



Jack N. Rigney

December 23, 1952 - December 9, 2017

Jack N. Rigney, age 64, of Bradley, passed away on Saturday, December 9, 2017 at Riverside Medical Center in Kankakee.

He was born December 23, 1952 in Kankakee, the son of James & Marie Tash Rigney.

Jack married Teresa Wilken on June 8, 1974 at St. James Catholic Church in Irwin.

Jack was a graduate of Westview High School and Kankakee Community College. He was a market manager for Circle K gas stations.

He enjoying date nights, golfing, traveling, and tinkering with his GTO.

Surviving are his wife, Teresa Rigney of Bradley; two sons and two daughters-in-law, Steven & Erin Rigney of Clinton and Nick & Andrea Rigney of Bourbonnais; six grandchildren, Jonas, Adylynn, Jaden, Laralyn, Scarlett, and Grayson; and three brothers and two sisters-in-law, John Rigney of Los Angeles, CA, Jim & Pat Rigney of Kankakee, and Mike & Marie Rigney of Phoenix, AZ.

He is preceded in death by his parents; two sisters, Bertha Prue and Beverly Prue; and one brother, Jay Rigney.

Visitation will be held 4:00 – 8:00 p.m. on Thursday, December 14, 2017 at Clancy-Gernon Funeral Home in Bourbonnais. Funeral Mass will be celebrated at 11:00 a.m. on Friday, December 15, 2017 at Maternity B.V.M. Catholic Church. Rev. Richard Pighini will celebrate the Mass.

Cremation Rites will be accorded following the Mass.

Memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society.

Cemetery Details

All Saints Cemetery

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

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 14. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

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

Funeral Mass

DEC 15. 11:00 AM (CT)

Maternity B.V.M. Catholic Church
308 E. Marsile
Bourbonnais, IL 60914
(815) 933-8285
<http://www.mbvmchurch.org/>

Tribute Wall

NR

“ I realize that my dad was a great man, and I don't say that to talk him up. Just ask the people that he met in his lifetime. Some people that were just his employees told me that he was there best friend. I didn't know or realize that he had that much of an affect on people. When I finally realized how much my dad touched people and there life's was when I stood there for over 4 hours and talked to all the people that my dad impacted there life's. I'm so lucky to have had him as a dad. Will miss him and the fact that he didn't get to see my kids grow up into the people hat they will become. Just hoping that they will be like my dad in the way they touch peoples life's. Grandpa was one in a million to the little ones always there to play or just hold my son. SJ told me that she is going to miss playing under the blanket with grandpa. Really wish that dad could have seen the grand kids grow up. All 6 of them.

nick rigney - December 16, 2017 at 01:30 AM

TR

Well said, Nick! He had a way of making everyone feel special and important, including me! He will be missed!

tracy - December 27, 2017 at 12:40 PM


Teresa
Rigney

Dad will be missed by all of us. What a beautiful tribute.

Teresa Rigney - December 27, 2017 at 12:42 PM



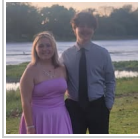
“ Best Uncle EVER, from babysitting to vacations and everything in between. I will miss you very much. I love you Uncle Jack. Rest in Paradise

Debbie Bryant-Dyer - December 15, 2017 at 10:22 AM



Thank you Debbie.

Teresa Rigney - December 27, 2017 at 12:40 PM



“ *I want to say how sorry I am to hear about Jack. He was a wonderful person and I'm glad I got to know him when I was younger. Teresa, Steve and Nick, you are all in my thoughts and prayers as well as the rest of your family!*

Julie Langer (Rodgers)

Julie Rodgers Langer - December 14, 2017 at 09:16 PM



Thank you Julie

Teresa Rigney - December 27, 2017 at 12:40 PM



“ *To the entire Rigney family,*

I would like to send my prayers to you during this loss of my good circle k friend and manager supreme Jack. He was a man of integrity and grace. His work at Circle K will be a great reminder of the true meaning of charity and love for each customer and employee who worked with him. May the God of all consolation be among you during these days and you can count on my prayers for all of you. May his soul through e mercy of Almighty God Rest In Peace in the great Circle K in the sky.

