



## David G. Gaffney

October 26, 1955 - September 8, 2008

David G. Gaffney, 52, Died peacefully 09/08/2008 at MetroHealth in Cleveland surrounded by his family. Date of Birth: 10/26/1955 in Ashtabula, Ohio.

Resident of Concord Twp for the past 17 years and former resident of Mentor

Memorial Mass: 11 AM Saturday

Location: Immaculate Conception Church, 2846 Hubbard Rd., Madison where Rev. David Baugh will be the celebrant.

Dave was board certified by the American Society of Industrial Security as a Certified Protection Professional CPP, Member of the Blue Knights - Ohio XV International Law Enforcement Motorcycle Club. Dave also served on the Mentor S.W.A.T. Team during his career with the Mentor Police Department, and during that time received many awards and commendations.

He was a manager of Corporate Security at Steris Corporation in Mentor, Retired Sergeant from Mentor Police Department after 21 years of service. Prior to Mentor, Dave was a patrolman with Madison police department.

Survived by wife of 25 Years: Michelle Timbers Gaffney; Children: Cassandra Gaffney, Beth Nicholas Dingle and Gregory Gaffney; Father: David H. Gaffney; Brother: Michael E. Gloria Gaffney; Father in Law: Larry Martha Timbers

Many nieces, nephews, aunts, uncles, cousins and sisters in law; Son of the late Margaret J. Gaffney and son in law of the late Ceal M. Timbers

Visitation: 4-8 PM FRIDAY

PLACE: Monreal Funeral Home  
35400 Curtis Blvd., Eastlake

Burial: Fairview Cemetery in Madison Village

Contributions can be made to American Lung Association 6100 Rockside Woods Blvd. # 260 Independence, OH 44131 or Blue Knights â€“ Ohio XV International Law Enforcement Motorcycle Club P.O. Box 660 Grand River, OH 44045

# Tribute Wall

GF

“ *RIP brother in blue.*

George Ferguson - October 12, 2016 at 12:00 AM

WH

“ *Long ago, I worked with Dave at Mentor P.D. I have always thought of him as one of my best friends even though I had not seen him for many years. This summer, my wife, Joan, and I met Dave in Geneva on the Lake. We reminisced for hours. I had not laughed that much in so many years. Dave told me, "They can't take away our memories." He was so right. I am priviledged to have known Dave as a friend. Our heart goes out to Dave's family for their great loss.*

Wayne & Joan Holden - October 12, 2016 at 12:00 AM

GC

“ *My most sincere condolences to your family. It was a honor to work with Dave and to know Michele and their children. He was a great friend and true hero. I am very grateful to have had him in my life. May God bless you. Brothers-In-Arms...*

Greg Chandler - October 12, 2016 at 12:00 AM

JJ

“ *My heart and prayers go to you and your family. God bless.*

Jay James - October 12, 2016 at 12:00 AM

JG

“ *To the Family and Friends of David Gaffney;*

*My deepest sympathy goes out to you during this time of sorrow. It has not been four months since I lost my Blue Knight son in a motorcycle accident, so I feel your pain more than most. My prayers are with you during this time of need, but know and believe that David will have many Blue Knight friends in Heaven One.*

*With all respect,*

*John P. T. Gordon  
Blue Knights Great Lakes  
international Representative*

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**John P. T. Gordon** - October 12, 2016 at 12:00 AM

RG

“ *My heart is heavy for his wonderful family. Dave was a terrific guy who was always there for everyone. I feel truly blessed that I knew him.*

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**Ron Graham** - October 12, 2016 at 12:00 AM

KL

“ *Best Friends are hard to find, and real true friendship is RARE!!!! I was Blessed to have Dave for my TRUE FRIEND. REST IN PEACE MY BEST FRIEND.*

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**Karl R. Lewkowski** - October 12, 2016 at 12:00 AM

WL

“ *My sincerest condolences to the family of Dave; Dave and I attended Madison High School together graduating in 1974. Dave and I also serve on the Madison Township Police Department together in the early 80s before going our separate ways, Dave to Mentor while I went to Houston Texas.*

*May your faith and memories of Dave be with you always.*

*Walt Leitch*

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**walter leitch** - October 12, 2016 at 12:00 AM

LS

“ *G&#229; med det Gods , Meg " kriger Venn ". Til Vi m&#248;tes igjen inne " alltid Summerland ". For to ti&#229;ret JEG red " m&#229;ten av forbindelsesveien " med du. JEG fikk nei beklagelser.*

*"Until we meet again, as once more Brothers-in-Arms.... "*

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**Leroy Staton** - October 12, 2016 at 12:00 AM