



Gary L. Carter

September 9, 1962 - January 30, 2026

No obituary found for this tribute.

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB **9**. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Kemp Funeral Home & Cremation Services
24585 Evergreen Rd
Southfield, MI 48075
(248) 702-5367
info@kempfh.com
<https://www.kempfuneralhome.com>

Family Hour

FEB **10**. 10:30 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Word of Faith International Christian Center
20000 West Nine Mile Road
Southfield, MI 48075

Funeral Service

FEB **10**. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Southfield, MI 48075

Tribute Wall

VE

“ To the Carter family, I know there have been many kind words said of Gary on this post and all so true, but I want to share my thoughts, too. I worked in the 3000 Town Center and knew every morning I was going to be blessed with Gary's good morning, warm smile, and at times, sense of humor! He was there for me (I know, like everyone else too, but made me feel special) when I needed a cart for hauling things, to offer help if he thought I shouldn't be lifting something, yes, a gentleman indeed, and just went out of his way in being helpful. We became what I hope Gary would say too, friends, and we shared our walk with God which I will forever treasure. I'm so sorry I was unable to attend the service to give my condolences in person. Gary will forever hold a special place in my heart and I look forward to seeing him again someday.

Much love and prayers to the family,

Veronica Wilkins

Veronica`Wilkins - February 11 at 06:10 PM

MC

Dear Veronica,

Thank you so much for your beautiful message. Your words truly touched my heart.

Gary loved the people he served at 3000 Town Center, and hearing how his kindness, warmth, and willingness to help impacted others means more to our family than you could know. It brings me comfort to know that his good mornings, his smile, and his caring spirit made such a difference in the lives of those around him.

Gary often spoke about the relationships he built there, and I know he valued the friendships that grew from those daily interactions. Your note about sharing your walk with God with him is especially meaningful to me. Faith meant everything to Gary, and knowing that you shared that connection with him is a true blessing.

Thank you for remembering him with such kindness and love. Please know that your words and prayers are deeply appreciated by our family.

Gary will always hold a special place in our hearts, and like you, we look forward to the day we will see him again.

*With gratitude and love,
Monique Carter*

Monique Carter - March 03 at 07:16 PM

WS

“ Wynn Sun purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Gary L. Carter.



Wynn Sun - February 09 at 02:22 PM

RC

“ Robert & Freeda Carter purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Gary L. Carter.



Robert & Freeda Carter - February 08 at 08:10 PM

KP

“ My condolences to the family, I was the UPS driver where he worked for the last 7 years before I retired in 2024. Gary and I became friends and he was always pleasant and friendly.
RIP my friend as you definitely will be missed!!💔

Ken Pasciak - February 06 at 01:39 PM

MC

Thank you Ken so much for your kind words. It means a great deal to hear from someone who knew Gary during those years. He truly valued the relationships he built with the people he saw every day, and I know your friendship meant a lot to him.

Gary was a very special person, and hearing memories like this reminds me how many lives he touched through his kindness and spirit.

Thank you for remembering him and for sharing this with our family. It truly means a lot.

Monique

Monique Carter - March 03 at 07:17 PM

LW

“ Law Office Of Cy Weiner purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Gary L. Carter.



Law Office Of Cy Weiner - February 06 at 12:05 PM

LW

“ Law Office Of Cy Weiner planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Gary L. Carter.

Law Office Of Cy Weiner - February 06 at 12:05 PM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Gary L. Carter.



February 06 at 09:59 AM

YM

“ Your Friends at Plante Moran planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Gary L. Carter.

Your Friends at Plante Moran - February 06 at 09:59 AM

LB

“ *To the Carter Family,
Sending my deepest sympathy and prayer to you during this difficult
time. Gary was such a friendly pleasant person and will be missed
by all at the Southfield Town Center.*

Linda Brooks - Tower 2000

Linda Brooks - February 06 at 09:48 AM

AM

*Gary was one of the first people I met 9th grade at Benny. True friend
from the beginning. Much love to the family. Monique, Nate, and Mark
my prayers go out to you.*

Allen Martin

Allen Martin - February 08 at 07:22 PM

SB

*I have had the honor of calling Gary my friend since we were teenagers
working at McDonald's. Always the same loving person who loved to
laugh. Monique, Nathaniel and Mark may the Holy Spirit comfort you in
this time of adjustment to Gary being absent from the body and present
with the Lord! Love you guys and will continue to pray for you all!*

*Pastor Stephen Bell,
Campina Grande, Paraíba
BRASIL*

Stephen Bell - February 10 at 11:22 AM

MC

Dear Linda,

Thank you for your kind words and for keeping our family in your prayers. It means so much to hear how Gary is remembered by those who saw him each day at the Southfield Town Center.

Gary truly enjoyed being there and took pride in making people feel welcome and cared for. Knowing that his friendly spirit touched so many lives brings comfort to our family during this difficult time.

We are grateful for your thoughtfulness and for remembering him so fondly.

*Warmly,
Monique Carter*

Monique Carter - March 03 at 07:22 PM

MC

Dear Allen,

Thank you so much for your kind message and for remembering Gary in such a special way. It means a great deal to our family.

Knowing that your friendship with Gary began back in your days at Benny and continued through the years says so much about the kind of friend he was. Gary truly valued those lifelong connections, and I know your friendship meant a lot to him.

Thank you for keeping our family in your prayers and for sharing your memories of him. We are grateful for the love and support.