Rev. Br. Jamison PAS Wheeler, bsta. +

jamison wheeler - December 14, 2017 at 07:10 PM



Teresa Rigney

Thank you Jamison

Teresa Rigney - December 27, 2017 at 12:39 PM

CK

“ *All the days long ago on the country road ,as the friend next door,then as we had jobs to keep each family going, we joked as we saw each other at the gas stop.*

My best to the family. RIP Jack. Charles L. kapchinske

Charles L. Kapchinske - December 14, 2017 at 03:58 PM



Teresa Rigney

Thank you Charles!

Teresa Rigney - December 27, 2017 at 12:38 PM

JJ

“ *So sorry to hear about the passing of Jack. Our thoughts and prayers are with you during this sad time.*

John and Jan Rodgers

Jan and John - December 14, 2017 at 03:10 PM



Teresa Rigney

Thank you Jan and John

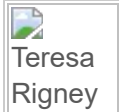
Teresa Rigney - December 27, 2017 at 12:37 PM

RC

“ My brother from another mother. How do you put into words how I felt about you and your family? I'm sure in the 70s I used your truck more than you did. I've known you for 50 years. Life will not be the same without you. Teresa, Steven, Nick and families my heart breaks for all of you. I wish I could be there but know my prayers are with all of you. Sending my love.



Rhonda Couch - December 14, 2017 at 02:15 PM



Teresa Rigney

Thank you Rhonda.

Teresa Rigney - December 27, 2017 at 12:37 PM

MK

“ Coach Rigney coached me in little league. We had the best team in the league for awhile. But i don't remember much about the games or the wins. i remember the smile I got everyday my dad dropped me off at practice. The ages of 9-10-11 and 12 are so crucial for anyone-- and Coach Rigney believed in me. I knew that! He made that clear everytime we met! He made baseball fun! Him and Coach Peppin were awesome together! Hardees was a little dynasty:) haha So happy he was my coach! I can only hope my boys are coached by someone just like him. Praying for all the family!

Mike Kohl - December 14, 2017 at 01:14 PM



Teresa Rigney

Thank you for your kind words Mike. Jack loved to coach.

Teresa Rigney - December 27, 2017 at 12:36 PM

 Steven
Rigney

“ *Saying goodbye is the hardest thing I've ever done. Dad raised me right. To always do my best even if I couldn't be the best. He taught me that he was proud of me no matter what I would do. If I cleaned toilets they needed to be the cleanest toilets. No job or task was demeaning. I'm who I am because of how he raised me.*

Dad was so much more than just my dad though. He has been my best friend for years. We went on golfing trips together, watched sports together, went on vacation together. He was my sounding board for so many things. He'd be near my house for work and call me up and we'd go to lunch or he'd come over for dinner. I'm grateful for every day that I got to see him and sad for every missed opportunity.

I think our fondest memories together were when we coached little league and girls softball. Whenever we'd get talking about the past the stories always came back to coaching. He loved teaching and passing on the things that he had learned to everyone. Being a teacher, mentor, and friend were all just who he was.

Every day now will be a little more empty. I love you dad.

Steven Rigney - December 14, 2017 at 12:47 PM

 MK

your dad was a tremendous person!! Keep his legacy alive with your actions!!

Mike Kohl - December 14, 2017 at 01:15 PM

 Teresa
Rigney

Dad will be missed by all of us. What a beautiful tribute!

Teresa Rigney - December 27, 2017 at 12:43 PM



“ I, Thank You Jack for being so tough on me when I was growing in Circle K. I am so glad I was able to tell you this before you passed on. I learned a lot from you & you helped me structure into the person I have become. I pray your family finds peace during this really hard time. R.I.P.

Margie Delabre-Lance - December 14, 2017 at 10:40 AM



Thank you Margie

Teresa Rigney - December 27, 2017 at 12:36 PM



“ I always enjoyed working for Jack at Manteno Shell, he was not only my boss but also a good friend. We kind of lost touch with him through the years but never forgot about him. He was the type of person you didn't forget, he was always there as a boss and as a friend. He joined us on our wedding day as a groomsman! Rip Jack, you will always be remembered. Darlene and Jason Benfield..

