



Steven Ogdon Gardner

September 18, 1946 - February 13, 2017

Steven Ogdon Gardner, 70, of Lakewood Ranch, Florida passed away Monday February 13, 2017.

Born in Oak Park, Illinois to the late Lloyd T. Gardner and the late Betty F. Ogdon Gardner. Steve worked in insurance marketing for many years. He will be remembered as a man of integrity and generosity. Steve had a sense of humor, was kind hearted and people loving.

Steve is survived by his cherished and beloved wife, Paree Sekeris Gardner and his brother L. Thomas Gardner, Jr.

The family will receive friends Friday, February 17, 2017 from 6 to 8:00 PM at Toale Brothers Funeral Home, 40 North Orange Avenue, Sarasota, Florida 34236 with a Trisagion service being held at 7:00 PM in the chapel.

The Funeral Service will be held 11:00 AM Saturday February 18, 2017 at St. Barbara Greek Orthodox Church, 7671 North Lockwood Ridge Road, Sarasota, Florida 34243.

Interment will be at a later date.

In lieu of flowers the family requests that donations be made to Saint Barbara

Greek Othodox Church Scholarship Fund, the GOYA or Ladies Philoptochos Scholarship Fund.

"To live in the hearts of those we left behind is not to die." T. Campbell

Tribute Wall

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“ *A life lived with so much love never really ends but goes on forever in the hearts of those who remember. In memory and celebration of the life of our dearest Steve, who made this world a brighter and better place. We will miss you.*

Love, Carol and Bud

Carol and Bud Radloff - February 19, 2017 at 12:00 AM

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*We'll miss you always,
Carol and Bud*

Carol and Bud Radloff - February 19, 2017 at 12:00 AM

AK

“ *Dear Patee
So sorry to hear of your loss! So unexpected!
You are in our thoughts and prayers !
Much love
Aya and John*

Aya Konstantinou - February 18, 2017 at 12:00 AM

KW

“ *Patee- I'm so sorry to hear of your loss. Thinking of you and hoping the years of happiness carry you through this time of sorrow.*

Kristina Brushaber Willard - February 17, 2017 at 12:00 AM

JB

“ *Paree, I am so very sorry to hear of the death of your husband. You were together for decades. The hole in your heart, and the emptiness in your home has to be terribly difficult. Please accept my condolences and my hope that your memories, your family, and your strength will help you in your next chapter.*

Janet Barkley - February 16, 2017 at 12:00 AM

CO

“ *Remembering all the great times and laughs at family gatherings in Lombard and Glen Ellyn. Sending our love your way.*

Cole & Kathy Ogdon - February 15, 2017 at 12:00 AM