Dennis M. McAtee

Dennis M. McAtee, 61, of Apache Junction, Ariz., died Monday, Sept. 9, 2019, at University of Iowa Hospitals and Clinics.

A private family service was held Sunday, Sept. 15, in Grinnell.

Memorial contributions may be designated to the Wounded Warrior Project and mailed in care of the Smith Funeral Home, P.O. Box 268, Grinnell, Iowa 50122. Memories and condolences may be shared with his family online at www.smithfh.com.

Dennis Michael McAtee was born Jan. 21, 1958, in Grinnell, the son of Charles Carlton McAtee and Foytlynia Ruth Gross McAtee. He graduated from Mollie High School in 1976.

Dennis honorably served in the United States Navy from 1974 to 1977. Following his service to his country, Dennis moved to Arizona, where he worked for the City of Mesa. He married Judith Wohlfert in June of 1976 and they had two sons.

Dennis was united in marriage with Sandra Kay Heising on Nov. 8, 2014, in Grinnell. Dennis retired from Pima County in Phoenix, Ariz., and the couple resides in Apache Junction.

He enjoyed spending time with his family, riding horses and riding motorcycles with friends.

Dennis was survived by his wife Sandra.