Darlene and Jason Benfield - December 14, 2017 at 10:38 AM



Thank you Darlene and Jason!

Teresa Rigney - December 27, 2017 at 12:35 PM



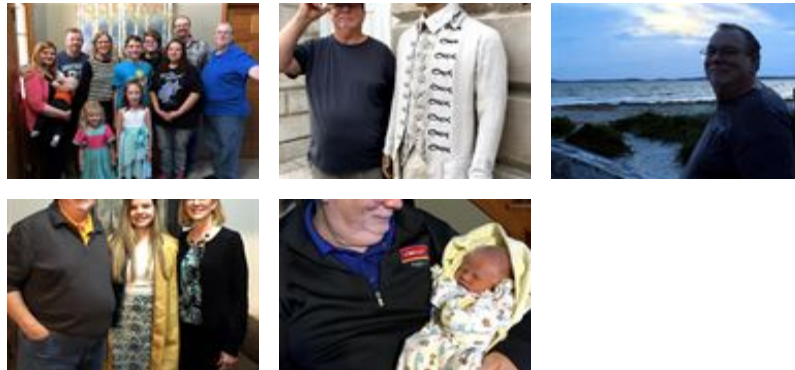
“ Margie Lance & Family (Circle K Employee) purchased the In Memory Heart Shaped Music Box for the family of Jack N. Rigney.



Margie Lance & Family (Circle K Employee) - December 14, 2017 at 10:31 AM



“ 50 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Clancy-Gernon Funeral Homes - December 13, 2017 at 12:23 PM

CR

“ So sorry to hear about Jack. He was a great guy. Our thoughts and prayers are with you. *Bill and Colleen Regnier*

Colleen Regnier - December 13, 2017 at 10:33 AM



Teresa Rigney

Thank you Colleen and Bill.

Teresa Rigney - December 27, 2017 at 12:21 PM

CB

“ *Cynde Marshall Boudreau lit a candle in memory of Jack N. Rigney*



Cynde Marshall Boudreau - December 13, 2017 at 08:09 AM

CB

I knew Jack many many years ago. He was always fun loving and a great friend. My prayers are going up for his family and friends today. Rest in Peace Jack.

Cynde Marshall Boudreau - December 13, 2017 at 08:11 AM



Thank you

Teresa Rigney - December 27, 2017 at 12:22 PM

SW

“ Uncle Jack was the best uncle in the world we golfed and saw numerous hockey games .I love you uncle Jack you will be missed

Scott Wehrle - December 12, 2017 at 06:04 PM



Thank you Scott. He loved going to those hockey games.

Teresa Rigney - December 27, 2017 at 12:23 PM

KK

“ Lost my brother in law Michael Kinney and a very dear friend and boss Jack Rigney in the last two weeks. Amy thoughts and prayers to Teresa and family. He will be truly missed.

Kathryn Kinney - December 12, 2017 at 04:10 PM



Thank you Kathy.

Teresa Rigney - December 27, 2017 at 12:24 PM

RA

“ *Robyn, Charles, Annie purchased the Wildflower Seeds - Build A Memory Garden for the family of Jack N. Rigney.*



Robyn, Charles, Annie - December 12, 2017 at 12:25 PM

GW

“ *I always found Jack to be hard working, loyal, and a man with high integrity. He was very intelligent and bright. I always connected with Jack as we had a mutual respect for one another. He would light up when talking about his family, especially his grand kids. I will miss Jack's sense of humor and will always remember him for loving life. A good man with a giant heart!*

Garvin Weitzel

Garvin Weitzel - December 12, 2017 at 09:41 AM



Teresa Rigney

Thank you Garvin.

Teresa Rigney - December 27, 2017 at 12:24 PM



“ *Cindy Madigan Doyle lit a candle in memory of Jack N. Rigney*



Cindy Madigan Doyle - December 12, 2017 at 08:32 AM



“ Jack will be very missed. Prayers for Teresa and their sons.

Cindy Madigan Doyle - December 12, 2017 at 08:32 AM



Thank you!

