



Gary Grant Thobaben

December 16, 1941 - November 24, 2007

Gary Grant Thobaben, 65, Beloved husband of Carol Mraz Thobaben, dearest father of Gary Charles Thobaben, Joseph Thobaben and Barbara Huffstetler; grandfather of five; brother of Kermit Marshelle Thobaben; uncle cousin and nephew of many.

Gary was a U.S. Air Force Veteran, president of the Eastlake Area Kiwanis, member of the American Legion Post 678 Willowick/Eastlake, past president of the Eastlake Chamber of Commerce and a member of the Eastlake Financial Oversight Committee. He was an avid Cleveland sports fan and was involved in various local political activities. He was very patriotic. Mr. Thobaben retired in June 2001 from Euclid Hitachi Heavy Equipment Inc. after 20 years as IT Director.

The family suggests contributions in Gary's memory to the Eastlake Area Kiwanis Food Pantry, P.O. Box 7225, Eastlake, OH 44097.

Tribute Wall

AK

“ Dear Carol and Gary, We want to extend our sympathy at the death of Gary, your husband and father. You are both in our thoughts and prayers as you journey through this difficult time. Lean on your family and friends and allow the Lord to wrap you in His compassionate embrace. Know that Gary rests in eternal peace. Love, George, Anne, and Chris

Anne, George, and Chris Kasbek - October 12, 2016 at 12:00 AM

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“ To the Thobaben Family,
We want to assure you that you have our deepest sympathy and we will keep you in prayer, asking God to give you comfort and strength during this difficult period.

Henry & Dianne Ford - October 12, 2016 at 12:00 AM

DA

“ Gary was very well liked at Euclid. I greatly admired his people skills and learned a great deal from him.

Dave Auld - October 12, 2016 at 12:00 AM

JM

“ My deepest hearty condolences to Mrs. Carol Thobaben and family. I have worked under Gary at Euclid-Hitachi and he braught me to Cleveland/Eastlake from Chicago to work as contractor. I will remember him whole life.

Jayanta Mukherjee - October 12, 2016 at 12:00 AM

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“ *My sincere condolences. I've been with Hitachi Euclid since 1989 and I really enjoyed working with Gary over the years. He will be greatly missed.*

Allison Rehel - October 12, 2016 at 12:00 AM