



Gordon J. Goodman, Jr.

March 31, 1954 - December 28, 2007

Gordon J. Goodman, Jr., 53, a resident of ManorCare Health Services, Fond du Lac, died Friday, December 28, 2007, after a long battle with multiple sclerosis. He was born on March 31, 1954, in Fond du Lac, a son of Gordon K. and Elaine A. Mielke Goodman. Gordon graduated from Horace Mann High School, North Fond du Lac, Class of 1972. Gordon served with the United States Army from 1972-1974 and was stationed in Germany until he was honorably discharged. He married Gayle Jean Zuelsdorf on October 14, 1978, in Horicon. He was employed at Wells Manufacturing and then George Webb's Restaurant. His final job was working as a custodian with the Fond du Lac School District for over 15 years until he became physically disabled. Gordon taught confirmation classes at St. Bernard Catholic Church, Watertown. He was an avid Green Bay Packer fan. Gordon was a cheerful person and it was a pleasure to be in his presence. He is survived by his mother, Elaine; a son, Derek Goodman of Watertown; a daughter, Beth (Adam) Casto of Ashville, North Carolina; ex-wife, Gayle Goodman of Watertown; five brothers: Royal Goodman of North Fond du Lac, Keith (Lena) Goodman of Green Bay, David (Cathy) Goodman of Fond du Lac, Kevin (Betty) Goodman of Fond du Lac, Glenn Goodman of Milwaukee; three sisters: Joyce Kain of Fond du Lac, Deborah Heffner of Ironwood, Michigan, Wendy (Tom) Skotarzak of North Fond du Lac; nieces, nephews, three lifelong friends: Tim Nelson, Jeff and Dan Patt. He was preceded in death by his father, Gordon K. Goodman, on March 17, 1974 and his brother-in-law, Rudy Heffner, on December 15,

2007.A private Liturgy of the Word will be held at Mach Funeral Chapel, 31 East Division Street, Fond du Lac, with Deacon Larry Hughes officiating.

Tribute Wall

KA

“ *Gordy may you finally find peace. You will be missed by all who have known you. Our deepest sympathy to Beth and Derek.*

Kevin & Laura Asen - January 04, 2008 at 10:10 PM

RS

“ *i am so sorry for having lost touch with gordon over the years. he was such a bright light during some of my darker times. my wife and i will keep him and his family in our prayers.*

russ shaw - January 04, 2008 at 09:08 AM

RE

“ *Gordon J. Goodman, Jr.*

russ shaw of crawley, england - January 04, 2008 at 12:00 AM

KB

“ *To the Goodman family, Please accept our deepest sympathy at the passing of your son and brother. You will all be in our thoughts and prayers. God bless, Ken & Ellie*

Ken & Ellie Baierl - January 02, 2008 at 10:08 AM

KW

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Ken & Ellie Baierl of N. Fond du Lac, WI - January 02, 2008 at 12:00 AM

CG

“ *My condolences to the Goodman family on there loss.*

Chris Gravelle - December 30, 2007 at 07:55 PM

SM

“ *My prayers and thoughts are with you at this time. Never easy to lose a loved one, especially at this time of year.*

Susie (Yakaite) Mohr - December 30, 2007 at 06:58 PM

SC

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Susie (Yakaite) Mohr of Clinton, CT - December 30, 2007 at 12:00 AM

PW

“ *My Thoughts and Prayers are with you all.*
Paulette Warner

Paulette Warner - December 29, 2007 at 03:30 PM

PW

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Paulette Warner of Fond du Lac , wi - December 29, 2007 at 12:00 AM