

## Beauford L. "Radar" Breckenridge

May 20, 1938 - November 3, 2021

Beauford L. "Radar" Breckenridge, age 83, of Kankakee passed away Wednesday, November 3, 2021 at AMITA St. Mary's Hospital in Kankakee. He was born May 20, 1938 in Sebeka, MN, the son of Lloyd & Luella (Fernandez) Breckenridge. Radar married Margaret Bass on November 10, 1962 in Aroma Park.

Radar was an Upholsterer. He enjoyed fishing, the outdoors, and playing games on Facebook. He was an avid Chicago Cubs and Chicago Bears fan. He like working with his hands.

Surviving are his wife, Margaret Breckenridge of Kankakee; three sons, Beauford L. Jr. (June) Breckenridge of Kankakee, Rodney (Lori) Breckenridge of Channahon, and Richard (Vanessa) Breckenridge of Spring, TX; one daughter, Dawn (William) Talley of Marseilles; two sisters, Gail and Lori; three brothers, James (Linda) Fernandez of FL, Scott, and Troy; seven grandchildren; four great-grandchildren; step-mother, Donna; and a large extended family. Beauford was preceded in death by his parents; one son, John Breckenridge; two brothers, Lloyd Breckenridge and Lyle Breckenridge; and one sister, Cheryl Breckenridge.

Cremation rites have been accorded. A memorial visitation will be held from 1 p.m. until the time of the 3 p.m. memorial service on Friday, November 12, 2021 at Clancy-Gernon- Hertz Funeral Home in Kankakee.

Memorials may be made to the family wishes.



# Previous Events

## Memorial Visitation

NOV 12. 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (CT)

Kankakee - Clancy-Gernon-Hertz Funeral Home  
1480 W. Court St.  
Kankakee, IL 60901  
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## Memorial Service

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# Tribute Wall

TB

“ My brother was very good guy and he loved fishing wish would have came to see him and the family love him dearly and his family prayers to his family and friends from Troy and is step mom Donna.



**troy breckenridge** - November 12, 2021 at 08:40 AM

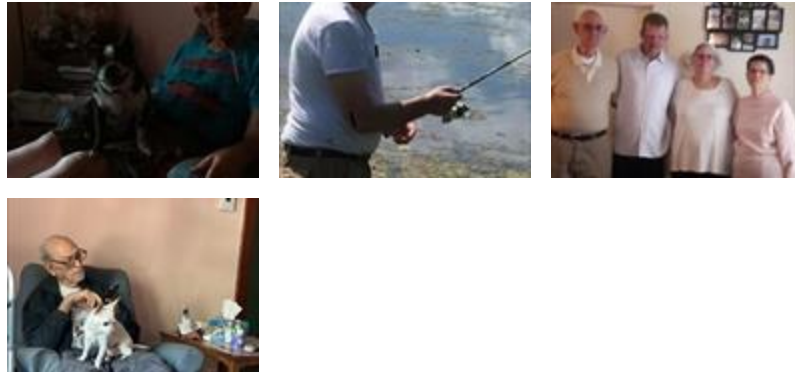
EB

“ My grandpa wasn't just a grandpa for me he was a father figure and role model for me. He was one of my biggest supporters when I decided to go back and get my GED last year. He told me it was never too late cause he was proof himself getting his later in life.

**Eric Breckenridge** - November 10, 2021 at 10:23 AM



“ 4 files added to the album LifeTributes



**Clancy-Gernon Funeral Homes** - November 09, 2021 at 02:19 PM

DT

“ Dawn Talley lit a candle in memory of Beauford L. "Radar" Breckenridge



Dawn Talley - November 08, 2021 at 07:40 PM

DT

Dad will be forever loved and missed. Will be forever grateful for all that he's done for me throughout the years

Dawn Talley - November 08, 2021 at 07:42 PM



“ 63 files added to the album Life Tributes



Clancy-Gernon Funeral Homes - November 08, 2021 at 01:55 PM

RB

“ Rodney Breckenridge lit a candle in memory of Beauford L. "Radar" Breckenridge



Rodney Breckenridge - November 08, 2021 at 10:03 AM



“ June Breckenridge lit a candle in memory of Beauford L. "Radar" Breckenridge



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**June Breckenridge** - November 07, 2021 at 11:53 PM



*Pops was the best Father in Law a girl could have. he will be greatly loved and missed.*

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**June Breckenridge** - November 07, 2021 at 11:55 PM

TB

“ So sorry about the passing of your loved one Margaret & Family. Our Deepest Sympathy. 🕊️

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**Tim & Vickie (Cox) Bertrand** - November 07, 2021 at 05:15 PM



“ Linda Allison lit a candle in memory of Beauford L. "Radar" Breckenridge



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**Linda Allison** - November 07, 2021 at 09:24 AM

RO

“ Dad loved the outdoors, he enjoyed hunting fishing and working with his hands. I remember the times when he would carry the john boat on his shoulders and I'd carry the life jackets and poles. He would run the night lines and we'd spend the day fishing and enjoying each other's company. I enjoyed the many projects that he help me with over the years and learned a lot from him. Dad you were a great father, grandpa and great grandpa/ poppa.. You will truly be missed. It'll never be a goodbye... But just a see you latter.

Rodney - November 06, 2021 at 09:30 PM



“ Hickory Farms Savory and Sweet Snacker Gift Basket was purchased for the family of Beauford L. "Radar" Breckenridge.



November 06, 2021 at 04:17 PM

LC

“ So sorry for your families loss



Laura cook - November 06, 2021 at 02:56 PM

BN

“ *The first time I met Beauford was at his home. Our family had all gone over to eat dinner, and there wasn't enough room in the house for everyone to sit. I ended up sitting outside at the patio by myself. Shortly after, Beauford came and sat and talked with me, as he didn't want me to have to eat dinner alone. It was a small, simple gesture, but one that stuck with me when remembering how kind Beauford was. Offering my condolences during this difficult time.*

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**Braden Nichols** - November 06, 2021 at 12:29 PM

VD

“ *Margaret and family. It is with a heavy heart, and not enough words too tell you how sorry I am for the loss of Beauford. MY sympathy, prayers, and love too all. So many great memories. Beauford my friend R. I. P Enjoy all who are there to great you, Virginia*



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**Virginia R Dominick** - November 06, 2021 at 10:47 AM

JH

“ *My uncle Beauford used to love cooking and canning hot sauce with grandma and I remember going downstairs and him chasing me upstairs and him slipping down the stairs and hurting his back he loved his garden he loved his family . I also loved when he worked in the furniture store and aunt Margaret would pick me up from school and we'd have to sit in the car right sneak inside and play in the furniture because I said I had to use the bathroom and we were great for uncle Beauford to get off of work*

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**jamie lee hall** - November 05, 2021 at 03:51 PM

EB

*When I would be there hanging out with Rick as kids he always seemed to be tinkering with something! He and Margaret always made us feel welcome ( even though we always were usually causing trouble! )*

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**Eric Barrie** - November 05, 2021 at 10:02 PM

CF

*Even though I met Mr B on a professional level it didn't take long for me to feel like he was family. His passing has left an enormous hole in my life. His boyish grin and impish antics always made me chuckle. . . (Even though Margaret was frowning and shaking her head.) I'm thankful that he is now breathing without a tank and walking without that walker. You will be missed Mr B!*

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**Carolyn F** - November 07, 2021 at 09:02 AM