



## Dennis James Badovinac

November 24, 1956 - May 1, 2022

Dennis James Badovinac, 65, passed away on May 1, 2022 in South Jordan, Utah. He was born on November 24, 1956 in Gary Indiana to Nicholas and Julia Badovinac.

Dennis was a long time Northwest Indiana resident who graduated from Hobart High School. He retired from Bethlehem Steel in 2018. Dennis had a passion for photography that eventually led him into a long time photography career in Northwest Indiana. His children often tagged along to work beside him. His daughter (Melanie Brown) soon followed his path in photography. He was an avid sports fan of the Hobart Brickies, Chicago Cubs and Notre Dame. He enjoyed old classic horror movies, Svengoolie, working out and spending time with his family, including his beloved grandchildren. He eventually moved to Utah in 2020.

He is survived by his loving children: Melanie (David) Brown of Herriman, UT, and Bradley Badovinac of Lowell, IN. Two grandchildren Emily Brown and Cameron Brown. One brother Jerry (Maryann) Badovinac, Atlanta, GA. Four sisters, Nancy Franz of Hobart, IN, Shirley (Donald) Morales of Downers Grove, IL, Sharon (Robert) Cech of Chicago, IL, Diane (Paul) Mills of Portage, IN, eleven nieces and nephews and was a friend to many.

Preceded in death by his loving parents Nicholas and Julia Badovinac.

Memorial services will be announced at a later date.

The family thanks everyone for their prayers and support during Dennis' illness as he battled the last several years with Lewy Body Dementia.

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“ *Dennis James Badovinac*

October 05, 2023 at 07:49 PM



“ *I Still Cannot Believe You Are Gone 😞  
The Summer Market & Cagneys Will Never  
Be The Same!*

*You Were Taken From Us Way to Young but  
isn't that what they say,,,Only The Good Die Young!*

*Enclosing Our Sincerest Condolences to the Entire Family!  
To Dennis's Children Mel & Brad I Am So Sorry You Have to Go  
Thru This 😞*

*We Will Miss You Dearly Dennis 🙏🕯️💔  
Much Love Deb Barbera & Lew*



**Deb Barbera & Family** - June 04, 2022 at 11:44 PM



“ *Got Dennis to rent my Grandmothers house till he moved to 61st. I  
extend my sympathy to his family. David Hershey*

**David Hershey** - May 22, 2022 at 07:02 PM



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