



Ralph A. Gibson, III

November 24, 1944 - March 29, 2011

DELMAR- - Ralph A. Gibson, III, 66, of Delmar, died Tuesday, March 29, 2011 at his home, surrounded by his loving family.

Ralph was born November 24, 1944 in Casper, Wyoming, a son of the late Ralph A. Gibson, Jr. and Ella L. Briggs Gibson. He graduated from Delmar High with the class of 1962. He started his work with DuPont in Seaford right after school. In October 1967 he started working for the Pennsylvania Railroad and retired as an engineer in November of 2004. He spent his retirement working on his farm just outside of Delmar. He loved working in the fields, planting the crops and harvesting them. He loved taking walks in the fields and woods.

He is survived by his wife of 46 years, Gail Waller Gibson; two sons, David A. Gibson and his wife, Kim and Donald G. Gibson and his wife, Arlene, all of Delmar; and two grandchildren who gave him so many great times, Krystin A. Gibson and Zachary A. Gibson; he is also survived by two brothers, Brian L. Gibson and his wife, Karen of Pennsylvania and George G. Gibson and his wife, Linda of Pennsylvania; and many nieces, nephews and cousins.

A gathering of family and friends will be held on Sunday, April 10, 2011 from 1:00 to 4:00 p.m. at the Gibson home, 6379 Leterbuc Lane, Delmar.

Memorial contributions may be made in his memory to Delaware Hospice, 100 Patriots Way, Milford, DE, 19963, or American Cancer Society, P.O. Box 163, Salisbury, MD 21803.

Online condolences may be sent to the family by visiting www.shortfh.com. Arrangements are in the care of Short Funeral Home in Delmar.

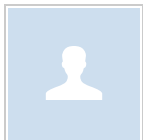
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“ *Gail, I was so sorry to hear about Ralph. Much love and my prayers go out to you and your dear family.*

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“ *I am so sorry for your loss. Prayers to you and your family. My heart goes out to all of you.##imported-begin##Laurie Bireley##imported-end##*

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“ *To Gail and her family
My thoughts and prayers are with you all for the loss of your husband and father. All who knew Ralph loved and appreciated the man that he was, Ralph always had a way about him of making everyone feel very special. He has been a dear friend for many years and has put many smiles on our faces, and in our hearts. The memory of him as a good man, dear friend, great father and a loving husband will always be with us. Roger and I are here for you..##imported-begin##Diana Dean##imported-end##*

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“ *While we are mourning the loss of our friend,
others are rejoicing to meet him behind the veil.*

~John Taylor

My heart is with you during this time of loss.

Much love,

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