

Robert 'Terrific' Collins

 Robert "Terrific" Collins, 66, of 3720 Lincoln St., Wisconsin Rapids, died Wednesday morning, Feb. 13, 2008, at Riverview Hospital.

Funeral services will be held at 1 p.m. Saturday at Taylor, Vollert & Jennings Funeral Home. The Rev. Timothy Wenger will officiate. Burial will be in Pioneer Cemetery in the town of Saratoga.

Bob was born Jan. 12, 1942, in Walworth, to Robert E. and Ruth (Knull) Collins. He was married to Jo Ann Bean on June 10, 1967. They were divorced in early 1981. He was remarried Sept. 5, 1981, to Shirley Cawley-Adams in Harvard, Ill.

After high school Bob "Rip" served in the U.S. Navy for 4½ years. During Vietnam he serviced aircraft for an air group based in Japan. He later worked in quality control for Cotter & Co. Manufacturing.

Bob was a life member of the Disabled American Vets and a former long-time member of the Moose Lodge. He enjoyed sports, especially the Chicago Bears, his beloved Cubs, the



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Blackhawks and the Bulls. He also enjoyed fishing, playing cards, gardening, lawn care and landscaping.

Survivors include his wife, Shirley Collins of Wisconsin Rapids; his son, Bob (Nikki) Collins of Cherry Valley, Ill.; his daughters, Robin (Eugene) Levto of Jacksonville, Fla., and Rebecca (Robert) D'Angelo of Woodstock, Ill.; his step-daughter, Geri (Joe) Banno of Beloit; his grandchildren, Noah Collins, Keegan Keip, Karah Keip, Joshua Levto, Anthony D'Angelo, Tara (Keith) Rhamy and Kelli Jo (Mitch) Quimby; his great-grandchildren, Sarah Christiansen, Konner Quimby and Kiara Quimby; his brothers, Dale (Bobbie) Collins of Harvard, Ill., and Randy (Pat) Collins of Beaufort, S.C.; his sisters, June Vest of Capron, Ill., and Lorretta (Gus) Gustafson of Harvard, Ill.; and his sister-in-law, Barbara Cawley of Beloit.

He was preceded in death by his parents; his brother, Edgar Collins; his step-daughter, Shirlene Hale; his brothers-in-law, Gene Vest and Elwyn Cawley; and his nephew, Mickey Vest.

Friends may call at Taylor, Vollert & Jennings Funeral home from 11 a.m. until the time of services Saturday.



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