



Rolland "Gene" Belford

May 19, 1960 - March 19, 2025

Rolland "Gene" Belford, 64, of Paulding, Ohio passed away at his home on Wednesday, March 19, 2025. He was born in Wauseon, Ohio on May 19, 1960 to the late Robert and Frances (Wesley) Belford.

Gene was a member of the Paulding Eagles and loved to go fishing. He enjoyed watching the Dallas Cowboys, Ohio State Buckeyes and NASCAR. Gene was a wild fun-loving guy who enjoyed life and making people laugh. His greatest treasure was being with his family, especially his grandsons, Bubba, Cobain and River.

Gene is survived by his wife, Tina; children, Matt (Becky) Belford, Ashley Belford, Rachael (Brian) Rittenhouse, Breannah (Luke) Baker; 10 grandchildren; 7 great grandchildren; brothers, Albert Belford and Mark Belford; and brother-in-law, Darwyn Badenhop. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by sisters, Kathy Badenhop and Brenda Belford; and brothers, Jerry Belford, Larry Belford, Michael Belford, and Robert Belford.

Friends and family will be received at the Rodenberger-Gray Funeral Home, Napoleon, on Tuesday, March 25, 2025, from 11:00 AM until the time of services at 1:00 PM. Interment will follow at Forest Hill Cemetery, Napoleon. Memorial contributions may be made to a charity of your choice. Online condolences may be shared with the family at rodenbergergray.com.

Cemetery Details

Forest Hill Cemetery

500 E. Maumee Ave
Napoleon, OH 43545

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 25. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Rodenberger Funeral Home - Napoleon
1010 Westmoreland Avenue
Napoleon, OH 43545

Funeral Service

MAR 25. 1:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Rolland "Gene" Belford.*



March 24, 2025 at 12:05 PM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Rolland "Gene" Belford.*



March 24, 2025 at 08:15 AM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Rolland "Gene" Belford.*

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“ *I will miss you my sweet husband! You gave me the best 7 years of my life, rest easy my darling, no more pain!*

Tina Belford - March 22, 2025 at 11:40 AM