



Terry Ray West

August 11, 1954 - April 3, 2023

Terry Ray West, 68, native of Anderson, passed away unexpectedly on April 3, 2023. He was born on August 11, 1954. Terry was a beloved husband, father, grandfather, brother, friend, and coach.

Terry graduated from Anderson High School in 1972 and from Anderson University with a Bachelor of Arts Degree in 1977.

Terry was a jack-of-all-trades, but he had a passion for helping others. He most recently worked as the President of WestLink Consulting, SHIP, and Trinity Free Clinic as a Patient Healthcare Advocate and Navigator. Through SHIP, Terry belonged to the Good Samaritan Network of Hamilton County. Terry also dedicated over 35 years of his life to coaching a plethora of sports at a variety of levels from elementary to high school. He was also a member of Eastside Church of God.

Terry was always willing to talk with anyone and would fire off a corny joke to start the conversation. He was an avid sports fan and loved the Purdue Boilermakers

and Chicago White

Sox. Terry's biggest passion was basketball which was clear in the way he spoke about the

game, studied every detail, and coached his teams. Terry was also passionate about theater,

performing on various stages in a variety of roles. He had a huge heart for animals and had a

green thumb. Out of all of Terry's accomplishments, his greatest joy in life came from the love

he had for his two daughters and grandchildren.

Terry is survived by his wife, Yolanda (Gamez) West, daughter, Cambrie (Ryan) Anderson,

daughter, Corissa (Kaley May) West, sister, Sherry Moss, and grandchildren, Liv, Colt, and Axl

Anderson.

He was preceded in death by his father, Noble H. West, and his mother, Donna J. West.

Visitation will be held on Monday, April 10, 2023, from 4:00-8:00 PM at Loose Funeral Home

(200 West 53rd St., Anderson, IN 46013).

The funeral service will take place on Tuesday, April 11, 2023, at 1:00 PM with Pastor Kerry

Robinson officiating at Loose Funeral Home. The burial will follow after in the Knights of Pythias

I.O.O.F. Cemetery (Southeast corner of Washington St. and Clyde St. in Frankton).

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions can be made to:

Indiana Basketball Hall of Fame of New Castle

The Alley Theatre Company of Anderson

Or

Eastside Church of God of Anderson,

www.LooseCares.com

Cemetery Details

K of P IOOF Cemetery

Frankton, IN 46044

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 10. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Loose Funeral Homes & Crematory
200 W 53rd St
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Service

APR 11. 1:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Loose Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Terry Ray West*



Loose Funeral Home - April 08, 2023 at 02:56 PM



“ *Truly will be missed. I worked with Terry at Riverview and saw him from time to time at our daughter's basketball games at Hamilton Heights. Terry always made the time to come to me at the games, catch up on life and tell me how much he enjoys watching our girls play! Such an amazing person who truly left a legacy! God has him up in heaven now and the angels are rejoicing! Prayers for peace to Terry's entire family! I was blessed to know him.*

Heather Hickok - April 11, 2023 at 07:28 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Terry Ray West.*



April 10, 2023 at 03:59 PM

JH

“ *Jim and Jennifer Hunter purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Terry Ray West.*



Jim and Jennifer Hunter - April 10, 2023 at 03:12 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Terry Ray West.*



April 10, 2023 at 09:59 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Terry Ray West.*



April 09, 2023 at 09:05 PM



“ 260 files added to the album *LifeTributes*



Loose Funeral Home - April 08, 2023 at 02:45 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray* was purchased for the family of Terry Ray West.



April 07, 2023 at 04:26 PM



“ *The Collier Family* purchased the *Arrive in Style* for the family of Terry Ray West.



The Collier Family - April 07, 2023 at 01:03 PM

SS

“ Knowing and working with Terry has been a joy! He was always positive and upbeat seeing the sunny side of issues. He had a true servant's heart which I admired greatly. His Dad Jokes were legendary. I will miss him.

Susan Spilly-Lee - April 07, 2023 at 10:57 AM

DH

“ Terry was a good friend and fellow jokester. We even kidded about going on comedy tour together. I'm grateful for the joy and care he shared with people. He is certainly missed, yet, enjoying his heavenly reward with his Lord. May God, somehow, bring comfort and strength to his family and loved ones.

Derek Hansen

DEREK HANSEN - April 07, 2023 at 10:16 AM

SS

I will miss working with Terry. He enjoyed making people laugh by telling silly jokes. He genuinely loved helping people. I'm so sad for his wife, daughters, and family, neighbors - everyone. Keeping Terry's family and loved ones in prayer.

Shawn Swindell - April 07, 2023 at 11:11 AM

SL

*Yolanda & family,
I am so sorry for your loss. I'm thankful that I was able to spend time with him, during Terri's last visit to Anderson from Georgia. May God continue to bless all of you with memories.*

Sheryl Leavell - April 07, 2023 at 11:44 AM

MP

Always had a daily joke, loved seeing him .Shocked he is gone .Prayers to family and his multitude of friends.

Maureen Price - April 08, 2023 at 08:11 AM

AT

I have only known Terry for a short period of time. I was introduced to Terry from one of my collaborative partners at YMCA. I think that she just knew he would be able to help my residents and she was right. What I will tell you is that Terry had a heart of gold I could tell immediately when I met him that he was a good person that genuinely cared about helping people. I am saddened to hear of his passing my condolences go out to his wife and children as well as his colleagues and friends.

Angelica Traore - April 18, 2023 at 08:00 AM