Obituary



David R. Babcook, 69 of West Burlington, died at 1:50 p.m. Saturday, April 3. 2021 at his residence.

Born April 18, 1951 in Burlington, he was the son of Paul C. and Ellen (Deitch) Babcook. He married Irene Suntken in Burlington on March 11, 1972.

David graduated from Burlington High School. He served in the United State Army. He retired after working 36 years for Burlington Northern as a railroad machinist. He was a member of First Assembly of God Church. He loved playing guitar and singing, woodworking, fishing, hunting, arrowhead hunting, gardening and spending time with his grandchildren. He was a loyal Chicago Cubs fan. Survivors include his wife of 49 years, Irene of West Burlington; children, Paul (Lisa) Babcook of

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Burlington, Jessica (Jason) Rashid of Bettendorf, IA, and Hannah (Shane) Mayahi of Burlington; and eight grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents; and three sisters, Paula Marsh, Goldie Knight, and Delora Robertson.

The memorial funeral service for Mr. Babcook will be 11:00 a.m. Friday, April 9th at Lunning Chapel. Pastor Don Crawford will officiate. Military rites will be accorded by the Burlington Area Veterans Honor Guard. Inurnment will be at a later date in Aspen Grove Cemetery. Visitation will be 9:00 a.m. until the time of service where family will receive friends. Cremation has been entrusted to Lunning Chapel.