



Clyde W. "Bill" Brierly

June 21, 1942 - March 15, 2015

Clyde W. "Bill" Brierly, 72, of Bourbonnais, passed away Sunday (March 15, 2015) at his home.

He was born June 21, 1942, in Aledo, to Lloyd and Beulah Webster Brierly.

He married Deana Hughbanks on June 13, 1965, in Prairie City.

Bill was a retired employee of the Kankakee Area Career Center, where he had been employed since its inception, and also taught industrial arts at Kankakee School District 111 and Manteno High School. Bill graduated from Western Illinois University with his bachelor's and master's degrees. His name is listed in Who's Who in Education. Mr. Brierly was a member of Cornerstone Church, loved doing robotic engineering with his grandson, enjoyed playing the guitar, drawing, painting and golfing.

Surviving are his wife, of Bourbonnais; a son, Jeffrey W. Brierly, of Bourbonnais; two daughters and one son-in-law, Laura Lynn Brierly, of Bourbonnais, Sarah and Rocco Chiado, of Orange Park, Fla.; and one grandson, Anthony William Chiado.

Preceding him in death were his parents; and one sister, Judy.

Visitation will be from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. Wednesday at Clancy-Gernon Funeral Home in Bourbonnais. An additional time of visitation will be from 10 a.m. Thursday until the 11 a.m. funeral service, with the Rev. Bob Gysen officiating. Burial will be in All Saints Cemetery in Bourbonnais.

Memorials may be made to Comfort of Cancer Patients.

Cemetery Details

All Saints Cemetery

1839 W. Route 102
Bourbonnais, IL 60914
(815) 933-2342

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 18. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Bourbonnais - Clancy-Gernon Funeral Homes, Inc.
295 Main St., NW
Bourbonnais, IL 60914
(815) 932-1214
cgfuneral@gmail.com

Visitation

MAR 19. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

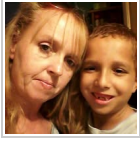
Cornerstone Church
855 W. 5000 N. Road
Bourbonnais, IL
Cornerstone Church
<http://www.thecornerstone.org>

Funeral Service

MAR 19. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ So sorry to recently learn of his passing, as a child my mother worked with him at the Career Center.

Christy Karch - September 22, 2015 at 08:04 PM



“ Very sorry for your loss Anthony and Sarah. Kathy and Danny Holbert

kathy - April 17, 2015 at 10:23 AM



“ Words can't express how much he is missed and how important he was in our lives. Miss you every day, Dad/PawPaw! Thank you to everyone who has shared kind words and for your prayers.

Sarah Chiado - March 25, 2015 at 04:06 PM



“ I was saddened to hear of Bill's passing. He is in a lot of my childhood memories , especially of all of the KACC openhouses our families spent together in the cookie kitchen. I am glad both of my parents got to work with Bill and know him and his family as they did. I send this on behalf of my family and wish all of you love and happy memories. With love, Tracy Tatro-Saxsma, Keith Tatro, and Kelly Tatro-Bauer.

Tracy Tatro-Saxsma - March 21, 2015 at 07:36 PM



“ I was deeply saddened by the news of Bill's passing. My heart felt condolences to your family.

Coach Wall and family

Walter Wall - March 19, 2015 at 03:12 PM



“ I was saddened to read of Bill's passing. He was an inspirational leader at the Kankakee Area Career Center for many years. I appreciated his enthusiasm for vocational education and the work he did on behalf of students and teachers. My sympathies to his family. Linda Klette, Retired Guidance Director, Bradley Bourbonnais Community High School

Linda Klette - March 18, 2015 at 08:29 PM