



Joseph Alan Gilroy

October 4, 1981 - August 18, 2016

Joseph Alan Gilroy, 34, of Nanjemoy, Maryland died on August 18, 2016.

Joe, as he was affectionately known as, was born on October 4, 1981 in Seneca, South Carolina to Carolyn Lee Gilroy and Marvin Lee Gilroy. He was a Heavy Equipment Operator with Infrasource, LLC and a member of the Pipefitters Union and the international union of operating engineers AFL-CIO. Joe enjoyed fishing, being at campfires, listening to country music and being with his family and friends.

In addition to his parents, Joe is survived by his brother Daniel Blackwell and his wife Amy; his nephew Matthew Lee Blackwell; many friends and co-workers.

Visitation will be held on Tuesday, August 23, 2016 from 5 PM until time for the Memorial Service to begin at 7PM at the Raymond Funeral Service, P.A., 5635 Washington Avenue, La Plata, MD 20646. Interment will be private.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to BB and T Bank (Routing Number 055003308), P. O. Box 787, La Plata, MD 20646 (301-934-4811) in the account of Marvin or Joseph Gilroy.

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG **23**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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Memorial Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Joseph Alan Gilroy*

October 08, 2023 at 10:45 PM



“ *Joseph Alan Gilroy*

October 04, 2023 at 03:12 PM



“ *Hi Carolyn,*

I pray that God will strengthen and see you through these trying times your are facing. My condolences to you and your family. Hope to see you soon!

Trena Robinson

T. Robinson - August 30, 2016 at 04:18 PM



“ *Carolyn- I am incredibly saddened to hear about your loss. My deepest condolences and thoughts are with you and your family. We will all be here for you in any way we can during this difficult time. - Kelly Roesing*

Kelly Roesing - August 29, 2016 at 08:23 AM



“ *Basket of Joy was purchased for the family of Joseph Alan Gilroy.*



August 26, 2016 at 05:25 PM



“ *Susan Newton-rhodes lit a candle in memory of Joseph Alan Gilroy*



susan newton-rhodes - August 25, 2016 at 04:20 PM



holding your family in my thoughts and prayers during your time of loss. my deepest condolences on the loss of your son.

susan newton-rhodes - August 25, 2016 at 04:22 PM



“ *Carolyn,
I was so saddened to hear about your son's passing. I hope and pray that you will have the strength during this time of loss. Please know that our family is keeping you and yours in our prayers and thoughts.*

Michelle Barcenas

Michelle Barcenas - August 25, 2016 at 07:33 AM

MD

“ *The tears of a parent are precious. Please accept my deepest condolence for the loss of your son. I pray for your comfort and peace. In the midst of it all, smile as you remember Joseph. Remember the love.*

Michelle Dickens - August 23, 2016 at 08:56 PM

MN

“ *Carolyn and Marvin my heart aches for you both. Carolyn you have always been a great mom and I am sure both of your son's would agree with me on this. Bubba you came in and carried my best friend away from me but please know that that was the best thing that could have ever happened to her. Y'all were meant to be together and I am glad that I helped in any small way that I could to help that happen. You have been a wonderful dad to Danny and Joe and I know that through the love y'all shared that helped mold the boys into the men they became. Joe gave you all grief from time to time but he was a good person and just enjoyed life. His smirky little smile and those dimples were always on his face. Always remember the fun and good times y'all have had and let his precious memories sustain you. As I sat on your front porch reflecting today I thought of Joe. I saw a butterfly and thought about how soft and quiet Joe was. Then I saw a hummingbird at the feeder and thought about the little daredevil he always was. Then I saw a bumblebee and thought how much strength he had in his wings to be able to carry his load and this too made me think of Joe the invincible. Suddenly a breeze came and made the chimes ring. I told him I heard him and that all would be good. Next three butterflies flew up and they too reminded me that Joe was surrounded by friends and loved ones both here and in heaven. Finally another hummingbird came and lighted on your flowers and it just hovered for a minute then it appeared to look at me grin a Joey grin and fly off. No I'm not crazy. Just reflective.*



Martha Norris - August 23, 2016 at 05:21 PM

MS

“ Dear Carolyn,

There are no good words to express how sorry I am for your loss, but just know that I am holding your entire family, including Joseph, in the Light. I am praying for comfort and peace for you all, and if there is anything that we can do to help you in this difficult time, please call on us, we are here for you !