*With appreciation,
Monique Carter*

Monique Carter - March 03 at 07:40 PM

GA

“ To the Carter Family with deepest sympathy. Thank you for sharing Gary with me for 8 yrs. I am truly going to miss my friend. He was my biggest fan and I was his. I'm going to miss all our laughs, talks and most of all his presence when I walked into the 3000 Town Center. My Buddy until we meet once again 🙏🙏🙏❤️🙏

Geranice Anderson - February 06 at 09:10 AM

MC

Dear Geranice,

Thank you for your beautiful message and for the care and friendship you shared with Gary over the years. It truly means so much to our family.

Gary spoke of you often and held your support and friendship very close to his heart. Knowing that you shared eight years of laughter, conversations, and encouragement with him brings me great comfort. Gary genuinely loved being at 3000 Town Center, and the people there were more than coworkers to him — they were family.

Hearing that you were his biggest fan and that he was yours reflects the kind of bond Gary valued deeply. Your friendship meant a great deal to him.

Thank you for loving my brother and for remembering him with such kindness. Gary will always hold a special place in our hearts, and like you so beautifully said, until we meet again.

*With heartfelt gratitude,
Monique Carter*

Monique Carter - March 03 at 07:28 PM

RA

“ Red Carpet Title Agency purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Gary L. Carter.



Red Carpet Title Agency - February 05 at 02:03 PM

RA

“ Red Carpet Title Agency planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Gary L. Carter.

Red Carpet Title Agency - February 05 at 02:03 PM

LV

“ My deepest condolences on the loss of Gary L. Carter.

He was truly one of a kind—genuine in every sense, consistently kind, always willing to lend a hand, and respectful to everyone he encountered. People like Gary leave a mark that doesn't fade, and his absence will be felt by all who were fortunate enough to know him.

May his memory bring comfort, and may the impact of his goodness continue to live on through the lives he touched. Wishing you strength, peace, and gentle healing during this difficult time.

Landy Vega

Landy Vega - February 05 at 07:11 AM

RG

*Sending prayers to the family
Raegina Gunn C/O 1985*

Raegina Gunn - February 07 at 06:14 PM

MC

Dear Landy,

Thank you for your heartfelt message and for remembering Gary in such a meaningful way. Your words truly touched our family.

Gary believed in treating people with kindness and respect, and it means so much to hear that the same spirit others experienced in him is what you remember most. He genuinely cared about people and always tried to be helpful wherever he could.

Knowing that his life left a lasting impression on those around him brings us comfort during this difficult time. We are grateful that Gary's kindness and presence will continue to live on in the memories of those who knew him.

Thank you again for your thoughtful condolences and support.

*Warm regards,
Monique Carter*

Monique Carter - March 03 at 07:33 PM



“ *Pink Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Gary L. Carter.*



February 04 at 10:54 AM

TT

“ *The Allied Security team planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Gary L. Carter.*

The Allied Security team - February 04 at 10:54 AM

MI

“ Rest in peace Gary. A friendly greeting to start my day and many others. My deepest condolences to your family. You will be missed and your impact was felt by many!

Mitch - February 04 at 10:19 AM

MC

Thank you so much for your kind words and condolences.

Gary truly loved greeting people each day and took pride in bringing a smile to those who walked through the Town Center. Hearing that his friendly spirit helped start your day means a great deal to our family.

We are grateful for the memories you shared with him and for remembering the impact he had on so many. Your thoughtfulness and support are deeply appreciated.

With sincere thanks,
Monique Carter

Monique Carter - March 03 at 07:39 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Gary L. Carter.



February 03 at 11:01 PM

PM

“ Prabhdiip M. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Gary L. Carter.

Prabhdiip M. - February 03 at 04:52 PM

EC

“ Elysium Inc at Town Center purchased the Sweet Tranquility Basket for the family of Gary L. Carter.



Elysium Inc at Town Center - February 03 at 02:36 PM

JM

“ Dear Gary (in Heaven), you were the best, you were the smile every morning coming into the town center, I will miss you dearly, I was happy to see you one more time! May you rest well now!
Love Always! Your friend Julie (TLC-town center) OXOXO

Julie Metas - February 03 at 02:21 PM

MC

Dear Julie,

Thank you for your beautiful message. Your words truly mean so much to our family.

Gary loved the people at the Town Center and took great joy in greeting everyone each day with a smile. Knowing that those moments meant something special to you brings comfort to my heart.

I'm grateful that you were able to see him one more time. Gary valued the friendships he built there, and I know your kindness and friendship meant a great deal to him.

Thank you for remembering him with such love. He will always hold a special place in our hearts.

*With appreciation,
Monique Carter*

Monique Carter - March 03 at 07:36 PM

JE

“ You were the heart of the STC, knew how to make people feel good, and somehow knew everyone's name, even if you met them once (easily hundreds of people). It won't be the same without you and we will miss you. Rest easy, friend.

Jen - February 03 at 02:13 PM

MC

Jen, Thank you so much for your kind and heartfelt words.

Gary truly loved being at the Southfield Town Center and took great pride in the relationships he built with so many people there. He had a special way of remembering names and making everyone feel seen and welcome, and hearing that those small moments meant something to others brings comfort to our family.

It means a great deal to know that Gary's presence made such an impact on the community he cared about so deeply. Our family is grateful for the memories you shared with him and for the kindness you've shown in remembering him.

*With sincere appreciation,
Monique Carter*

Monique Carter - March 03 at 07:34 PM

FT

“ From Stellantis GAPE VPE Electrical Team purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Gary L. Carter.



From Stellantis GAPE VPE Electrical Team - February 03 at 12:38 PM

AL

“ Thank You for loving me as I was your blood brother Gary! Take your rest!

Alfonzo - February 02 at 08:45 PM