## **Robert Roland Knight**

November 19, 1943 (Rockford, IL)

November 13, 2014 (Rockford, IL)

urrounded by his family, Robert Roland Knight, 70, went to be with his Lord and Savior at 5:09 p.m. on November 13, 2014, in Rockford's Fairhaven Christian Retirement Center. He was born November 19, 1943, in Rockford to Robert and Doris (Roland) Knight.

A 1961 graduate of West High School and Pillsbury Baptist Bible Baptist College (Owatonna, MN), Robert was united in marriage to Nancy McCrillis on August 20, 1965, in Rockford. Robert served as Pastor at numerous Baptist churches and other ministries in the Midwest. He was also a licensed Nursing Home Administrator.



He is survived by Wife, Nancy; Children, Kim Knight (Rockford), Kevin (Melodi) Knight (Cherry Valley, IL), and Jason (Holly) Knight (Marysville, OH); 13 Grandchildren; three Great-Grandchildren; Siblings, Rachael (Dean) Blakeney and Judi (Tim) Rehfeldt (all of Rockford), and Sue (Dean) Collings (Aylett, VA), (Rockford); and numerous nieces, nephews, and cousins. Robert was predeceased by his Parents; Daughter, Wendy Knight Farmer; and In-laws, Wallace and Donna McCrillis.

The Knight family is grateful to the staff at Fairhaven and Heartland Hospice for their loving care.



Visitation will be from 10:00 a.m. to 11:45 a.m. on Saturday, November 22nd at First Baptist Church in Machesney Park, 718 Harlem Road. The Funeral Service begins at noon with Pastor Kelvin Swanson officiating.

In lieu of flowers, Memorials may be made to the family. Interment will be in Sunset Memorial Gardens, 8800 N. Alpine Road, Machesney Park. Grace Funeral & Cremation Services is assisting the family. To share a memory or condolence, visit

www.graceFH.com.

## **References:**

Robert Knight Obituary (2014) - Rockford, IL - Rockford Register Star (legacy.com)

Robert R. Knight Obituary - Visitation & Funeral Information (gracefh.com)