Teresa Rigney - December 27, 2017 at 12:25 PM

CE

“ My heart felt condolences to Jack's family and friends. May your memories and love you share help to bring you comfort during this difficult time.



Crystal Etayo - December 12, 2017 at 12:09 AM



Thank you!

Teresa Rigney - December 27, 2017 at 12:25 PM



“ He will be greatly missed.



Melanie Latham - December 11, 2017 at 09:54 PM



Thank you!

Teresa Rigney - December 27, 2017 at 12:26 PM

The best way to avoid disappointment is to not expect a fucking thing from anyone.

“ Jack was a great boss and guy when I worked for circle k ..you could always call him and he'd help you if he could day or night ..prayers to his family at this time ..Michelle Joslin

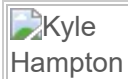


Michelle Rainwater - December 11, 2017 at 09:35 PM



Thank you!

Teresa Rigney - December 27, 2017 at 12:27 PM



“ My godfather, my friend, my family. Even though he wasn't blood, always thought of the Rigneys as close to it as any. I'm lucky to have known him. The world is a bit smaller.

Kyle Hampton - December 11, 2017 at 08:37 PM



Thank you Kyle. We always think of you as family too.

Teresa Rigney - December 27, 2017 at 12:27 PM

JH

“ Time to say goodbye to my best friend. To his family I can only say thank you for sharing him with us. We love you.

Jim Hampton - December 11, 2017 at 08:14 PM



Thank you Jim! He loved you!

Teresa Rigney - December 27, 2017 at 12:28 PM

SW

“ *Suzanne Ward lit a candle in memory of Jack N. Rigney*



suzanne ward - December 11, 2017 at 07:28 PM

SW

My heart is sad, Jack was my friend and my boss, he was a great inspiration in my life. I will miss him dearly, my prayers and thoughts goes out to the whole family

suzanne ward - December 11, 2017 at 07:33 PM



Teresa Rigney

Thank you Sue!

Teresa Rigney - December 27, 2017 at 12:29 PM

SK

“ *I will miss Jack at the birthday and graduation parties, holidays and other get-togethers. He was always so nice to talk with. On Thanksgiving, Jack and I shared our frustration with technology; specifically our cell phones! My heart goes out to the family for the loss of such a great man. Rest well, Jack. I'll think of you every time I miss my cell phone call.*

Shelly Klinger - December 11, 2017 at 06:44 PM



Teresa Rigney

Thank you Shelly!

Teresa Rigney - December 27, 2017 at 12:29 PM

LW

“ I remember being a band parent along with Jack and Teresa. And later they were secret shoppers at TGIFriday where I was a manager. It's like losing a family member. You will be missed, Jack.



Lynda Weemhoff - December 11, 2017 at 06:42 PM



Thank you Lynda.

Teresa Rigney - December 27, 2017 at 12:30 PM

NR

“ Best dad I could have ever asked for. He was always there for me. Made me the man I am today. I'm going to miss him so very much. Love you dad.

nick rigney - December 11, 2017 at 04:51 PM

PG

“ Jack Rigney was a kind, fun loving man who I had the pleasure of knowing for twenty some years. He was my boss but most of all he was a very special friend. He will truly be missed, but never forgotten. May Jack Rest In Peace. My thoughts and prayers go out to Teresa & her family.

Patty Gagratz - December 11, 2017 at 02:52 PM



Thank you Patty! He thought highly of you. He would talk to you when he had to make decisions and needed some advice or just another point of view. You were a good friend to Jack.

Teresa Rigney - December 27, 2017 at 12:32 PM

KH

“ Thoughts and prayers to the entire Rigney family! Jack was such a wonderful person. For the longest time, I grew up thinking he was my uncle. Lots of love and hugs to you all!

Kelly (Hampton) Hallada - December 11, 2017 at 02:08 PM



Thank you Kelly! We always think of you as family.

Teresa Rigney - December 27, 2017 at 12:33 PM

CW

“ My heartfelt condolences to the entire family. Jack was one of the most decent people I have ever had the pleasure to meet. My prayers are with the entire family.

Curt West - December 11, 2017 at 12:43 PM



Thank you Curt.

Teresa Rigney - December 27, 2017 at 12:34 PM