



## Neil Gilbert

March 3, 1947 - December 30, 2014

Neil V. Gilbert, 67, Tecumseh, passed away Tuesday, December 30, 2014, at his home. Neil was born March 3, 1947, in Hays, Kansas, the son of Lael and Ruby Veatch Gilbert. He was a 1965 graduate of Topeka West High School and a Washburn University graduate. Neil served our country in the Army Reserves. He was united in marriage to Cynthia M. Corona, who died July 31, 2000. On September 2, 2007, Neil and Kathy Lawson were married. Neil was a jack-of-all-trades. If he couldn't fix it, it couldn't be fixed. Neil was exceptionally generous, lending his time and talent to many. He had a life-long passion for cars. He liked tools, beer, John Deere, bonfires, Lake Jivaro and Grace Farm. He loved his family and was crazy about his grandbabies. Neil was much loved and will be dearly missed. Survivors include his wife, Kathy; children, Chad Gilbert (Michelle), Brant Gilbert, Justin V. Lael Gilbert (Kristy), Noel Gilbert, AJ Lawson (Denise), Audra Davies (Ty); grandchildren, Taryn, Charlee, Cal and Mia; his mother, Ruby Gilbert; and siblings, Gary Gilbert (Sharon) and Marcia Smith (Kenny). Neil was also preceded in death by his father, Lael Gilbert. Neil will lie in state from 1 p.m. Friday until 7 p.m. at Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home, 2801 SW Urish Road, Topeka KS 66614. Family will greet friends from 5 to 7 p.m. Friday at the funeral home. Please jot down your favorite "Neil" story or take a moment at the funeral home on the cards provided. Funeral service will be at 10 a.m. Saturday at Sacred Heart Church, 312 NE Freeman Avenue, Topeka KS 66616. Burial will follow at Mt. Hope Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions are suggested to

the Noel Gilbert Education Fund at any Educational Credit Union.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Neil Gilbert*

January 28, 2023 at 12:08 PM



“ *Justin and Kristy,*

*I'm sorry to hear about the loss of your Father. Keep the happy times close to your heart. Time does help the pain but the memories never fade.*

**Chris Noack** - January 08, 2015 at 10:34 PM



“ *Justin & Family,*

*So very sorry to hear of the loss of your father, I know you were close from the several times he came to the CBGB Office. Let his precious memories always be close to your hearts.*

*God Bless,  
Deva*

**Deva Randel** - January 08, 2015 at 10:25 AM



“ *We were sorry to hear about your loss Kathy. Our thoughts are with you and the family.*

**Steve and Rhonda Brown** - January 02, 2015 at 07:20 PM