



## Herbert Timothy "Tim" Copley

March 20, 1955 - December 17, 2017

Herbert Timothy "Tim" Copley, age 62 years, was born March 20, 1955 in Grantsburg, Illinois to Doris (Evans) Baker and Herman Copley. He passed away Sunday, December 17, 2017, at 2:45 PM at his home in Metropolis.

Tim attended Grantsburg Grade School then Vienna High School. He joined the U.S. Army in 1972 during the Vietnam Era and was honorably discharged on September 30, 1975.

Tim was united in marriage to Cathy Ann Stockton on January 13, 1973. They had 3 sons – Joel James Michael, Timothy Andrew and Jeremy Dean Marshall, all whom survive. Tim and Cathy also have 7 grandchildren – Alexandrew, Cobie, Dylan, Cassidy, Lydia, Alysa and Cayleb. He is survived by 3 sisters and a brother – Linda Hartford, Lisa Kaylor, Darlene Troutt and William Copley; sisters-in-law and brothers-in-law – Zetta Davidson, Riley and Pat Stockton, Leona & Jim Rader, and Pam Flora; as well as a host of nieces, nephews and a cousin – Jacqueline Evans.

Tim was preceded in death by his parents, grandparents – Marshall & Lorraine Evans and Eula & William Copley; a brother – David William Flora; 2 uncles – Andy Evans and Jack Evans, who helped raise Tim and whom he loved dearly.

Tim was of the Baptist faith and was a devoted husband, father, brother and was loved by all that knew him. He had a vivid imagination and loved a good joke more than most people. His best friend in life preceded him in death, Danny Jaco, who he worked with at Electric Energy, Inc. for over 30 years. He also leaves another best friend that he loved very much, Holly D. Waldon as well as Aunt Joann Evans.

Tim and Cathy enjoyed playing on a pool league at the Trails Inn in Metropolis.

A service honoring the life of Tim Copley will be held Wednesday, December 27, 2017, at 1 PM at Bailey Funeral Home in Vienna. Burial, with military graveside honors, will be in the Kerley Cemetery in the Flatwoods community in Johnson County, IL.

The family will receive relatives and friends from 12 Noon – 1 PM Wednesday at Bailey Funeral Home in Vienna.

Memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society, 4503 West DeYoung Street, Suite 200C, Marion, IL 62959.

# Cemetery Details

## Kerley Cemetery

Kerley Lane  
Simpson, IL

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC 27. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Bailey Funeral Home  
705 North First Street  
PO Box 695  
Vienna, IL 62995  
(618) 658-2311  
baileyfhinc@hotmail.com  
<https://baileyfh.com>

## Memorial Service

DEC 27. 1:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Bailey Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Herbert Timothy "Tim" Copley*



**Bailey Funeral Home** - December 27, 2017 at 11:47 AM



“ *Herbert Timothy "Tim" Copley*

January 30, 2023 at 12:19 AM



“ *R.I.P*



**Scott Hunsaker** - April 11, 2019 at 01:28 PM



“ *Cathy sorry for your lost. Tim and David were great friends growing up in Grantsburg.*



**Larry Baity** - December 09, 2018 at 12:01 PM

SR

“ Sharon And Steve Robbs lit a candle in memory of Herbert Timothy "Tim" Copley



Sharon and Steve Robbs - December 21, 2017 at 04:22 PM

KR

“ Kim Randolph lit a candle in memory of Herbert Timothy "Tim" Copley



Kim Randolph - December 21, 2017 at 03:37 PM

SR

“ Cathy, Joey, Andy, and Jeremy -- so sorry to hear about Tim. You will all be in my thoughts and prayers.



Stacey (Griffey) Reames - December 21, 2017 at 11:05 AM

JW

“ Jody Werner lit a candle in memory of Herbert Timothy "Tim" Copley



Jody Werner - December 20, 2017 at 10:23 PM

BF

“ Bobby And Tina Farley lit a candle in memory of Herbert Timothy "Tim" Copley



Bobby and Tina Farley - December 20, 2017 at 10:11 PM

BF

Cathy sorry for your loss.

Bobby and Tina Farley - December 20, 2017 at 10:12 PM

CC

Thank you so much. It just doesn't seem possible that he's gone. We raised each other, having married at 16 & 17 yrs old, so I will have to take a long time to figure out how to do anything. My BFF has gone ahead but I know I will see him again, one day.

