



David L Gammon

October 11, 2015

David L. Gammon, 83 of Woodruff, Wisconsin quietly left his earthly body on Oct. 11, 2015 surrounded by his four daughters @ the Bland Bekkedahl Hospice in Viroqua, WI.

He came into this world on October 29, 1931- born to Abner J. Gammon and LaVerne M. (Robertson) and was raised in the small farming community of Kendall, WI.

Dad started his teaching career at the age of 19 upon completion of his teaching certificate at Monroe County Normal. After just one year of teaching, he enlisted in the Air Force and was deployed during the Korean War. Upon his return from Korea, he finished his teaching degree @ the University of Wisconsin-LaCrosse and met the love of his life- Gayle A. Moulton. They were married on August 25th, 1959 and spent 52 years together raising a family in the beautiful woods of northern Wisconsin. Dad was a teacher at Lakeland Union High School in Minocqua, WI until his retirement.

He is survived by his 4 daughters; Lori Lee Gammon of Madison, WI., Lisa Gay (Bruce) Olson of Coon Valley, Lynn Ann (Matt) Gammon-Bakalars of Oshkosh, WI & Lana Rae Gammon (Todd)Buchner of Holmen, WI. One brother, Dr. James Gammon; two sisters, Barb LeVigne and Carol Hamburg and their spouses. Grandchildren, David T. (Danielle) Curti, Grant P. (Anna) Olson, Kyle J. (girlfriend Keli) Olson, Jay A. Olson, Elizabeth A.G. Buchner & Samuel J. G. Buchner.

He was preceded in death by his Parents; his beloved wife, Gayle; an

unborn son Lonni Leonard and many other treasured family and friends who have watched him from above and have waited patiently for his arrival. Dad was truly a gift from God to his family and friends and the world is indeed a better place because of the way he lived his life. We are not Human Beings on a Spiritual Journey, but Spiritual Beings on a Human Journey. We will miss you everyday of our lives and will try our best to follow in your footsteps, knowing they are big shoes to fill. You may be gone from our sight but never from our hearts. Kiss our beloved mom, hug your Mom and Dad, meet your son and go fishing with Roger. We know where you are when we need you! The family is requesting no flowers be sent to the funeral home.

Previous Events

Memorial Gathering

OCT **16.** 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Bolger Cremation & Funeral Services - Woodruff Chapel
1212 First Avenue
(mailing address P.O. Box 40, Woodruff WI 54568)
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Military Honors

OCT **16.** 6:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

KF

“ *Kathleen Gammon & family purchased the Delicious Delights Basket for the family of David L Gammon.*



Kathleen Gammon & family - October 18, 2015 at 10:06 PM

BA

“ *"Grandpa" Dave always treated us like his own grandkids. I remember him always trying to be funny when we saw him. At the golf outings he always made the coolest trophies for us kids. We'll miss him like we miss "Grandma" Gail.*

Joe and Alex Bakalars

Bakalars - October 16, 2015 at 04:50 PM

SG

“ *Mr. Gammon was one of my most favorite teachers. Being 2 years younger than those in my class, he always supported me and pushed me to my achievements!!! I also joined the military after many long talks with him. Thank you for everything you have done and taught so many in ways more than just teaching. You will truly be missed.*



Sherri Wood Gregorich - October 16, 2015 at 10:22 AM

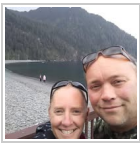
DG

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Doris & Greg - October 16, 2015 at 07:24 AM



“ *Mr gammon was a great teacher not sure if I passed his class or not I am sure if I didn't it was due to my lack of ambition. He will be missed by many.*

Jim Hicks - October 15, 2015 at 07:55 PM

JF

“ *We wish to express our sympathy at this time of sorrow. I cherish the many wonderful memories of growing up with Dave in Kendall. He always remembered us with a message at Christmas time. What fun we always had attending the golf outings planned by Dave at Spring Valley each Sept. God Bless You.*

Mahlen and Jean Friske, Hayward, WI

J. Friske - October 15, 2015 at 02:03 PM



“ *Mr. Gammon was by far one of my favorite teachers, I remember when him and Mr. Roper started in on each other, man what a riot. You will be missed!!*

Rebecca Medford - October 14, 2015 at 09:30 PM

ML

I could not have put it better, those two made the first version of "Grumpy Old Men" in that wing of LUHS. Grateful to have had their comedic stylings in my education.

