



Jack Fischer

March 18, 1952 - October 17, 2017

Jack Fischer, 65, of Mason City, passed away October 17, 2017 at his residence. He was born March 18, 1952 the son of Lawrence and Wilma (Russell) Fischer. He married Joy Shaw on January 13, 1972 in Pekin, Illinois. She survives.

Also surviving are three children: Amy Fischer of Mason City, Jack Fischer II (Tricia) of Topeka and Shawn Fischer (Katrina) of Pekin, eight granddaughters and one grandson. Jack is also survived by six sisters, three brothers and many nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents, three brothers and one sister.

Jack served in the United States Army. He dedicated 29 years of service to law enforcement, retiring May 4, 2017 as Chief of Police of Mason City, Illinois. Jack enjoyed camping, fishing, hunting, NASCAR and the Chicago Bears. His greatest joy was spending time with his family.

Following his wishes, cremation rites have been accorded. There will be no services held at this time. Memorial contributions may be made to the family to help with funeral expenses. Online condolences for the family may be left at www.hurleyfh.com. Hurley Funeral Home in Mason City is assisting the family with the arrangements.

Tribute Wall



“ *Jack Fischer*

October 12, 2022 at 03:07 PM



“ *Joy, Prayers for your comfort. Marilyn Blakeley*

Marilyn Blakeley - October 23, 2017 at 01:07 PM



“ *Our sympathy to Joy and family. We are sorry for your loss.*

John & Gaye Maxson - October 22, 2017 at 07:29 AM



“ *Jack would come down to our house when his night was slow and we'd all talk for hours. There was never a dull moment with Jack. One time in particular I threw a snowball at his police car and he got out and I ran. In the process of running after me he faceplanted in the snow. However, that didn't stop him! He still managed to catch and tackle me down to the snow. He was 60!! Praying for peace and healing for you all.*

Sara Horn - October 20, 2017 at 03:12 PM



“ *So sorry for your loss. Grew up in the same neighborhood, some great memories playing ball in the empty lot.
Howard and Patty*

patty davis weber - October 20, 2017 at 08:02 AM

AC

“ I once found a cartoon in a fishing magazine of a man in a fishing boat out in the rain that looked just like a cartoon image of Jack. I tore it out, framed it and hung it on the wall at the police station. Later that night I went to do a ride along with Jack and saw it in the trash in a hundred pieces. I said awe man it broke! His response was "yes it did. I hit it with a hammer ten times". I will always treasure the memories I have riding with him on his shift, his stories and the many fishing trips to site m. I wish that I had stayed in better contact after I moved away.

Andrew Coulter - October 19, 2017 at 08:44 AM

BP

Loved this story. It is sooo Jack! How he loved to tease me. Wonderful man with a personality that made you happy just to see him. he will be missed. - Beverly Purvis.

Beverly Purvis - October 19, 2017 at 02:54 PM

TW

“ Joy and family, we send our sympathy and hold you in our prayers.

Terry & Jeanne

Terry & Jeanne Wunderle - October 18, 2017 at 10:55 PM

CC

“ Sending prayers to all of Jack's family and friends. So sorry for your loss.

Cheryl Emmons Cockerham - October 18, 2017 at 09:28 PM

SP

“ Jack was a great guy and a devoted husband. My thoughts and prayers are with you all!!

Shelly Price - October 18, 2017 at 06:11 PM

BC

“ *My son adored Jack. He will always remember Jack playing hide and seek with him in WalMart. Jack was a great man.*



Brandy Cole - October 18, 2017 at 06:01 PM

VB

“ *Vickie Bagby lit a candle in memory of Jack Fischer*



Vickie Bagby - October 18, 2017 at 06:00 PM

LR

“ *Prayers for all of Jack's family. He was a good man and friend. I will miss him dearly. RIP Jack!*



Lisa Rabbe - October 18, 2017 at 05:37 PM

JC

“ *Jack was a great guy and Police Officer and friend, helped a lot when Gary died, so appreciated !!! RIP and God bless the family and comfort them!!!*

Joy Campbell - October 18, 2017 at 05:34 PM

HN

“ Jack was a great man and we will miss him dearly. Joy and family, you are all in our prayers during this terrible loss. No one was as funny and good hearted as ole Jack..



Heath & Jade Nunn - October 18, 2017 at 05:11 PM

MH

“ You and your children are in our thoughts and prayers.



Mason City Area Nursing Home - October 18, 2017 at 02:51 PM