

Ray J. Wong

JANESVILLE — Roy J. Wong, age 62, of Janesville, passed away unexpectedly at his home early Friday morning, Aug. 8, 2003.

He was born Aug. 31, 1940, in Hong Kong, China, the son of the late Kwong Oin Wong and Shue Hing Wong. He immigrated to the United States as a young boy, and had graduated from Monticello High School, Monticello, Wis. He married the former Ruby Mislivecek. She preceded him in death in August 1977. He later married the former Vikki J. Godding on Sept. 30, 1989, in Mankato, Minn. He had been employed as a systems designer for Alliant Tech Systems, Inc., formerly Accudyne, for many years, retiring in 2002. Roy was an avid gardener, and also enjoyed photography very much. But his real love was in the kitchen, where he gained a reputation as an excellent cook! Family and friends will miss his meals and treats he lovingly made! He was a longtime member of First Lutheran Church.

Roy is survived by his wife, Vikki; his son, Eric (Shelley) Wong of Denver, Colo.; his daughter, Donna Wong of Washington DC; his two step-daughters, Marni (Rich Zywicki) Peterson of Madison, and Jill Peterson of Janesville; his mother-in-law, Vivian Godding of Janesville; his three brothers, Ray Wong of Florida, David (Peggy) Wong of Madison, and Dale Wong of California; two step-grandchildren, Erin and Devin Peterson; and his god-daughter, Madeleine Robinson. Roy is further survived by nieces, nephews and friends.

Besides his parents and his first wife, he was preceded in death by his father-in-law, Kenneth "Sparky" Godding.

Funeral services will be held at 10:30 a.m. on Wednesday, Aug. 13, 2003, at FIRST LUTHERAN CHURCH, 612 N. Randall Ave., Janesville, with the Rev. Jim Melvin officiating. Burial will take place Wednesday afternoon in Highland Memory Gardens, Madison.

Friends may call on Tuesday, Aug. 12, 2003, from 6 pm. until 8 pm. at the WHITCOMB-LYNCH-OVERTON FUNERAL HOME, 15 N. Jackson St., Janesville, or on Wednesday from 10 a.m. until the time of the service at 10:30 a.m. at the church.

In lieu of other expressions of sympathy, memorials in Roy's name may be made to First Lutheran Church, 612 N. Randall Ave., or to ECHO, 65 S. High St., Janesville, WI 53548.

Roy's love, friendship, and generosity will be remembered by all who knew him!