



## Loran L. Lamie

May 20, 1940 - April 30, 2018

Loran L. Lamie, 77, of Manteno, passed away peacefully at his home on April 30th, 2018. Loran was born in Kankakee on May 20th, 1940 to Orville and Esther (Petroni) Lamie. He married Joan Ouwenga on November 2nd, 1974 in Kankakee. Loran was a sheet metal worker for several years. He graduated St. Patrick's Catholic high school in 1958. He served in the Army for 3 years and was an active member of Faith Reform Church for 45 years where he served as a deacon, helped with Boy's club, and served as a custodian during his later years. Loran enjoyed southern gospel music, was an avid dulcimer player, and restored guitars.

Loran is survived by his wife, Joan, of Manteno; daughter Sheri (Steve) Parker of Colorado; daughter Andrea (Troy) Vanderhule of Michigan; Son Mark (Lindsey) Lamie of Indiana; daughter Carrie (Nathan) LeRoy of Bourbonnais; Sister Leah (Duane) Dayhoff of Kankakee; 3 Brothers, Dennis (Lylette) Lamie of Bourbonnais, Jim (Linda) Lamie of Herscher, and Bob (Sheila) Lamie of Kankakee; Father-in-law Clarence Ouwenga of Manteno; 3 brothers-in-law, Larry (Velma) Ouwenga of Indiana, Warren (Sharon) Ouwenga of Bourbonnais, and Rick (Kathy) Ouwenga of Manteno; 2 sisters-in-law, Judy (Lou) Bury of Downers Grove, and Janet Sorenson of Manteno; 13 grandchildren, Summer, Heather, Brandon, Elijah, Judge, Evangelista, Magnus, Jack, Maxwell, Carolena, Avery, Serena, and Harmony; 4 great grandchildren, and several nieces and nephews.

He is preceded in death by his parents, and his mother-in-law Emily

Ouwenga.

Visitation will be held at Schreffler funeral home in Bourbonnais Thursday from 4 to 8pm. Services will be held at Faith Reform Church in Kankakee on Friday with a visitation from 9 to 10 with a service at 10. Lou Bury will be officiating the service. Burial will be held at Memorial Gardens cemetery in Kankakee immediately following the service. Memorials may be made to the Faith Reform Church in Kankakee. Please sign the Guestbook at [www.Schrefflerfuneralhomes.com](http://www.Schrefflerfuneralhomes.com)

# Cemetery Details

**Memorial Gardens**

## Previous Events

### Visitation

MAY 3. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

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

### Visitation

MAY 4. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (CT)

Faith Church  
2400 Waldron Road  
Kankakee, IL 60901

### Funeral Service

MAY 4. 10:00 AM (CT)

Faith Church  
2400 Waldron Road  
Kankakee, IL 60901

# Tribute Wall



“ *Loran L. Lamie*

February 03, 2023 at 04:30 AM



“ *Joan and Family: Our sincere sympathy goes out to you on the passing of Loren. May God grant you peace and comfort in the coming days. Cherish the many years of memories and keep them close to your hearts. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.*

*Marilyn and David*

**Marilyn & David Lindow** - May 07, 2018 at 02:08 AM



“ *Wishing you our sincerest condolences from Down Home Guitars. Loran was a lover of all things music, a persistent student, and a sweet man. He will be much missed!*  
*~The Down Home Music School*  
*Steve Haberichter, Molly Rose, & Pat Lyons*

**Molly Rose** - May 03, 2018 at 07:47 PM

CR

“ Dear Joan, please know you all are in my thoughts and prayers. It was truly a privilege to spend a few precious moments of time with Loran during this long and difficult journey for him. You were a wonderful devoted and loving wife who was his caregiver both above and beyond and I know he remains eternally grateful. I picture him whole and healthy again, until the day you get to see him, reunited in Christ. Blessings of strength mercy and God’s peace be with you all. Sincerely, Cheri Rogers

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**Cheri Rogers** - May 03, 2018 at 12:28 PM

JE

“ Hello, Joan and family... Our sincerest sympathies with the loss of Loran. Its a crossroads of sorts for you, we're sure! We trust the Lord will reassure you that all He does is right... even when it hurts. I remember having a most personal and sincere conversation with Loran at the July 4th reunion held at Peace Village a few years ago. Will treasure that now, for sure. May the Lord give you rest and peace as you seek His enduring presence. Love, John and Eileen.

