



Daniel "Dan" Dionne

December 10, 1942 - January 19, 2018

Daniel ("Dan") Raymond Dionne, 75, passed away peacefully at his home in Bourbonnais on Friday, January 19, 2018.

Dan was born in Beaverville on December 10, 1942, to the late Remie Dionne and Lola (Cote) Dionne.

He graduated from Bradley-Bourbonnais High School in 1961.

He is survived by his beloved wife and high school sweetheart, Barbara Ann (Owens) Dionne, of Bourbonnais, to whom he was married for 56 years. He is also survived by his daughter, Shari, and her husband, Mark Absher, of Mission Viejo, California, and their children, Laura (Aaron) Wibberley, Jason (Natalie) Absher, and Andrew Absher; his daughter, Dana Dionne of Oviedo, Florida; his son, Dale Dionne, and his wife, Shona, of Bourbonnais, and their sons, Bradly (Sarah Sheehan) Dionne, and Nicholas Dionne; and his son, Philip Dionne of Bourbonnais. He is also survived by his brother, David, and his wife, Sandy Dionne; his brother, Steve Dionne and his husband, Chuck Boyle; and his sister, LaRae, and her husband, Raymond Gullquist.

Preceding him in death are his brothers, Ben Dionne and Jim Dionne.

Dan's 46-year career in multiple grocery stores enabled him to make a

number of valued friendships. He volunteered for Olivet, helping with its hosting of Bears Camp. He particularly enjoyed spending time with his family whether at home or during one of the many family excursions. It is well known that he was a man of faith—a devoted follower of Jesus. He was recognized as a giving and generous person with many friends. He was passionate about helping others. Many strangers in need were beneficiaries of his assistance. He was a member of Kankakee First Church of the Nazarene.

A memorial visitation will be held from 4:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m., on Wednesday, January 24, 2018 at Clancy-Gernon Funeral Home in Bourbonnais.

A celebration of his life service will be held at 10:30 a.m. on Thursday, January 25, 2018, at Clancy-Gernon Funeral Home in Bourbonnais. Pastor Cindi Schimmelpfennig will officiate.

Cemetery Details

All Saints Cemetery

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

Previous Events

Memorial Visitation

JAN **24**. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Bourbonnais - Clancy-Gernon Funeral Homes, Inc.
295 Main St., NW
Bourbonnais, IL 60914
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Celebration of Life

JAN **25**. 10:30 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

AM

“ Pardon my 'intrusion'.I was looking for my brothers records on Google & came upon your Dan Dionne info, my brother's name is Dan Dionne also. Our Dad came from Beaverville, also, he was born in 1909,his name Marsile Dionne. I believe we are related. I now reside in Sonora, Ca, my maiden is Ann Dionne. My grandparents name were Joseph & Anna (fortin) Dionne from Beaverville, IL . Sorry for your loss,we lost our Danny Dionne in 2013.

Ann Dionne McClure - November 13, 2018 at 01:09 AM

LW

“ Our condolences and prayers go out to all of Dan's family. We first met Dan two years ago when preparing for the wedding of Dan's granddaughter Laura and our son Aaron. Very fine man with a great sense of humor. Have enjoyed corresponding with Dan since then, and we were honored to attend his 75th birthday party in December. We will miss Dan, but know through his strong faith that he is now enjoying heaven.

Les Wibberley - January 25, 2018 at 10:44 AM

BC

“ I worked with Dan at Rudy's and Thrif T Mart. he was a great person to work with and always so friendly to everyone. He will be missed. Bill Casino

Bill Casino - January 24, 2018 at 07:58 PM

GB

“ Visited Dan and Barb last November. Dan was his usual self, funny and smiling. It is a pleasure to have known him. A good friend who we will miss. In our thoughts and prayers. Donna and Gary Burns

Gary Burns - January 24, 2018 at 01:35 PM

AR

“ Thinking of you, Barb and praying for you in the days ahead. Our son Trey was the Dionne's paperboy for a few years. Very fine couple. So kind.

