



Carl J. Gedert

February 21, 1948 - December 13, 2009

Carl J. Gedert, age 61 of Toledo, passed away Sunday, December 13, 2009 in Hospice of Northwest Ohio, Perrysburg. He was born February 21, 1948 to Norbert and Marcella Gedert. He was the youngest of 9 children, grew up on a farm and had many fond memories of his childhood. Carl was a graduate of Central Catholic High School where he was a Drum Major and played the flute.

Carl worked at the Toledo Hospital in the Psychiatric Unit for 40 years. He was a mental health professional who took great pride in his work and touched many lives. He was man of great integrity. Among his hobbies, he enjoyed traveling, had a collection of salt and pepper shakers, gardening and during the last few weeks of his life created numerous dried flower arrangements. He is survived by his wife, Janice and daughters, Kelly (Rick Butler), Cindy and Kerri Gedert; precious granddaughter Nicole Sherrick; sisters, Jeannette (Mo) Pulido, Wilma (Donald) Simon, Louella (Hank) Syzek and Marge Doncouse; brother , Bernard (Betty) Gedert; sisters-in-law, Pat Gedert and Kathy Stroscher. He was preceded in death by his brothers, James and Ronald and sister, Roseanne Gedert.

Friends may visit at the Coyle Funeral Home, 1770 S. Reynolds Rd., on Wednesday from 2-8 p.m. where a Scripture Service will be held at 7 p.m. Funeral services will be held on Thursday beginning at 9:15 a.m., in the mortuary, followed by a Funeral Mass at Blessed Sacrament Church at 10a.m. Interment Toledo Memorial Park.

Memorials may take the form of contributions to Hospice of Northwest Ohio.

Tribute Wall



“ I was very saddened to read of Carl's death. What a wonderful man, husband, and father he was and a great mental health specialist. I met him when I taught 2 of his 3 daughter's at St. Jude School. You're thoughts and prayers are with you. My mother-in-law is in intensive care as we speak. Otherwise I would stop by the funeral home. I'm so sorry for your loss.##imported-begin##Mary Reisinger otm74@aol.com##imported-end##

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“ Went to Central with Carl, he was a funny, fun to be with guy. My prayers are with the family, know he is watching over you always##imported-begin##A Friend##imported-end##

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“ Jan,
I was shocked and saddened to receive your card today letting me know that Carl had passed away. Whenever I think of him it brings a smile to my face. I thought of him more as a brother than a co-worker for 20 years. He is in a much better place now where there is no sickness or pain. I will always remember him fondly.

With love,
Laurie##imported-begin##Laurie Althaus##imported-end##

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“ *The patients of 8north will miss this kind soul...##imported-begin##joy lauerer Middleton##imported-end##*

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“ *Dear Janice, I was not able to visit you at the funeral home. I am sorry. I am so sad for you and your family. If you need to ever talk I will always listen. Carl was a very nice and likeable guy. I'll always remember the good old days on psych. We had a lot of laughs. I remember the story Carl told me about his eye getting shot out by his brother with a BB gun. He laughed when he was telling me. He will be missed. I noticed that his birthday is 1 week after mine. I was born in 1952 (way back in the 1900's) Well Janice, I have to tell you that I am getting very teary-eyed. I pray for you and your healing. God Bless You . 419-389-9786
Love cindy##imported-begin##cindy brooks
boopybrooks@aol.com##imported-end##*

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“ *To my Dear Cousin Janice ,*

*My deepest thoughts are with you . Carl was a wonderful man. I always enjoyed our visits.
Please give your daughters Kelly, Cindy, and Karri Rose a hug for me...##imported-begin##Kathy Ryskewicz
kathyll@comcast.net##imported-end##*

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“ Cindy, Kelly and Kerri I am so sorry to hear about your dad's passing. It has been a few years since I saw him but I did get the pleasures of working with him when I worked as a float at Toledo Hospital. I hope that you get through the holiday season remembering what a great guy he was.##imported-begin##Mindy (Hess) Limes##imported-end##

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“ I just want to extend my condolences to your family at this sad time of loss. I was in Carl's grade school class at St. Jude School and I have such fond memories of your Husband and Dad from those days--long gone by. He always had a smile on his face and was often up to something funny. The world will definitely be missing a good soul. God Bless you all and I'll keep Carl in my prayers. Kathy##imported-begin##Kathy Tansey McCartney kathy.mccartney@yahoo.com##imported-end##

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“ Jan honey I'm so sorry to hear about Carl, my prayers are with you and your family. He is at peace now, watching over all of you. He will be missed by all. If there is anything I can do or you just want to talk, e-mail me and we will get together. God Bless you.##imported-begin##Brenda Schaber (med. surg) countrymama78@yahoo.com##imported-end##

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“ Graduated from Central with Carl and grew up in the same neighborhood. I remember a couple of his brothers too. Rest in peace Carl.##imported-begin##Mike Hartranft##imported-end##

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“ HI Janice. I am so sorry for your loss. I hope the preplanning for Carl made this difficult time a little easier. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your girls now.##imported-begin##Megan Coyle Stamos mcoyle-stamos@CoyleFuneralHome.com##imported-end##

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“ JANICE AND FAMILY, SORRY TO HERE OF THE DEATH OF CARL. YOU ARE IN MY PRAYERS.

