



Leon L. Soucie

April 7, 1929 - January 19, 2019

Leon L. Soucie, 89, of Kankakee passed away on Saturday, January 19, 2019 at Miller Healthcare Center in Kankakee. He was born on April 7, 1929 in Kankakee, the son of Louis L. and Martha J. Senzig Soucie. Leon married Adrienne Giguere on August 5, 1950 in Kankakee. She preceded him in death on January 7, 2008. Leon's end of life partner, Joan Dandurand, passed away on December 1, 2018.

Leon worked for Roper for 25 years, Hornsby's for 19 years and Olivet Nazarene University for 11 years. He enjoyed fishing, traveling, playing cards, camping – especially cooking breakfast in the camper, and family get-togethers – including pizza nights on Fridays.

He served in the United States Army after WWII and was a member of St. Rose of Lima Catholic Church in Kankakee.

He is survived by one son Richard Soucie of Kankakee; two daughters Joanne (Michael) Perrigin of Mahomet and Rosanne (Jack) Brighton of Champaign; and six grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Along with his wife, he was preceded in death by his parents, one son James Soucie, one daughter Marianne Matern and all of Leon's siblings.

Visitation will be held on Thursday, January 24, 2019 from 5:30-8pm at Schreffler Funeral Home in Kankakee. Funeral Mass will be celebrated on Friday, January 25, 2019 at 11am at St. Joseph Catholic Church in Bradley, with additional visitation starting at 10am. Burial will follow at All Saints Cemetery in Bourbonnais. Memorials may be made to Hospice of Kankakee

Valley.

Cemetery Details

All Saints Cemetery

1839 W. State Rte. 102
Bourbonnais, IL 60914

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN **24**. 5:30 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Schreffler Funeral Home - Kankakee Chapel
1900 W. Court St.
Kankakee, IL 60901
(815) 932-2421
<https://www.schrefflerfuneralhomes.com/>

Visitation

JAN **25**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

St. Joseph Catholic Church
211 N. Center
Bradley, IL 60915
(815) 939-3573

Funeral Mass

JAN 25. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Leon L. Soucie*

February 03, 2023 at 04:30 AM



“ *We offer our condolences to the family. We are sorry for your loss. Thankfully we can take comfort in the Power of the Christ. He promises us that we will see our loved ones again. (John 11:25) You will be in our thoughts and prayers. May those many cherished memories continue to bring you comfort.*

R.A. Johnson - January 30, 2019 at 10:56 PM



“ *so sorry to all of you i will misshim i will always remember how him and aunt kept me supplied with apples chesse and penutbutter in my hard times love and sorry to all ...liz*

liz carmain - January 25, 2019 at 09:08 PM



“ *Leon was an encourager. I worked with Leon at Hornby's in Meadow view years ago. He encouraged me as a new person on the job. My Mom and Dad both worked with him at Ropers in Kankakee. I loved his sense of humor and encouraging words. My Mom has been at Miller the month of January. I would say hello to Leon in the cafeteria and he would say "Have a good day today and a better day tomorrow." The last thing he said was "Tell your Mother I hope she gets well." Today he has stepped into the better day tomorrow in Heaven. He was loved and will be missed by those who knew him and loved him. Prayers to the family and friends of Leon who we will see in Heaven.*

Leila Owen - January 25, 2019 at 02:52 PM

PB

“ Rick, sorry about you loss of your dad , we can not make ti wake at this time as i am got health issues my self < let us know if you need anything, Phil & Cathy Boehm

Phil & Cathy Boehm - January 23, 2019 at 08:21 AM

DA

“ Dan And Bev Arseneau lit a candle in memory of Leon L. Soucie



Dan and Bev Arseneau - January 21, 2019 at 09:27 PM