



## Earl Henry Thiele

March 20, 1941 - August 21, 2012

Earl Henry Thiele passed away on Tuesday, August 21, 2012 at the age of 71. He was born on March 20, 1941 in Buffalo, NY to the late Henry and Eileen Thiele. In his younger years, Earl worked on the family farm, where he learned the rewards of hard work. After graduating from college in 1958, he moved to southern Florida and started his career as a property developer. Earl was a Christian man, and locally celebrated his faith at the Southpointe Baptist Fellowship. For the last sixteen years Earl has used his abilities and talent to strengthen and expand the Plantation development here in Leesburg. Earl was known for his business sense, and being tough but fair, but he also had a heart of gold, and was a generous man. He is survived by his loving wife Sandra Thiele of Leesburg, a son; Lee (Tammy) Thiele of Orlando, and a daughter; Marleen (Bill) Murzullo of Getzville, NY, along with two grand-daughters; Stephanie and Allissa. Earl is also survived by two step-sons; Sean Nelson of Ocala, and Jerry (Joanne) Eller of Orlando. He was preceded in death by his daughter Cheryl and wife Sally Thiele. Visitation will be held on Sunday, Aug. 26, 2012 from 1:00 until 4:00 p.m. in the Page-Theus Funeral Home. Funeral Services will be held on Monday, Aug, 27, 2012 at 11:00 a.m. in the Southpointe Baptist Fellowship Church. Entombment will follow in Hillcrest Memorial Gardens. In lieu of flowers memorials in Earl's honor may be sent to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital in Memphis, TN. or to Breast Cancer Awareness. Page-Theus Funeral Home And Cremation Services

# Comments

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“ My Dear Father, Tammy and I will miss you so very much, however, we know in our hearts that you are finally at peace and no longer suffering. We have honored all of your wishes, and it is our sincere desire that your eternal life will be as blessed as the life you shared with us. Dad, you will always be in our hearts and have left an everlasting imprint on both of our souls. With our eternal love, Lee & Tammy The Lord is close to the broken hearted; He rescues those whose spirits are crushed. ~ Psalm 34:18

**Lee & Tammy Thiele** - August 24, 2012 at 07:19 PM

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“ As an employee of MR THIELE (13 years) until the resident "buyout", I had the utmost respect for him as he ALWAYS did me good and fair. He ran a "tight ship" and got the job done. He may have ruffled some feathers but by golly he made the PLANTATION a fine place to live. He will be missed! My thoughts are with the THIELE family.

**Terry Oldham** - August 24, 2012 at 06:00 PM

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“ Dear Sandy We are so sorry for your loss. We are your neighbors at the end cul de sac on Madewood Ave. May the comfort of God be with you and all of Earl's family. Sincerely, The Collier's

**Pat & Jerry Collier** - August 24, 2012 at 04:36 PM