Mike LaPorte - October 15, 2015 at 11:40 PM

WI

“ *great dry sense of hummor great guy I used too serve Dave a fermented beverage now & then back in the good old days @ kellys supper club now called stingrays*

The Wipperfurths

wipp - October 14, 2015 at 11:51 AM

CB

“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



Charles and Marianna Boyd - October 14, 2015 at 11:18 AM

CB

*Dave & Gail, our dear friends and golfing buddies.
Chuck & Marianna Boyd*

Charles Boyd - October 14, 2015 at 11:50 AM

LH

“ I never actually had Mr. Gammon as a teacher, but he was always a kind individual. Especially to a kid who wasn't the most popular person in school. He never failed to stop and ask how you're doing when he would see you at the grocery store or anywhere in the community. He was also as most know the fishing buddy of his neighboring teacher Mr. Roger Roper. The fishing stories that were heard from those two were legendary! Thanks you David Gammon for making my years at LUHS a little less painful. RIP and Go catch a big one with Roger Roper in that big lake in the sky!

Lisa Rapley Hackworth - October 14, 2015 at 10:17 AM

CF

“ CVES Friends lit a candle in memory of David L Gammon



CVES friends - October 13, 2015 at 03:54 PM



“ Amazing Arboricola was purchased for the family of David L Gammon.



October 13, 2015 at 03:19 PM

JU

“ So sorry, Lynn. Peace to your family! Jim and Cheryl Ulatowski



James Ulatowski - October 13, 2015 at 03:08 PM

WS

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Wendy Slusar-Mischler - October 13, 2015 at 02:55 PM

CG

“ David was a Great Brother & I'm happy to have shared his life and Wonderful Daughters! Life will be more sad without him! Love from Carol



Carol Gammon - October 13, 2015 at 01:56 PM

SH

“ Sue Hedstrom lit a candle in memory of David L Gammon



Sue Hedstrom - October 13, 2015 at 10:39 AM

LB

“ Lynn Gammon Bakalars lit a candle in memory of David L Gammon



Lynn Gammon Bakalars - October 13, 2015 at 09:53 AM

LB

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Lynn Gammon Bakalars - October 13, 2015 at 09:47 AM

LB

We 4 girls are honored to have had such great parents we will miss them but we hold them close where ever we go in life. We love you Pops!!!!

Lynn Bakalars - October 13, 2015 at 05:12 PM

CP

“ Christine Pongratz lit a candle in memory of David L Gammon



christine pongratz - October 13, 2015 at 08:22 AM

JA

“ *Mr Gammon was my Freshman Social Studies teacher and simply a good man, who we students could look up to and always get a smile in return when we greeted him in the hallway. When I joined the Navy my Senior year, he stopped me in the hallway and shook my hand. He said, "Stay safe and have fun." That meant a lot to me as I only really knew him Freshman year. God speed Mr G!*



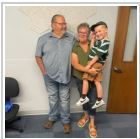
Joey Alonso - October 13, 2015 at 07:57 AM

JC

“ *I had your father as one of my teachers in 1975. He had such a wonderful way of teaching I always looked forward to that last class of the day! It is so surreal that my brother and I were talking about our favorite teachers from high school last week-- and your dad immediately was mentioned as one of mine. My deepest condolences to all of you.*

Julie Casetta

julie casetta - October 13, 2015 at 07:37 AM



“ *Kim Sobkowiak lit a candle in memory of David L Gammon*



Kim Sobkowiak - October 13, 2015 at 06:48 AM



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Bolger Cremation and Funeral Services - October 12, 2015 at 12:23 PM