



Gregory Lee Dorsett

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Mr. Gregory Lee Dorsett, age 73, passed away Saturday, October 16, 2021 in Muskegon, Michigan. He was born in Kansas City, Missouri on October 5, 1948, to Franklyn and Jean (Sweet) Dorsett. Greg was a veteran of the United States Marines and served during the Vietnam War. He was employed by the Muskegon Chronicle as a photojournalist and photo editor prior to his retirement, where he was known for the integrity he brought to the profession, his support and love of his staff, and his Ozarkian humor. Greg enjoyed hunting, fishing, University of Michigan football, and reading, a love of which he instilled in his son. On August 10, 1985, Greg married the former Joni C. Redding in Muskegon, and she survives him along with their son, Scott (Marie) Dorsett; siblings-in-law, Steve (Suzanne Albrecht) Redding, Barbara Redding, Linda (John DiCola) Redding, Pat (Rob Bell) Redding, Kent (Colleen Foley) Redding; cousin, Debbie Bunch; numerous nieces and nephews; and his family through marriage, John, Sue, and Jack Dillivan. He was preceded in death by his parents and step-parents, Franklyn (Isabelle) Dorsett and Jean Sweet (Jim Fred) Best; parents-in-law, Bill and Rose Redding; and aunt and uncle, Marilyn and Chuck Gailliot. In accordance with Greg's wishes, cremation has taken place and no services will be held. You may share a memory with his family at www.sytsemafh.com, arrangements by The Lee Chapel of Sytsema Funeral & Cremation Services, 6291 Harvey St., Norton Shores, MI 49444. If you would like to make a donation in Greg's memory, please consider giving to the Missouri School of Journalism's Photo Workshop Endowment.



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DD

David Decker posted:

Greg and I were lieutenants at Quantico back in 1971. I always enjoyed his sense of humor, intellect and integrity. I just thought of him this morning and was sad to learn he had passed. Greg has been a presence in our home for years due to a couple of quotes which I won't go into at this time. Please accept my condolences for your loss. Greg was a great man and is missed. Semper Fidelis.

December 17 at 7:00 AM

BB

Bob Butler posted:

Greg was my best friend during our elementary school years in Pineville, Missouri. We always talked about becoming Marines - later, we both joined the Marine Corps. Semper Fi, Marine.

October 26 at 10:19 AM

MW

M Williams lit a candle in honor of Gregory.

Loved Mr. Dorsett's contributions to the years of the Muskegon Chronicle. He was such an asset and appreciated all his contributions. Thank you to the family for sharing him with the public. In kind memory...



October 26 at 6:41 AM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Gregory by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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