



Eugene Stanek

March 30, 1941 - June 18, 2017

Eugene Stanek, 76, of Kankakee passed away on Sunday, June 18, 2017 at his home. He was born on March 30, 1941 in Chicago, the son of Anton and Sophia (Telma) Stanek. Eugene married Brenda Copley on November 21, 1970.

He was a veteran of the United States Air Force. Eugene was a Mechanic at Borg Warner Auto in Frankfort and was the owner of Dairy Queen on Maple Street until his retirement.

He is survived by his wife Brenda Stanek of Kankakee; one son Andrew (Hillary) Stanek; one daughter Jeanna (Eric) Knowles; two sisters Monica Korenic and MaryAnn Janiak; three brothers Roger (Bette) Stanek, Tony (Ursula) Stanek and Michael (Collette) Stanek; and four grandchildren Sydney Stanek, Paige Stanek, Jessica Westergaard and Christian Westergaard.

He was preceded in death by his parents and two sisters Rosemary Ryl-Kuchar and Antonette Stanek.

Visitation will be held on Thursday, June 22, 2017 from 4-7pm at Schreffler Funeral Home in Bourbonnais. Funeral service will be on Friday, June 23, 2017 at 11am, with visitation starting one hour prior, also at Schreffler Funeral Home in Bourbonnais. Burial will follow at Memorial Gardens Cemetery in

Aroma Township. Memorials may be made to the family wishes. Please sign his guestbook at www.schrefflerfuneralhomes.com

Cemetery Details

Memorial Gardens

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN **22**. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Schreffler Funeral Home - Bourbonnais Chapel
1100 N. Convent St.
Bourbonnais, IL 60914
(815) 932-2421

Visitation

JUN **23**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

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Funeral Service

JUN **23**. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ Eugene Stanek

February 03, 2023 at 04:30 AM



“ Jeff Lonergan lit a candle in memory of Eugene Stanek



Jeff Lonergan - June 21, 2017 at 06:37 PM



You're the best Jeff. -- Meghan Dunmore (I married Gene's nephee who is just like daddy, I might add)

Meghan Ryl-Kuchar - June 22, 2017 at 04:42 PM



“ I am sad to hear of Gene's passing. I still remember the bicycle ride we did from Borg Warner to my house in Bradley and other rides on the county roads. I know he took a lot of pleasure when he was riding his BMW motorcycle. He told me one time how he was going fishing for some big cat fish at the K3 Damn. Gene loved to do many things and he was a man of many trades. My condolences to his family. Jeff Lonergan

Jeff Lonergan - June 21, 2017 at 06:37 PM

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“ I am so sorry for your loss Roger and all of his family. I have missed your grumpy smiles since you left Borg. A very sweet man even though he tried to look mean.

Rosemary Lonergan

Rosemary Lonergan - June 21, 2017 at 01:02 PM

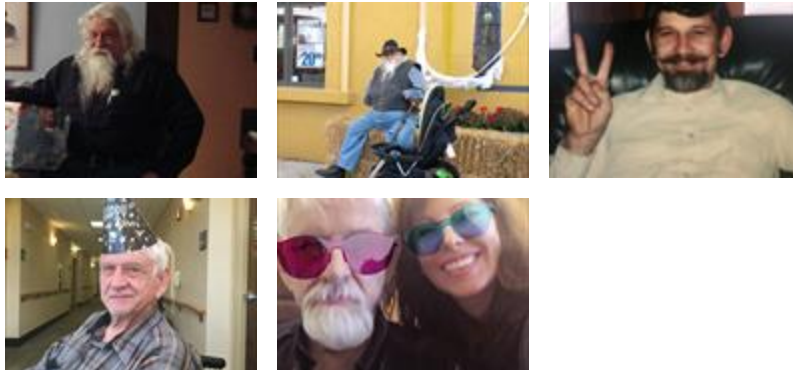
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“ Gene was such a quiet, gentle man and always pleasant to be around. He will be greatly missed.

Beverley Osenga - June 21, 2017 at 11:57 AM

JK

“ 12 files added to the album Dad



Jeanna Knowles - June 20, 2017 at 11:47 PM

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“ My favorite memory of my uncle Gene, is when he took me and my brother frog hunting at my daddy's pond when I was about ten. We would shine flashlights on the big bull frogs and once we saw their eyes, Keith and I would gig them, or Gene would shoot them with his muzzle loader. He had a new one that we thought was great! After the hunt, we would get mom to fry the frog legs and watch them jump in the pan. So good! Gene, Brenda, Andy and Jeanna came to our house several times over the years. We always enjoyed them coming. So many good memories!! Rest In Peace Gene! You will be greatly missed!!

LeAnne Cunningham Smith

LeAnne Cunningham Smith - June 20, 2017 at 02:35 PM