



## John "Raven" Charles Dietrich

May 2, 1958 - July 18, 2015

John "Raven" Charles Dietrich, age 57 of Merrillville, passed away on July 18, 2015. He was born May 2, 1958 in South Bend, IN to Ken and Joy (nee Fox) Dietrich. He graduated from Merrillville High School, Class of 1977. On August 15, 1981 he married Beth Ann (nee Benedict) of Schererville. John had a passion for his family, Renaissance Faires and motorcycles. He is survived by his wife of 34 years, Beth Ann; daughter – Jennifer Lynn Dietrich of Columbus, OH; parents – Ken and Joy Dietrich of Merrillville; brother – Jeff (Cara) Dietrich of Mooresville, IN; niece – Danielle; nephews – Jacob and Alex; brother – Tim (Robin) Dietrich of Francesville, IN; nephews – Eric, Nicholas and Jacob.

A celebration funeral service will be held on Monday, July 20, 2015 at 5:30 p.m. at Burns Funeral Home, 10101 Broadway, Crown Point, Pastor Rose Fier officiating. Friends are invited to meet with John's family on Monday from 3:00 p.m. until the time of service. Memorial donations may be made to the American Heart Assn. Services will conclude at Burns Funeral Home with cremation following. [www.burnsfuneral.com](http://www.burnsfuneral.com).

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL 20. 3:00 PM - 5:30 PM (CT)

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## Celebration of Life

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# Tribute Wall

 John  
Brunette

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**John Brunette** - November 16, 2015 at 01:39 AM

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“ *Raven - You will be so missed. You were always like a dad to me when I went to Bristol. I always felt safe around you and felt supported by you, especially during troubled times. May you rest in peace now and enjoy heaven. You will be missed very much!!*

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**Angela** - July 21, 2015 at 12:28 PM

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“ *RIP, I'll miss our talks.*

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**duncan** - July 21, 2015 at 06:57 AM



“ *Basket Full of Wishes was purchased for the family of John "Raven" Charles Dietrich.*



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July 20, 2015 at 11:18 AM