Adam and Marci Reynolds - January 24, 2018 at 12:06 PM

RE

“ My heart goes out to all of Dan's family. God is good.

Reba L. Estes

Reba L. Estes - January 24, 2018 at 09:21 AM

AM

“ I went all through school with Danny and he was always the kindest, gentlest and most sincere and courageous person I have ever met. My condolences to his family and close friends. I am sure he will be greatly missed by all who had the privilege of knowing him

Alice (Frechette) McWilliams - January 23, 2018 at 08:48 PM

SP

“ My condolences and prayers to the entire family. Good memories of a gracious man. May you realize God's sufficient grace in the days ahead.

Scott Paisley - January 23, 2018 at 04:05 PM

TG

“ *The Rice's, Marla, Marsha, Debbie and Gary. purchased the My Soul Lives On Blanket for the family of Daniel "Dan" Dionne.*



The Rice's, Marla, Marsha, Debbie and Gary. - January 23, 2018 at 03:38 PM

JB

“ *My sympathy goes out to Barb and her family and to LaRae and Steve and their family Dan was a wonderful person prayers with you all*

Jeanne Benjamin - January 23, 2018 at 02:56 PM

JB

“ *Jeanne Benjamin lit a candle in memory of Daniel "Dan" Dionne*



Jeanne Benjamin - January 23, 2018 at 02:49 PM

JD

“ *Under the quiet dignified exterior lay the heart of a lion. My condolences to all his family.*

Jeff Dionne

Jeffrey W Dionne - January 23, 2018 at 04:07 AM

DM

“ My sincere condolences to LaRae and all of Dan's family and friends. So very sorry for your loss and my prayers are strong for your peace, comfort and healing. <3



Diana Mecila - January 22, 2018 at 07:26 PM

MI

“ From your Northwest family, sincere condolences to Barb and all the family. We have lost a great man, friend and family member. He will be remembered in the most positive of ways. Mick, Jeff and family, Amy and family, and Remie.

mick - January 22, 2018 at 07:14 PM

CD

“ Every one has heard 'One of a kind' That was Dan I was blessed having him as a friend. U made our dear Lord smile 😊 I will miss U 🙏

Carolyn Dayhoff - January 22, 2018 at 05:16 PM

PB

“ My thoughts and prayers are with all of his family at this time. He was a very kind man.

Pamela Britt - January 22, 2018 at 05:03 PM

ID

“ Dan Dionne was a wonderful man with a positive outlook that helped to inspire family and friends. He will be greatly missed. My sympathy and love to Barb, his children, and all family members. Rest In Peace Dan.

Iris Dionne - January 22, 2018 at 04:23 PM

JH

“ Our most sisncere condolences to the family of Dan. He was a really great guy and will be missed by all who knew him.
I remembered him well from his days at Thrif-T-Mart and as of late on facebook talking about the old times here in Bradley.
I will miss him a lot.
Johnny Holt



Johnny Holt - January 22, 2018 at 03:40 PM

BK

“ Dan was by far one of the nicest men I can remember. I worked with him at Thrif-t-Mart what seems like a lifetime ago. He was always such a positive person. RIP.

*Bill Korstick
Cathedral City, CA*

Bill Korstick - January 22, 2018 at 02:45 PM

VD

“ Philip so sorry for the lost of your Father. My prayers thoughts and love are with all of you today and always.



Virginia R Dominick - January 22, 2018 at 02:27 PM

BF

“ *What a wonderful Man Dan was. I hold your family in my prayers at this difficult time. He will be missed by all those he touched in life*



Brenda Feller - January 22, 2018 at 01:15 PM

PR

“ *My prayers and thoughts are with you and your family.
RIP Dan
You will be missed dearly.
Peg*



Peggy Reubeck - January 22, 2018 at 12:37 PM

CM

“ *Fond memories of Dan. Sympathy to his wife and family.*

Cathie (Sederstrand) Miedema



cathie miedema - January 22, 2018 at 10:33 AM