



## Daniel R. Bourassa

August 19, 1947 - January 25, 2022

Daniel R. Bourassa, age 74, of Bourbonnais passed away Tuesday, January 25, 2022 at AMITA St. Mary's Hospital in Kankakee. He was born August 19, 1947 in Kankakee, the son of Everett & Helen (Larkin) Bourassa.

Daniel retired from CSL Behring after 45 years. He enjoyed woodworking, the outdoors, and gardening. He loved hanging out at Sammy's. Daniel was a collector of many things, especially coins. He loved his dogs, Rocky & Sarge.

Daniel was a veteran of the United States Navy, having served from 1966-1969 on board the USS Long Beach.

Surviving are two sons, Robert & Sandra Bourassa of Bradley and Christopher & Victoria Bourassa of Bradley; three daughters, Jennifer Graeber of Bourbonnais, Danielle & Gregory Ward of Union Hill, and Deanna & Vincent Stankiewicz of Bradley; one sister, JoAnn Ford of Bourbonnais; sixteen grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; one niece and nephew; and former spouses, Susan Embree of Kankakee and Debra Bourassa of Bourbonnais. Daniel is preceded in death by his parents.

Visitation will be held from 1-5 p.m. Sunday, January 30, 2022 at Clancy-Gernon Funeral Home in Bourbonnais. A funeral service will be held at 10 a.m. Monday, January 31, 2022 also at the funeral home. Interment will follow at All Saints Cemetery in Bourbonnais.

Memorials may be made to the Bourbonnais V.F.W.

# Cemetery Details

## All Saints Cemetery

1839 W. Route 102  
Bourbonnais, IL 60914

# Previous Events

## Visitation

**JAN 30.** 1:00 PM - 5:00 PM (CT)

Bourbonnais - Clancy-Gernon Funeral Homes, Inc.  
295 Main St., NW  
Bourbonnais, IL 60914  
cgfuneral@gmail.com

## Funeral Service

**JAN 31.** 10:00 AM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

SU

“ Suzanne lit a candle in memory of Daniel R. Bourassa



Suzanne - January 29 at 09:06 AM



“ 100 files added to the album Life Tributes



Clancy-Gernon Funeral Homes - January 28 at 05:00 PM

PB

“ Peggy Bond lit a candle in memory of Daniel R. Bourassa



Peggy Bond - January 27 at 11:47 AM



“ Chinese Dogwood Tree was purchased for the family of Daniel R. Bourassa.



January 27 at 11:43 AM

BF

“ Uncle D, you were my favorite family member next to mom. This breaks my heart, but I'm at peace with it because I know you left nothing on the table in life. You lived your life exactly the way you wanted to and NO ONE could tell you any different. Mom and I laughed when I told her that, because if life is a highway then you definitely didn't drive in the carpool lane (think more shoulder at about 110mph). I think the only time you ever slowed down was to stop and enjoy the people you loved, which was another one of your character traits I admired. Not to mention you were always smiling, even when we knew you were in a lot of pain. Of course with the footprint you left here and the legacy you leave behind, there's a lot to smile about. I will miss your sense of humor and laugh that reminds me of Gram. I will tell my kids about the man who was the pickiest eater that ever lived. I will continue to work on my home and know that somewhere your poking fun at my methods and techniques. I will grin every time I turn on a Godzilla movie knowing how much you and I loved them no matter how terrible they were. I'll never forget the time you helped me set the record straight about my father and I. Thank you for all of the love and memories...sad as we are here I'm sure Gram has been waiting for this moment for some time. I'll take care of Mom, I love you, til we meet again.

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**Bill Ford** - January 27 at 08:44 AM

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“ Danny was a Great Guy  
I worked with him many years at Armour Pharmaceutical  
My sincere condolences to his Family



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**Carl Irps** - January 26 at 10:57 PM