Cathy Copley - December 22, 2017 at 10:10 AM

ES

“ Ellen Story lit a candle in memory of Herbert Timothy "Tim" Copley



Ellen Story - December 20, 2017 at 08:44 PM

PB

“ I have known of Tim and Cathy for sometime through my son Rob. Rob was friends with Joe and Jeremy. But recently I met Cathy and Tim both. Cathy and I talked and shared stories of our lives so much fun learning about people I love people. She told me her's and Tim's love story. Wow I wish I would have had a love like that in my life. Thanks Tim thanks Cathy even such a brief moment to have known you Tim has impressed me. God is good to bring people into our lives. I pray your next journey in life is a full filling as the first. God bless the family if Tim

Paula Bowling - December 20, 2017 at 02:21 PM

Tracy Powell

“ Tracy Powell lit a candle in memory of Herbert Timothy "Tim" Copley



Tracy Powell - December 20, 2017 at 01:15 PM

MW

“ Marylou And Ted Wheaton lit a candle in memory of Herbert Timothy "Tim" Copley



Marylou and Ted Wheaton - December 20, 2017 at 10:39 AM

LK

“ Lisa Kaylor lit a candle in memory of Herbert Timothy "Tim" Copley



Lisa Kaylor - December 20, 2017 at 10:21 AM

JS

“ Uncle tim you will be missed.we love you so much. Hearts are broken but we know that you are at peace. Nice tv trick. God blessed us with you. Rest in peace

John and Cathy Sullivan - December 20, 2017 at 09:53 AM

CC

Well it sure was a thing he would have thought was extremely funny! Sweet way to remember his sense of humor! Love you both!

Cathy Copley - December 22, 2017 at 03:36 PM

WS

“ William -Carol Schierbaum lit a candle in memory of Herbert Timothy "Tim" Copley



William -Carol Schierbaum - December 20, 2017 at 09:52 AM

SH

“ I am so sorry for your loss. I offer my deepest condolences. Keep your faith in the Lord and lean on him during this difficult time of transition. I love you Cathy, if you need me, I am here. Sincerely, Sandy

Sandra K Henry - December 20, 2017 at 07:19 AM

KG

“ *Kathy Goins lit a candle in memory of Herbert Timothy "Tim" Copley*



**Kathy Goins** - December 20, 2017 at 06:10 AM

DB

“ *Dennis & Imogene Burnham lit a candle in memory of Herbert Timothy "Tim" Copley*



**dennis & Imogene Burnham** - December 20, 2017 at 04:47 AM

TA

“ *Terry Anderson lit a candle in memory of Herbert Timothy "Tim" Copley*



**Terry Anderson** - December 19, 2017 at 08:29 PM

MR

“ *Mike And Teresa Richerson lit a candle in memory of Herbert Timothy "Tim" Copley*



**Mike and Teresa Richerson** - December 19, 2017 at 07:30 PM

DH

“ *Dennis And Pat Harner lit a candle in memory of Herbert Timothy "Tim" Copley*



Dennis and Pat Harner - December 19, 2017 at 07:27 PM

EK

“ *Elizabeth Kerley lit a candle in memory of Herbert Timothy "Tim" Copley*



Elizabeth Kerley - December 19, 2017 at 01:02 PM

BF

“ *Brandi & Doug Fisher lit a candle in memory of Herbert Timothy "Tim" Copley*



Brandi & Doug Fisher - December 19, 2017 at 07:24 AM

HG

“ *Helen Goddard lit a candle in memory of Herbert Timothy "Tim" Copley*



helen goddard - December 18, 2017 at 09:30 PM



“ Sue Davis lit a candle in memory of Herbert Timothy "Tim" Copley



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**Sue Davis** - December 18, 2017 at 04:49 PM



“ Debbie Stewart lit a candle in memory of Herbert Timothy "Tim" Copley



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**Debbie Stewart** - December 18, 2017 at 02:03 PM



*Cathy, I know how close you and Tim were. I am sorry for your loss. You know you and your family are in my prayers. Love you.*

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**Debbie Stewart** - December 18, 2017 at 02:08 PM



“ So sorry to hear about Tim's passing. Thoughts and prayers are with you at this time.



*Joan Faulkner-Owen*

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**Joan Faulkner-Owen** - December 18, 2017 at 11:42 AM

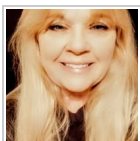
JS

“ *John & Nadene Slack sent a virtual gift in memory of Herbert Timothy "Tim" Copley*



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**John & Nadene Slack** - December 18, 2017 at 11:01 AM



“ *Teresa Anderson lit a candle in memory of Herbert Timothy "Tim" Copley*



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**Teresa Anderson** - December 18, 2017 at 08:08 AM

DT

“ *Darlene Troutt lit a candle in memory of Herbert Timothy "Tim" Copley*



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**Darlene Troutt** - December 17, 2017 at 11:08 PM

HG

“ *Cathy so sorry for your loss sending prayers . Jim & Helen Goddard*

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**Helen Goddard** - December 17, 2017 at 10:07 PM

JB

“ Joy Beggs lit a candle in memory of Herbert Timothy "Tim" Copley



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**Joy Beggs** - December 17, 2017 at 08:37 PM



“ Jeannie McCall lit a candle in memory of Herbert Timothy "Tim" Copley



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**Jeannie McCall** - December 17, 2017 at 08:15 PM

MH

“ Cathy so sorry for your loss you and your family will be in our prayers.



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**Mary Lou Hynes** - December 17, 2017 at 06:41 PM