



Edward Eugene Reed

April 10, 1952 - September 9, 2020

Mr. Edward Eugene Reed, 68, of Scottsboro, passed away on Wednesday, September 9, 2020.

Gene was a dedicated church man serving many congregations in the North Alabama area in his life, as a choir director, choir member, Sunday school teacher, and most recently as organist at First United Methodist Church where he was a member.

Gene was a graduate of UAH where he received a BA degree and also completed post graduate studies. He began as a public school teacher, moved into computer programming, and finally software design.

He is survived by his wife, Marilyn Morris Reed; 3 daughters, Melissa Reed Hart of Hazel Green, Erica Reed Branch of Biloxi, MS, and Jennifer Reed Tabor of Huntsville; 1 brother, Winston Reed of Searcy, AK; aunt, Joyce Sons of Huntsville; 10 grandchildren; a niece, nephew, and several cousins.

Gene was born in Scottsboro, the son of Doris Reed Rousseau and Raymond Reed, who preceded him in death.

A private burial was held Friday, September 11, 2020 at Cedar Hill Cemetery and a memorial is planned in late October at First United Methodist Church.

Arrangements Entrusted to Scottsboro Funeral Home

Tribute Wall



“ *Edward Eugene Reed*

October 05, 2023 at 01:26 AM



“ *I only recently found out about this sad news. Gene and I were friends forty years ago when he was attending UAH and working at a local music store. He was a very gifted piano player. He and I were part of a group in town that had an appreciation of comic books, old radio, tv shows and movies. Gene especially loved westerns. We found out later we had Jackson County connections. Gene's interest in comics grew beyond fandom into the academic realm as he became a premier authority on the subject, cataloging and publishing useful research indexes. Above all I remember Gene as a man of faith with love of his family.*

Rick Storey - July 11, 2021 at 04:52 PM



“ *Marilyn,
I was so very sorry to hear of Gene's passing. My heart hurts for you. May God comfort you at this time. Remember that we have hope through Jesus Christ that we will see our loved ones again and there will be no goodbyes or parting in Heaven.
Much Love, Annette Lusk Butler*

Annette Lusk Butler - September 16, 2020 at 03:58 PM