



## John Allan Dietz

July 10, 1949 - October 14, 2016

John Allan Dietz, 67, of Murrayville passed away, Oct. 14, 2016, at the Springfield Memorial Medical Center following a long illness and is now taking his victory lap in Heaven with his Lord. He was born, July 10, 1949, in Jacksonville, the son of Walter L. and Virginia L. Frost Dietz. He married Beverly K. Reid, May 21, 1977, in Murrayville.

Surviving is his wife, Bev of Murrayville; daughter, Heather Dietz of Maywood; and brother-in-law, Rodney Reid of Murrayville. He was preceded in death by one son, Kyle Dietz and one sister, Kay Hall.

John was a member of the Roodhouse First Baptist Church where he served as a deacon. He was a retired heavy equipment operator out of Operating Engineers Local #965 of Springfield. He was a Murrayville volunteer firemen for many years. John enjoyed street rods, muscle cars, NASCAR, stock car racing, and riding motorcycles with Bev. His life was dedicated to helping other which sent him on mission trips to Honduras, Haiti, and Mexico. Most of all, he was a loving husband and father and cherish the time he spent with his family.

Bev and Heather would like to thank everyone for their prayers, cards, calls, and acts of kindness during John's extended illness.

Funeral services will be held 10:00 a.m. Wednesday, Oct. 19, 2016 at the

Roodhouse First Baptist Church with interment in the Murrayville City Cemetery. Visitation will be held Tuesday from 4:00 until 7:00 p.m. at the Daws Family Funeral Home in South Jacksonville. Memorials are suggested to the Roodhouse First Baptist Church.

# Cemetery Details

## Murrayville City Cemetery

Murrayville, IL

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT **18.** 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Daws Family Funeral Home - Jacksonville  
508 W. Vandalia  
Jacksonville, IL 62650  
(217) 243-0444  
mackeydawsfuneralhome@yahoo.com

## Service

OCT **19.** 10:00 AM (CT)

Roodhouse First Baptist Church  
East Side of Square  
Roodhouse, IL

# Tribute Wall



“ *John Allan Dietz*

January 28, 2023 at 11:11 AM



“ *132 files added to the album LifeTributes*



Daws Funeral Homes - October 18, 2016 at 12:01 PM



“ *To John's family, I am so sorry for your loss. My thoughts are with you all.*

*Dan Currier*

Dan Currier - October 17, 2016 at 06:48 PM



“ *Heather Dietz lit a candle in memory of John Allan Dietz*



Heather Dietz - October 17, 2016 at 06:45 PM

JC

“ You are in our thoughts and prayers,

*JoAnn Chumley & The All Occasion's Staff*



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**JoAnn Chumley** - October 17, 2016 at 09:34 AM

HD

“ I love you so much!! You were an amazing dad! Take care of Kyle!!!

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**Heather Dietz** - October 16, 2016 at 09:56 PM

CS

“ Cindy Suiter lit a candle in memory of John Allan Dietz



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**Cindy Suiter** - October 16, 2016 at 12:48 AM

RF

*Will miss your open heart and kind nature.*

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**Ron Frost** - October 18, 2016 at 01:02 PM