately go back out for the drive to the hospital. Try telling two young people that they are about to be parents when one of them insists, but I'm not in any pain. Lol!!

Arriving at the elevator I was taken upstairs while mom and Steve went to admissions. When they arrived upstairs they were met by the doctor who inquired if they would like to see me. This was 1969, no one was allowed in the labor or delivery rooms, not even the father-to-be. Imagine their surprise, to hear, baby girl and mom were well and waiting to meet them. We had been at the hospital for less than ten minutes when Ginger Ann Adams arrived, even then being the considerate, loving, daughter and not causing her mother any pain.

Steve and I may have not been the most knowledgeable and prepared new parents but Ginger was surrounded by a loving family. So, thank you Steven Paul Adams for giving me a beautiful baby girl that I'm very proud to call daughter.

**Nilena Adams Vaughn** - February 22, 2020 at 09:27 AM

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*So very sorry for your loss. Steve was a great friend from school and Guide. He will be deeply missed. 🙏🙏🙏🙏*

**Barry and Linda Dillard** - February 22, 2020 at 11:10 AM

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*. I remember our last conversation...we ran into each other at Pay Less...he told me he was having heart problems and he was getting a little exercise walking through the store. Had a wonderful smile...Steve was a great guy...I am so sorry for your loss Shirley and his family left behind. May the angels bring you comfort.Praying for you all.*

*Sue Anne Cogswell*

**sue cogswell** - February 24, 2020 at 09:31 AM