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**John and Eileen** - May 03, 2018 at 11:44 AM

MG

“ Michael Gambosi lit a candle in memory of Loran L. Lamie



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**Michael Gambosi** - May 02, 2018 at 03:31 PM

MG

*My deepest condolences to family & friends. May God give you strength & comfort during your time of grieve. I never met or worked with Loran but he is a Union sheet metal brother of mine. May he RIP.*



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**Michael Gambosi** - May 02, 2018 at 03:34 PM

TS

“ *Joan, Andrea, Mark, and Carrie (plus grandchildren),*

*You have our sympathy in the passing of Loran, your husband, father, and grandfather. May the grace of God sustain each of you as you go through these difficult days of Loran's absence. Remember "absent from the body, present with the Lord".*

*We remember Loran for many things, but we never have stew (his recipe) without mentioning his name. And that won't change.*

*You are in our thoughts and prayers.*

*Love,  
Ryland and Carol*

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**The Schriefers** - May 02, 2018 at 11:07 AM

RJ

“ *Joan and family so sorry for your loss . Loran was a great guy I know he'll be missed. Lots of good memories . God Bless and you all will be in my prayers. Dianne Jenkins( Uncle Joes daughter)*

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**Rick Jenkins** - May 02, 2018 at 10:13 AM

EC

“ I am so sorry to her of Loran's passing. Loran was such a nice guy and I always enjoyed time visiting with him and his lovely wife. I was always happy to get to visit with he and Joan on those far too infrequent times of coming back to Olivet and the Bourbonnais area. May he rest in peace and may God grant Joan and the other members of his family a peace that goes beyond their hopes.

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**Ed Cleveland** - May 02, 2018 at 07:20 AM

EW

“ We are so sorry to learn of Loran's passing from our presence, but rejoice in his home-going. Loran had a great laugh, loved life, and loved the Lord. We will see him again. God bless all of you during this time.

*Elaine and Joe Wischnowsky*

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**Elaine Wischnowsky** - May 02, 2018 at 07:05 AM

LS

“ Our condolences go out to the entire family along with a lot of love. Such a nice and hospitable man. Lovely family. May he enjoy Heaven and get a warm welcome there.

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**Linda and Vern Smith** - May 01, 2018 at 08:10 PM

JM

“ Dear Joan and family,  
My sincerest condolences. I am truly saddened to hear of your loss. I have the fondest memories of holidays when it was your turn to host the dinners. Those were always my favorite years. Loran's turkey was always the best I'd ever had. I think of him every holiday and pray for something to come out of my oven that resembled meat as tender as that! But what I hold dearest is the kindness expressed to me when so many people treated me unkindly. You all show the love of God and for that I am eternally grateful. I am unable to attend the visitation because of work. But I want you to know that I am thinking of you all and would be there if I could be. My prayers are with you.

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**Jules Mead** - May 01, 2018 at 07:38 PM



“ Joan, I am so very sorry to read this. Please know you and your family are in my thoughts and prayers. Hugs. Barb Jensen Jackson and Jerry

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**Barb Jackson** - May 01, 2018 at 05:31 PM

LR

“ 1 file added to the album New Album Name



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**Liz Reeves** - May 01, 2018 at 02:10 PM

LR

“ *Joan and family,*

*You entered my life when our children Mark and Lindsey were married in 2009. Since then, I have enjoyed our times together and most of all the sharing of our Grandchildren - Jack Loran, Maxwell Clarence and Carolena Elizabeth. Loran had a twinkle in his eye each time he was with them and that spoke volumes of his love for them. May God comfort and keep you in the days ahead. Look to Him for strength knowing that He is wrapping His arms around you all. Loran is whole once again and rejoicing with His Heavenly Father. What a joy to know that you will be reunited with him someday.*

*Matthew 5:4 "Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted".*

*Love to you All!  
Liz Reeves*

*I also speak for Jim as he thought so much of Loran. As Jim officially enters our family this week, rest assured that he will add his love and care for the Lamie Family.*

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**Liz Reeves** - May 01, 2018 at 02:09 PM