



## Rodney L. Swadener

March 9, 1939 - April 22, 2022

Rodney L. Swadener age 83, of LaPorte passed away peacefully at his daughter's home in Crown Point, April 22, 2022.

He was born March 9, 1939 in Terre Haute, Indiana to Lee and Macie (Jacobs) Swadener.

Rodney is survived by spouse- Karen (McMahon) Swadener; daughter- Rhonda (Michael) Russ; grandchildren- Nicholas Russ, Courtney (Daniel) Edwards, and great-grandchildren- Jonathan, Summer, and Willow Edwards, as well as several neices and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents and beloved sister- Ellen Sue (Ralph) Marvel of Fishers Indiana.

Whenever anyone thinks of Rodney, they think of his sense of humor and love of animals. He never met a "puppy dog" he didn't like. Animals sensed this and instantly gravitated to him for much loved attention. Rodney had a very special bond with his grand dog- Moe. We like to think that he and Moe are together on the couch in sky watching The Price is Right.

Burns Funeral Home & Crematory, Crown Point, entrusted with arrangements. A private Celebration of Life will take place at a later date. In lieu of flowers,

memorial contributions can be made to your local animal shelter. [www.burnsfu  
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