SHARON BENGEE##imported-begin##SHARON BENGEE##imported-end##

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“ So sorry to see Carls passing. Miracle & I know what it is to lose someone so close as we just buried Carrie last thursday. So our prays are with your family. God Bless Fred Longlott & Miracle Ott##imported-begin##Fred Longlott cfmlott@comcast.net##imported-end##

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“ sorry to hear about Carl. It was so nice to see him at the reunion in august. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and all the Gedert family.##imported-begin##The Palacios Family blue_wave@sbcglo bal.net##imported-end##

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“ Jan, I am praying for you and your family. Peggy##imported-begin##Peggy Johnson##imported-end##

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“ I am so sorry for your loss. Carl was a wonderful person. My thoughts and prayers are with you.##imported-begin##Kristyn Kautz##imported-end##

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“ WHAT CAN I SAY? CARL WAS ALWAYS ASKING ME WHAT I WAS LOOKING DOWN MY BLOUSE FOR. HE THOUGHT THAT WAS HILARIOUS. HIS MEMORY WILL LIVE ON FOREVER. PEACE AND LOVE TO YOUR FAMILY.##imported-begin##FREDDIE TURNER##imported-end##

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“ *Jan and family,
I was so very shocked to see Carl's obituary this morning. I didn't know he had been sick. I always enjoyed working with him on 8 North. He was just the nicest guy in the world!! He gave great care to the patients there and his prescence will be missed !I know he loved his family very much and I am so sorry to hear of your loss.
Sincerely
Jeannine Reilly (Bobak back then !)*###imported-begin##Jeannine Reilly (Bobak)###imported-end##

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“ *Janice...Where does one find the words to share at a time like this...sometimes just silence is best...but you know Linda was one who could never be silent! Lordy could she talk! God bless her. Since she cannot though I am here for her to convey to one of her very best friends both of our heartfelt sympathy with your loss of Carl. I wish I could take the pain away from you but it is something our good Lord hands down for us to go through...I have walked this walk Janice...please call me when you feel up to it. 734-377-9629 All our love and thoughts from Ryan, Carrie and Chris*###imported-begin##Chris Arnold chrisa@capmri.com###imported-end##

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“ *Jan,
To you and all of your family please know that you are in our thoughts and prayers. Carl was a great man. Gentle, caring, kind hearted and soft spoken. He will be missed by all. May peace be with you. Sincerely Linda and Jenifer Sheppard*###imported-begin##Linda & Jenifer Sheppard###imported-end##

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“ *Janice and family--our prayers are with you at this most difficult time.fondly and with deepest sympathy..Debby and John Sampson(friends of our dear departed Linda Gaither Arnold)###imported-begin###debby and john sampson dsusansamp50@hotmail.com###imported-end###*

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“ *Jan, Our hearts and prayers are with you and your family. God be with you. Jeff and Laura###imported-begin###Laura and Jeff Stone###imported-end###*

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“ *Jan,*

I was sorry to hear of Carl's death. My prayers are with you and your family at this difficult time.###imported-begin###Pat Klosek###imported-end###

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“ *Jan, I cannot tell you how sorry I am to see your loss. I had heard that he had suffered for awhile, just know that he is with God and is no longer in pain and has no worries.*

Kelly, Honey what can I say, You have my love and thoughts. You always loved and respected your Dad and you have good memories, just always remember him as the Dad you wanted and loved. If at any time you need me, please my arms are always opened to you and you know Dawn has you in her heart and prayers.##imported-begin##Diana & Bruce Romer Dianarr@yahoo.com##imported-end##

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“ *Dear Kelly and family,
Please accept my condolences during this difficult grieving period. I hope you find peace in your loving memories.
Always in friendship, Kate##imported-begin##Kate Zicarelli marvinz@bex.net##imported-end##*

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“ Please accept the condolences of my wife, Mary Jo and I. My memory of Carl goes back to the early '60s when I first met Wilma and her family through her Aunt Ethlyn Taylor. I have fond memories of those early years in Toledo
(I moved to Toledo in the fall of '62.) I met the Gedert family before I met Mary Jo. The Gederts, especially Ethlyn, "took me in" almost as if I were part of the family...which I will never forget. Such a kind and generous family!...This at a time when I was fresh out of the seminary and trying to adjust to "life on the outside"...a very difficult adjustment, at first....But eased greatly by Ethlyn Wilma, and all the Gederts and their extended families in Flint, MI, as well as here in the Toledo area..
So, although my contact with Carl was only at special family get-togethers, my memory of him is one of admiration at what he attained as he matured and married...and lived a dedicated life. May he rest in the love and joy of the Lord whom he served faithfully...and may my special memories of Carl and his family bring you comfort and add to your special happy memories of him and his family, Jan and family.##imported-begin##Frank Antalek accordiona ntalek@yahoo.com##imported-end##

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