- Marcia Sigal

Marcia Sigal - August 23, 2016 at 05:15 PM

PS

“ Carolyn and Marvin I am so truly sorry for your loss. Words will never ease the pain and sorrow I know you must be feeling, but please know that I sincerely wish you peace, comfort and prayers as you both deal with loss of your Joe.

Paula Scholten - August 23, 2016 at 03:40 PM

PS

“ Paula Scholten lit a candle in memory of Joseph Alan Gilroy



Paula Scholten - August 23, 2016 at 03:32 PM

ET

“ Carolyn,

I'm so sorry for your loss. Please accept my deepest condolences. I will keep you and your family in my thoughts.

Eddie Tsibulevskiy

Eddie Tsibulevskiy - August 23, 2016 at 01:52 PM

BN

“ Carolyn and Marvin I am so sad about the loss of your handsome son, Joey. I remember dancing with him at your wedding. I thought he was the cutest boy in the world when I saw him again at your sisters house. He was gorgeous. I think my mom always wanted me and him to hook up so that y'all would really be sisters. Know that she loves you and that she is closer to you than anyone else. I love you and am sorry I couldn't come. I will always remember how cute he was. Love Bronda



Bronda Norris - August 23, 2016 at 11:26 AM

TM

“ Dear Carolyn,

My deepest condolences to you and your family for your loss. You and your family are in my thoughts and prayers during this difficult time.

Tanya McInnis

Tanya McInnis - August 23, 2016 at 09:44 AM

Jl

“ Carolyn, my deepest sympathies for your loss. You and your family are in my thoughts and prayers.

Joe Iannuzzi - August 23, 2016 at 08:45 AM

JR

“ Please accept my most heartfelt sympathy for your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family during this difficult time.

Joan Reid-Patrick

Joan Reid-Patrick - August 23, 2016 at 06:46 AM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Joseph Alan Gilroy.

August 22, 2016 at 04:10 PM



LJ

“ Lisa M. Jones purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Joseph Alan Gilroy.

Lisa M. Jones - August 22, 2016 at 01:18 PM



GT

“ Carolyn,

My prayers are with you and your family during this difficult time. Your faith and everyone's prayers will help you get through your grief.

*Sincerely,
Gail Thomas*

Gail Thomas - August 22, 2016 at 01:15 PM

JP

“ Carolyn,

My deepest condolences to you and your family for your loss. I will be sure to keep you in my thoughts and prayers.

Jason Papaj - August 22, 2016 at 01:00 PM

MS

“ Carolyn,

I will keep you and your family in my thoughts and prayers during this time. May your many wonderful memories of your son comfort you all during difficult times.

Mia Sowell

Mia Sowell - August 22, 2016 at 12:31 PM

IF

“ *Infrasource Family purchased the Serenity Wreath for the family of Joseph Alan Gilroy.*



Infrasource Family - August 22, 2016 at 12:29 PM

HH

“ Carolyn, I am so sorry for your families loss. You all are in my thoughts and prayers.

Heather Hunt - August 22, 2016 at 12:25 PM

WD

Dear Carolyn:

I am terribly sorry for your loss. You and your family are in my thoughts and prayers.

Wendy Diao

Wendy Diao - August 22, 2016 at 01:55 PM

RG

“ Ruth Gilroy lit a candle in memory of Joseph Alan Gilroy



Ruth Gilroy - August 22, 2016 at 11:46 AM

LU

“ I befriended Joe a couple years ago. He clearly was a holy spirit walking this earth. Now is in spirit only. I texted him frequently after receiving news his dad was going to cross the river. Now Joe will be there to greet him. God bless. A truly great and compassionate son of God.

Lulu - August 22, 2016 at 08:26 AM

JB

“ Joe was my best friend. Even tho there was times we didn't talk as often as we should there wasnt a day that went by I didn't think of him and miss him. He was a good man always willing to help anybody with anything and he always knew just what to say in certain times of need. I have many many good memories with Joe that I will forever cherish. I loved him very much as did many. I prayed for him always and especially now, my prayers are with Ms Carolyn, Bubba and their entire family in their time of need.

jennifer bryant - August 21, 2016 at 09:40 AM

JM

Carolyn, Marvin and Danny, our thoughts and prayers are with you during this difficult time. RIP Joe

John and Paula McDonough - August 23, 2016 at 09:38 AM